

# TOWN OF CAMPBELL

La Crosse County



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The Town of Campbell is excited to announce the drilling of 3 “sentinel” wells at Campbell Town Hall beginning Monday June 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2024. Mobilization of a drill rig and equipment is expected to begin Monday afternoon.

These wells will help identify PFAS migration in the shallow contaminated aquifer, they will also help monitor and protect the deeper Mt. Simon aquifer.

This project equips researchers to better: characterize the two aquifers, the protective layer of rock separating the aquifers and ensure a safe long term drinking water supply for Campbell residents.

The sentinel wells will provide an opportunity to measure “head” changes and inter-connectivity within the aquifers. These wells will also be used as sampling locations for water quality, providing indications of PFAS movement in the upper aquifer and verification that PFAS has not reached the deeper aquifer.

The project is a joint endeavor between La Crosse County, Town of Campbell, UW-Madison, U.S. Geological Survey and the Wisconsin Geological and Natural History Survey. The project funded by La Crosse County, will better assess PFAS movement, identify potential neighboring municipalities which may face future PFAS impacts and protect the Mt. Simon aquifer.

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