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November 23, 2020

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2530 2nd Avenue East  
La Crosse, WI 54603

Subject: Private Well Sampling Results  
2530 2nd Avenue East, La Crosse, WI 54603  
Tax parcel # 4-185-0  
Sample ID # 185-0

Dear ██████████:

We have received and reviewed the test results for the sample collected on October 29, 2020 at the above address. Some PFAS compounds were found at levels above the Department of Health Services (DHS) levels recommended for protecting health. These levels are called the "Recommended Public Health Standard" in the table below. The levels found in your well are called the "Sample Result" in the table below.

**Because some of the levels are above the recommended Public Health Standard, the City is offering to provide bottled water delivered to your home for drinking, cooking, and brushing your teeth. There will be no cost to you for the bottled water. Please complete the attached form and mail it to The OS Group to make arrangements for having a water dispenser and bottles delivered to your home. Call 608-668-2718 or email [PFAS@theOSgrp.com](mailto:PFAS@theOSgrp.com) . You may also complete this form on line at [www.cityoflacrosse.org/bottledwater](http://www.cityoflacrosse.org/bottledwater)**

The following table summarizes the test results from the sample. **Bolded results** are above a current recommended level intended to protect your health according to the Department of Health Services (DHS).

**Sample Results**

Compound	Sample Result (unit)	Recommended Public Health Standard (unit <sup>e</sup> )
N-Ethyl Perfluorooctane sulfonamide (NEtFOSA) CAS # 4151-50-2	Not Detected	20 ppt <sup>a,b</sup>
N-Ethyl perfluorooctane sulfonamidoacetic acid (NEtFOSAA) CAS # 2991-50-6	Not Detected	20 ppt <sup>a,b</sup>
N-Ethyl perfluorooctane sulfonamidoethanol (NEtFOSE) CAS # 1691-99-2	Not Detected	20 ppt <sup>a,b</sup>
Perfluorooctane sulfonamide (FOSA) CAS # 754-91-6	Not Detected	20 ppt <sup>a,b</sup>
Perfluorooctanoic acid (PFOA) CAS # 335-67-1	Not Detected	20 ppt <sup>a,b</sup>
Perfluorooctanesulfonic acid (PFOS) CAS # 1763-23-1	4.8 ppt	20 ppt <sup>a,b</sup>
Hexafluoropropylene oxide dimer acid (HPFO-DA; GenX) CAS # 13252-13-6	Not Detected	300 ppt <sup>a</sup>
Perfluorobutanesulfonic acid (PFBS) CAS # 375-73-5	7.7 ppt	450,000 ppt <sup>a</sup>
<b>Perfluorohexanesulfonic acid (PFHxS)</b> <b>CAS # 355-46-4</b>	<b>77 ppt</b>	40 ppt <sup>a</sup>
Perfluorobutanoic acid (PFBA) CAS # 375-22-4	19 ppt	10,000 ppt <sup>a</sup>
Perfluorodecanoic acid (PFDA) CAS # 335-76-2	Not Detected	300 ppt <sup>a</sup>
Perfluorododecanoic acid (PFDoA) CAS # 307-55-1	Not Detected	500 ppt <sup>a</sup>
Perfluorohexanoic acid (PFHxA) CAS # 307-24-4	2.5 ppt	150,000 ppt <sup>a</sup>
Perfluorononanoic acid (PFNA) CAS # 375-95-1	Not Detected	30 ppt <sup>a</sup>
Perfluorotetradecanoic acid (PFTeA) CAS # 376-06-7	Not Detected	10,000 ppt <sup>a</sup>
Perfluoroundecanoic acid (PFUnA) CAS # 2058-94-8	Not Detected	3,000 ppt <sup>a</sup>
4,8-Dioxa-3H-perfluorononanoic acid (DONA) CAS # 919005-14-4	Not Detected	3,000 ppt <sup>a</sup>

The recommended limit is 20 ppt for any one of these 6 compounds or the combined total of all 6

Perfluorooctadecanoic acid (PFODA) CAS # 16517-11-6	Not Detected	400,000 ppt <sup>a</sup>
Perfluoro-1-pentanesulfonic acid (PFPeS) CAS # 2706-91-4	6.6 ppt	None Established <sup>c</sup>
Perfluoro-n-pentanoic acid (PFPeA) CAS #2706-90-3	1.8 ppt	None Established <sup>c</sup>
<sup>a</sup> Public health enforcement standard (ES) recommended by DHS. <sup>b</sup> DHS recommends a combined enforcement standard of 20 ng/L and combined preventive action limit of 2 ng/L for FOSA, NEt-FOSE, NEt-FOSA, NetFOSAA, PFOS, and PFOA. <sup>c</sup> A current standard is not available; the compound is currently under review by DHS for potential public health standard recommendation. <sup>d</sup> Public health enforcement standard (ES) in NR 140, Wisconsin Administrative Code. <sup>e</sup> Units: Parts per trillion (ppt) = nanograms of substance per liter of water (ng/L) <sup>BL</sup> Detected in the method blank. Possible lab contaminant.		

As required by law, we will be submitting these results to the Department of Natural Resources (DNR). The DNR may consult with the Department of Health Services (DHS) about these test results. *DHS may review all PFAS tests and follow-up with you directly if any actions are recommended to protect your health.*

Thank you for your patience and assistance with our investigation. We will provide updates on the project at <https://www.cityoflacrosse.org/wells> as our work continues. If you have any questions, please call The OS Group at (608) 668-2718 or email them at [PFAS@theOSgrp.com](mailto:PFAS@theOSgrp.com).

You can also contact the DNR and DHS with questions about PFAS or the water sample results at the numbers provided below.

<u>Questions about...</u>	<u>Contact</u>	<u>Phone</u>	<u>E-mail Address</u>
Soil & Groundwater Testing, Clean Up	DNR David Rozeboom	715-215-2078	<a href="mailto:David.Rozeboom@wisconsin.gov">David.Rozeboom@wisconsin.gov</a>
Drinking Water or Private wells	DNR Kyle Burton	920-360-2112	<a href="mailto:kyle.burton@wisconsin.gov">kyle.burton@wisconsin.gov</a>
Health Concerns	DHS Curtis Hedman	608-266-6677	<a href="mailto:Curtis.Hedman@dhs.wisconsin.gov">Curtis.Hedman@dhs.wisconsin.gov</a>

On behalf of The City of La Crosse  
**The OS Group, LLC**

Attachment: Lab report for your well  
 Bottled Water Acknowledgement

# PFAS by LC/MS/MS

Client: Pace Analytical Services, LLC	Laboratory ID: VK03016-019
Description: 185-0	Matrix: Aqueous
Date Sampled: 10/29/2020 1130	Project Name: LACROSSE WELL #23 & 24
Date Received: 11/03/2020	Project Number: 40217496

Run	Prep Method	Analytical Method	Dilution	Analysis Date	Analyst	Prep Date	Batch
2	SOP SPE	PFAS by ID SOP	1	11/17/2020 2054	SES	11/16/2020 1613	73668

Parameter	CAS Number	Analytical Method	Result	Q	LOQ	DL	Units	Run
9-chlorohexadecafluoro-3-oxanone-1-sulfonic acid (9Cl-PF3ONS)	756426-58-1	PFAS by ID SOP	ND		7.4	1.9	ng/L	2
11-chloroeicosafluoro-3-oxaundecane-1-sulfonic acid (11Cl-PF3...)	763051-92-9	PFAS by ID SOP	ND		7.4	1.9	ng/L	2
1H, 1H, 2H, 2H-perfluorodecane sulfonic acid (8:2 FTS)	39108-34-4	PFAS by ID SOP	ND		7.4	1.9	ng/L	2
1H, 1H, 2H, 2H-perfluorooctane sulfonic acid (6:2 FTS)	27619-97-2	PFAS by ID SOP	ND		7.4	1.9	ng/L	2
1H,1H,2H,2H-perfluorododecane sulfonic acid (10:2 FTS)	120226-60-0	PFAS by ID SOP	ND		7.4	1.9	ng/L	2
1H,1H,2H,2H-perfluorohexane sulfonic acid (4:2 FTS)	757124-72-4	PFAS by ID SOP	ND		7.4	1.9	ng/L	2
Hexafluoropropylene oxide dimer acid (GenX)	13252-13-6	PFAS by ID SOP	ND		7.4	1.9	ng/L	2
4,8-dioxa-3H-perfluorononanoic acid (ADONA)	919005-14-4	PFAS by ID SOP	ND		7.4	1.9	ng/L	2
N-ethylperfluoro-1-octanesulfonamide (EtFOSA)	4151-50-2	PFAS by ID SOP	ND		7.4	1.9	ng/L	2
N-ethylperfluoro-1-octanesulfonamidoacetic acid (EtFOSAA)	2991-50-6	PFAS by ID SOP	ND		7.4	1.9	ng/L	2
2-N-ethylperfluoro-1-octanesulfonamido-ethanol (EtFOSE)	1691-99-2	PFAS by ID SOP	ND		7.4	1.9	ng/L	2
N-methylperfluoro-1-octanesulfonamide (MeFOSA)	31506-32-8	PFAS by ID SOP	ND		15	3.7	ng/L	2
N-methylperfluoro-1-octanesulfonamidoacetic acid (MeFOSAA)	2355-31-9	PFAS by ID SOP	ND		7.4	1.9	ng/L	2
2-N-methylperfluoro-1-octanesulfonamido-ethanol (MeFOSE)	24448-09-7	PFAS by ID SOP	ND		7.4	1.9	ng/L	2
Perfluoro-1-butanefluoronic acid (PFBS)	375-73-5	PFAS by ID SOP	7.7		3.7	0.93	ng/L	2
Perfluoro-1-decanesulfonic acid (PFDS)	335-77-3	PFAS by ID SOP	ND		3.7	0.93	ng/L	2
Perfluoro-1-heptanesulfonic acid (PFHpS)	375-92-8	PFAS by ID SOP	ND		3.7	0.93	ng/L	2
Perfluoro-1-nonanesulfonic acid (PFNS)	68259-12-1	PFAS by ID SOP	ND		3.7	0.93	ng/L	2
Perfluoro-1-octanesulfonamide (PFOSA)	754-91-6	PFAS by ID SOP	ND		3.7	0.93	ng/L	2
Perfluoro-1-pentanesulfonic acid (PFPeS)	2706-91-4	PFAS by ID SOP	6.6		3.7	0.93	ng/L	2
Perfluorododecanesulfonic acid (PFDOS)	79780-39-5	PFAS by ID SOP	ND		7.4	1.9	ng/L	2
Perfluorohexanesulfonic acid (PFHxS)	355-46-4	PFAS by ID SOP	77		3.7	0.93	ng/L	2
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Perfluoro-n-hexadecanoic acid (PFHxDA)	67905-19-5	PFAS by ID SOP	ND		7.4	1.9	ng/L	2
Perfluoro-n-hexanoic acid (PFHxA)	307-24-4	PFAS by ID SOP	2.5	J	3.7	0.93	ng/L	2
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Perfluoro-n-tridecanoic acid (PFTrDA)	72629-94-8	PFAS by ID SOP	ND		3.7	0.93	ng/L	2
Perfluoro-n-undecanoic acid (PFUdA)	2058-94-8	PFAS by ID SOP	ND		3.7	0.93	ng/L	2
Perfluorooctanesulfonic acid (PFOS)	1763-23-1	PFAS by ID SOP	4.8		3.7	0.93	ng/L	2

Surrogate	Q	Run 2 % Recovery	Acceptance Limits
13C2_4:2FTS		90	25-150
13C2_6:2FTS		92	25-150
13C2_8:2FTS		87	25-150
13C2_PFDaA		84	25-150
13C2_PFHxDA		85	25-150
13C2_PFTeDA		74	25-150

LOQ = Limit of Quantitation      B = Detected in the method blank      E = Quantitation of compound exceeded the calibration range      DL = Detection Limit  
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Surrogate	Q	Run 2 % Recovery	Acceptance Limits
13C3_PFBS		79	25-150
13C3_PFHxS		82	25-150
13C3-HFPO-DA		90	25-150
13C4_PFBa		93	25-150
13C4_PFHpA		89	25-150
13C5_PFHxA		86	25-150
13C5_PFPeA		90	25-150
13C6_PFDA		90	25-150
13C7_PFUdA		84	25-150
13C8_PFOA		91	25-150
13C8_PFOS		84	25-150
13C8_PFOSA		96	10-150
13C9_PFNA		87	25-150
d-EtFOSA		75	10-150
d5-EtFOSAA		86	25-150
d9-EtFOSE		75	10-150
d-MeFOSA		73	10-150
d3-MeFOSAA		88	25-150
d7-MeFOSE		78	10-150

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As pre-caution for the protection of human health, the City of La Crosse (The City) will provide, on a temporary basis, bottled water for drinking, cooking and toothbrushing purposes at the above referenced address. The water will be delivered to your home or business by a commercial water delivery service. At the City's cost, a dispenser / cooler and regular deliveries of 5-gallon containers of water will be provided. The City reserves the right to dictate the conditions of delivery, such as minimum and maximum number of containers per delivery, frequency and timing of deliveries. The City reserves the right to periodically review whether The City should continue to provide bottled water, considering factors such as State and Federal standards and guidance, evolving knowledge and understanding of the sources, cause and responsibility for the contamination, new or reinterpreted test results, and the availability of more permanent or cost-effective sources of water for the above purposes. The City of La Crosse makes no warranty or representation regarding the suitability of the bottled water beyond those made by the commercial water delivery service.

**Check ownership:**

\_\_\_\_\_ **Owner-Occupant**  
\_\_\_\_\_ **Occupant Only**

**Number of Occupants:** \_\_\_\_\_

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Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Dated: \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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