

First, let us say that we, your representatives on your Town Board, are deeply concerned in regards to the recent findings

Last July we received a notice that said, "Supervisor Strough - I'm writing to let you know that in follow-up to the PFAS groundwater sampling we recently conducted at the Queensbury Landfill, the DEC and DOH plan to conduct residential well sampling for a select group of down gradient property owners. Attached are the letters that went out on Tuesday from Albany soliciting interest from those residents."

The DEC/DOH letters requesting to test private well water said: "As part of New York State's Inactive Landfill Initiative, the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation (NYSDEC) and the New York State Department of Health (NYSDOH) are offering to test drinking water wells near the inactive landfill referenced above for polyfluoroalkyl substances (PFAS), 1,4-dioxane, iron, magnesium, manganese, sodium, and ammonia. PFAS are a group of human-made chemicals that have been used in industry and consumer products. 1,4-Dioxane is human-made chemical that has been used in industry and consumer products as a stabilizer for chlorinated solvents. The sampling will help determine whether these chemicals are impacting drinking water supplies in your area. If you have a private well and would like to have it sampled, the Agencies are offering to perform the testing at no cost to you."

New York State Department of Conservation and the New York State Department of Health's investigation of and discovery of PFOA and 1,4 Dioxane in our wells

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As this investigation proceeds and we gather additional accurate information, the Town will be

As the DEC advances and deepens its investigation into this matter, the Town has secured the services of C.T. Male Associates' geologist John Munsey C.T. to provide technical review and summary of groundwater testing that the DEC has performed on monitoring wells and private wells. We will be securing this service to assure that you are represented and informed.