



## Government Center

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Dear Resident:

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*Fiscal Officer*

Erika Vogel  
*Township Administrator*

We are writing to you today as part of the township's continuing efforts to respond to the PFAS contamination issue and keep you informed about those efforts. In 2022, the township entered into an agreement with Montgomery County to provide free well testing in the "Recommended Testing Area", as identified by the Ohio Department of Health. The goal of the testing was to help identify PFAS contaminant levels and provide residents with the tools they need to make educated decisions about their drinking water, including health effects information and treatment system options.

In April 2023, Butler Township Trustees met with residents to report the results of that program, which was part of a collaborative effort with Montgomery County. Of the 155 locations tested in the "Recommended Testing Area", 85 had NO detection of PFAS compounds, 2 locations exceeded the current Ohio EPA action level of 70 parts per trillion (ppt), and 68 wells had detections that were below Ohio EPA action levels. Bennett and Williams Environmental Consultants, Inc., our environmental consultant, also presented information about new regulations proposed by the USEPA for public water systems which have not yet been adopted but would reduce the maximum concentration level (MCLs) to four (4) ppt for PFOA and PFOS. Additional information pertaining to the well testing results and a menu of solutions can be found at: <https://butlertownship.com/administration/township-videos/water-contamination-issue/>.

The Trustees determined it was in the best interest of the residents to extend the testing program to properties located in the "Citizen Advisory Area", as well as offering free testing to those in the "Recommended Testing Area" that previously did not sign up for testing. If you are receiving this letter, your address qualifies for free well testing.

The township has again contracted with Bennett & Williams to administer this second round of testing. If you wish to register for the free well testing, you can visit <https://arcg.is/bSH8j> or scan the QR code below. This website will walk you through the questionnaire to ensure your address is eligible to receive free well testing and provide details needed for the consultant to complete the testing. Please note, if you have already paid to have your well tested on your own, the township will not be able to reimburse you for testing, but you have the choice to have your well retested as part of this program.

**The deadline to register for free well testing is August 31, 2023.**

If you have any questions or need assistance to complete the online registration, please contact me at 937-898-6735 ext. 101 or at [evogel@butlertownship.com](mailto:evogel@butlertownship.com).

Sincerely,

Erika Vogel  
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