14 Parameters Tested

Household Well Water Testing

Virginia Household Water Quality Program

Participants must attend one 30-minute kick-off event to receive sampling information and their testing kits on either November 4th at 9:00am or November 5th at 12:00pm or 5:30pm. Then, participants collect water samples the morning of Wednesday, November 6th and deliver them to the Greensville/Emporia Extension office between 7:30am and 9:30am. **Sample kits dropped off after 9:30am will not be transported to the lab.** Water is analyzed on the Virginia Tech campus for 14 parameters. Results will be available around mid-December. The cost per kit is \$70.00.

Testing Includes:

Iron	Manganese	Sulfate	Hardness
Sodium	Copper	Nitrate	Arsenic
Fluoride	рН	Dissolved Solids	
Coliform bacteria	<i>E. coli</i> bacteria	Lead	

First-time participants from Greensville and Emporia are eligible for one free sponsored sample kit per household courtesy of the Chowan Basin Soil and Water Conservation District. (10



sponsored kits are available on a first come, first served basis.) Mention the Soil and Water sponsorship when registering to secure a free kit, if eligible. Additional kits per household and kits for people residing in homes outside of Greensville/Emporia will pay \$70.00 per kit. Once all free sponsored kits are claimed for first-time participants, the \$70.00 fee will be charged per kit for all registrants.

Registration beings October 1, 2024. The registration deadline is October 25th, 2024. Cash and checks accepted in person at the Greensville/Emporia Extension office. To register and pay with a credit card, visit <u>https://register.ext.edu</u>. Payment is due at the time of registration. No exceptions.

A \$50.00 fee will be charged for all returned checks.

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Week of November 4, 2024

<u>Kick off events- Choose 1</u> November 4 @ 9:00am November 5 @ 12:00pm November 5 @ 5:30pm

Return water samples November 6 7:30am-9:30am



Greensville-Emporia Extension Office

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Registration deadline October 25, 2023

If you are a person with a disability and desire any assistive devices, services or other accommodations to participate in this activity, please contact the Greensville-Emporia Office at (434) 348-4223 during the business hours of 8:00a.m. and 5:00p.m. Monday through Friday to discuss accommodations at least 5 days prior to the event *TDD number is (800) 828-1120.

