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Ridgeland Earns Top Rating for Drinking Water Supply

(Ridgeland, MS – October 9, 2012) The annual Mississippi State Department of Health’s Report of Inspection of Drinking Water Supply generated on October 3, 2012 for the City of Ridgeland showed a rating of 5.0 out of 5.0. The report states: “System officials and operators should be commended for the hard work they do to keep this system in good working order.”

John M. McCollum, Director of Public Works said of the results, “Once again, we received a rating of five which puts us in the top five percent of 1,480 water systems in Mississippi, and it is the highest score we can receive. It takes hard work and dedication to receive this rating year in and year out. We are fortunate to have such a great Utilities Division and Public Works Staff that takes pride and ownership of this process that ensures Ridgeland’s citizens have a water system second to none.”

A copy of the report may be viewed by contacting the City of Ridgeland Public Works Department at 304 Highway 51, Ridgeland, Mississippi or by calling 601.853.2027.

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