



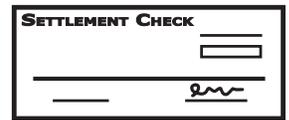
WEST VIRGINIA Water Contamination Settlement

Settlement Pays Residential Households \$550 (estimated) or More Businesses Can Get \$1,875 (estimated) or More

Documented Medical or Injury Claim Recovery Workers Reimbursed for Lost Hourly Wages

Classification	What can you get?
<p>Residential Households that were supplied with tap water on January 9, 2014 from West Virginia American’s Kanawha Valley Water Treatment Plant (“KVTP”) that was contaminated by the Freedom Chemical Spill.</p> <p>Includes people who owned or rented condos, apartments, and houses.</p>	<p>(1) <u>Simple Payment Option</u>: Estimated \$550 for first person in household plus \$180 to each additional person. Can also file for medical claims, pregnancy claims, and lost hourly wages.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">OR</p> <p>(2) <u>Documented Loss Payment Option</u>:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Property damage</u>: repair/replacement of water system components, hot water heaters, dishwashers, humidifiers, CPAPs, and other appliances. • <u>Extra expenses</u>: bottled water, tableware, pre-prepared foods, discarded food, baby wipes, plastic ware, travel, and substitute lodging. <p style="text-align: center;">AND</p> <p>(3) <u>Medical Claims</u> (separate claim form): (a) Out of pocket expenses and additional payment of \$750 for medical treatment for January 9, 2014 spill event, and (b) Higher payments for demonstrated permanent injury or wrongful death caused by exposure to or interruption in tap water.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">OR</p> <p>(4) <u>Pregnancy Claims</u> (separate claim form): Payment of \$1,500 for women who were pregnant on January 9, 2014.</p>
<p>Businesses (including non-profits and government entities) that owned or leased property supplied with tap water by KVTP on January 9, 2014.</p>	<p>(1) <u>Simple Payment Option</u>: Businesses ordered to shut down will get up to \$41,875 (estimated based on revenue). Lodging businesses will get up to \$64,000 (estimated based on revenue). Other businesses, non-profits, and governmental entities will get \$1,875 (estimated).</p> <p style="text-align: center;">OR</p> <p>(2) <u>Documented Loss Payment Option</u>: lost profits, lost revenues for government entities, repair/replacement, lost inventory, bottled water, and extra expenses.</p>
<p>Workers who lost hourly wages.</p>	<p>Recover documented lost hourly wages if your place of employment was shut down or partially shut down because of water contamination.</p>

How it Works:



Visit the website or call to learn more about the Settlement.

If you were impacted by the Freedom Chemical Spill, you need to decide what to do. You can file a claim (deadline - **February 21, 2018**), or object to or exclude yourself from the Settlement (deadline - **December 8, 2017**). You can also hire your own attorney.

File a claim to get a payment. If you do not exclude yourself from the Settlement, you cannot separately sue American Water or Eastman for the claims in this Settlement.

Payments will be made if the Court approves the Settlement after a fairness hearing on **January 9, 2018**. Attorneys to ask for up to 25% of the Settlement Funds as fees.