Water Sample Data Collection Form

Refer to reverse side for Water Sampling Procedure and additional info.

We do not test for microorganisms such as E. Coli and Coliform

Address:		
City, Province:		
Postal Code:		
Phone:		
Email:		
Main Concern / Reason for Water Test:		
Please answer the following questions as best as possible.		
Sampling Date & Time:	Sample Type:	
Sample Taken By:	Raw (BEFORE all existing equipment) Treated (AFTER all existing equipment)	
Sample Source: Municipal Drilled Well I	Dug Well Surface (lake, pond, river)	
Type of property Residential Commercial Seasonal (not used in winter) Other		
Bacteria in the water?	Shocked / Bleached the Well or Plumbing?	
Coliform E. coli	When?	
Existing Water Treatment (check all that apply): UV system ☐ Softener ☐ Iron filter ☐ RO system (single faucet use) ☐ Filter cartridge ☐ OTHER or UNSURE (describe):		
Number of Occupants (residential): Number of Washrooms:		
Visual Observations: Clear Cloudy Cloud rises Cloud falls Colour (describe): Other (describe):		
Odour: Hot Water Cold Water Sulphur Earthy Metallic Chlorine Other: (describe):		
Staining on fixtures? No Yes If Yes, describe:		
Scaling on fixtures? No Yes If Yes, describe: Visual description of toilet tank reservoir (if not newly replaced):		
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Does the water quality remain constant year round? No Yes If No, describe:		
Length of Owning Property (If new owner when did you move in?):		
Space Availability for Water Treatment Equipment (Crawl space, height):		
Other Notes and Comments:		
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Name:

Water Sampling Procedure

Objective

The objective in sampling is to obtain a water sample that reflects the current water condition at the point sampled and under common usage conditions.

Things that can affect the accuracy of the sample are;

Sample Point Location

- Sample for RAW water should be drawn as close to the source as possible to avoid distribution system contamination and the effects of other water conditioning devices. Run water to ensure pipes are clear of sediment in your plumbing pipes.
- Samples for TREATED water should be drawn close to but down stream of treatment equipment, and with cold water.

General Procedure Outline

The following lists the steps involved in best practice of sampling your water.

- 1. Locate your sampling point based on the sampling point objective: RAW or TREATED.
- 2. Clean foreign debris from sample point on pipe of tap that may affect sample quality.
- 3. Purge sampling point of possible stagnant water and foreign debris: let water run.
- 4. The sampling container should be rinsed 2 or 3 times with the sample water from the sampling point at this time.
- 5. The sample should be capped, gently rocked with a side-to-side motion to remove excess air bubbles.
- 6. Open cap again, squeeze out all excess air and re-cap while squeezing air out water should spill out while re-capping.
- 7. Sample containers should be label to include the date, time, site location, and sampling point.
- 8. Samples should be stored in a cool dark environment and be protected from heat and freezing: Deliver to 26 Main St. N. Callander, ON OR 12006 Hwy 17 E Sturgeon Falls, ON the same day sample was taken.
- 9. **Deliver on Monday-Fridays before 4:30pm**. Do not deliver on Saturdays unless previously arranged.

Samples should be delivered to the testing facility as soon as possible and during the same day the sample was taken.

Well Development

Develop new permanent wells prior to sampling to ensure adequate hydraulic connection with the aquifer, and to remove any drilling fluids. Develop wells by pumping and surging until relatively clear water is produced; a consistent water quality that is sustained is the indicator that development is complete. This procedure may take several hours and requires the well to be pumped.

Please Note:

Our complimentary water test & quote is not for consultations on existing water equipment. We do not test for every parameter. If you have concerns about Iron, Sulphur, or Manganese Reducing Bacteria, or other water concerns; please speak to us about testing requirements, duration, and fees.

OFFICE USE ONLY		
Date tested:	Equipment recommended:	
Tested by:		
Visual Appearance:	Odour:	
UVT %	Hardness	
Colour	T. Iron	
Turb	Ferrous Iron	
TDS	Tannin	
pH	Manganese	
I.Out:	Notes:	