# **Ground Water Sampling**

Poor quality groundwater can affect our **property values**, **your health**, **and economic development**. Find out what you can do to take care of the water in Dunn County!

Sampling of private wells starts in the spring or early summer 2023.





#### Who is eligible

Anyone with a private well within Dunn County!



## How will my well data be used?

The data will be shared through an anonymous report and an available interactive map. The map doesn't show names, addresses, or any other identifying information.



#### What is the purpose?

To collect general data about the groundwater quality in Dunn County.

Healthy Ground Water = A Healthy Community



# What happens if my well tests high for any of the tested compounds?

Dunn County may offer to do repeat testing and educational resources. Dunn County can't mandate or fund private water treatment systems for any wells that have high test results through this program



## What sampling will be done?

The Comprehensive Homeowners Package will be sampled by UW-Stevens Point Water & Environmental Analysis Lab.

This test includes Nitrates, Hardness, Several Metals, Atrazine and related herbicides, and several other water chemistry parameters.



#### How much will this cost?

This will come at **NO COST** to the individuals who participate. LWCD staff will come to your property, collect the sample, and ship it to the lab for analysis.