## **RE: Town of Peshtigo Update**

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Hi Jennifer - Here are updates for PFAS that may be of interest to town of Peshtigo residents in your monthly board meeting:

**Site Investigation**: - JCI/Tyco is continuing its investigation of PFAS contamination in and around the FTC. They have plans to install and sample new monitoring wells in the PWSA in the town of Peshtigo in the coming months. The DNR anticipates receiving a report to document finding and conclusions for this additional investigation in early 2024.

**Deep Wells** - To date, JCI/Tyco has installed around 20 deep drinking wells for residents who have signed on for a deep well in the PWSA. This summer, JCI/Tyco also completed two new monitoring wells in this deep aquifer and plans to install two more deep monitoring wells in the PWSA this fall. JCI/Tyco's initial testing results of the new deep wells were as expected: the water did not contain PFAS at levels of concern, but did have elevated levels of radium, strontium and other water quality that warrant treatment. In a few instances the new deeps wells have had to be retrofit with a special deeper casing to address sulfur issues.

**High School Irrigation Well:** - In June 2023, JCI/Tyco installed a new irrigation well at Marinette High School to replace the old irrigation well that was found to have a faulty casing and was drawing PFAS from the shallow aquifer. PFAS were not detected at levels of health concern in samples collected from the new irrigation well. JCI/Tyco will continue semi-annual sampling of the irrigation well under an agreement it has with the school district.

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