June 5, 2019

Subject: Well Construction Considerations Near Active Remediation Investigation (Marinette County)

Dear Licensed Well Drillers:

The Department is seeking to notify licensed well drillers who have historically completed wells in Marinette county of an active remediation investigation in the area that may influence well construction considerations.

The Department is aware of an active remediation investigation involving Per- and Polyfluoroalkyl Substances (PFAS) in the area around the City of Marinette and Town of Peshtigo in Marinette county. The investigation is actively progressing and involves contamination, either potential or known, to soil, surface water, and ground water in the investigation area.

The Department asks that you contact us prior to constructing any new or replacement wells in the investigation area in an effort to ensure that both you and your customers are aware of the potential risks and can make the most informed decisions regarding well construction and drinking water supply.

The active investigation area may fluctuate as the remediation case progresses and thus, the location may expand or otherwise change in the future.

CONTAMINANT: PER- AND POLYFLUOROALKYL COMPOUNDS (PFAS)

LOCATION: Marinette County – Area Around City of Marinette and Town of Peshtigo

Township 30N

Range 23E Sections: 1, 12, 13, & 24

Range 24E Sections: 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 17, 18, 19, & 20

If you have any questions or concerns, please reach out to me at (920)662-5147 or SaraM.Fry@Wisconsin.gov.

Sincerely,

Sara Fry
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Wisconsin Dept. of Natural Resources

CC: WDNR Remediation & Redevelopment Northeast Region