

WELL TESTING INFORMATION

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The State of Vermont, Department of Environmental Conservation (DEC) initially tested several drinking water wells on February 16, 2016 that are in close proximity to the former Chemfab facility. Due to the detection of PFOA in several of these wells, a more comprehensive well testing program was initiated. Well owners within a 1.5 mile radius of the former Chemfab facility were asked to contact the DEC if they wanted their well to be tested for PFOA.

The sampling team has completed sampling all of wells within the 1.5 mile radius of the ChemFab Plant for people who have requested sampling through March 8, 2016. Approximately 190 drinking water wells have been sampled.

Residents within the 1.5 mile radius who requested after March 8, 2016, for their well to be sampled will be contacted by WMD staff next week. The sampling team is currently developing a plan for next steps and additional sampling efforts.

The DEC is still waiting to receive the results from the analytical laboratory.