



Horsham Township Water Update – June 24, 2016

Residents Invited to Township Council Meeting on Water Quality

Horsham Township Council and the Horsham Water and Sewer Authority (HWSA) will hold a joint meeting regarding the improvement of water quality in the township on Monday, June 27 at 7 p.m. during the Council Meeting in the Horsham Township Community Center at 1025 Horsham Road. The meeting is open to the public and Horsham residents are welcome to attend. The Township Council and HWSA will consider a series of remediation options to address the levels of perfluorochemicals (PFCs) previously found in Horsham's water supply as a result of U.S. Department of Defense activities on the Naval Air Base in Willow Grove.

All water provided by HWSA currently meets or exceeds all DEP and EPA drinking water quality standards, and all nine of the HWSA's active wells show PFC levels significantly below the new EPA Lifetime Health Advisory. Council and HWSA will review remediation options at Monday's meeting with a goal of achieving a standard of water quality that far exceeds any other in the nation by the end of 2016.

For those who cannot attend the meeting, the remediation options will also be posted to Horsham.org on Tuesday, June 28, along with an update on any action plan Council may vote on.

More information on water quality concerns can be found at horshamwater-sewer.com and on Horsham Township's website, horsham.org.