June 29, 2024

Penn Township Residents,

**RE: Penn Township Water Survey – Private Wells and Public Water Systems**

Good morning,

We recently sent out a letter and water survey to better understand your freshwater needs and willingness to tap in if an affordable public water solution is developed for the existing residential developments.

We anticipate that many existing residences are satisfied with their existing water source quality and quantity.

We trust that the results of this survey will identify existing residences that have poor water quality and quantity. Perhaps, these issues can be resolved with maintenance on their well, pump, water storage tank, and filtration/softening system. Some equipment replacement may be necessary.

With the help of some professionals, we plan to develop a range of relative costs for rehabilitating and/or replacing the existing residential water systems and provide guidelines for routine maintenance.

An experienced water well professional has provided the attached National Ground Water Association Private Wells and Public Water Systems – What you need to know. This is very good information to consider.

Penn Township’s sole purpose for this water survey is to access and address the freshwater needs in the existing residential areas.

Pennsylvania, Penn Township, and the Municipal Water Authority of Adams Township (MWAAT) do not require a mandatory freshwater tap-in.

We trust that you will complete and return this survey. We will share the results when they are available.

Please contact me if you have any questions or comments. We encourage you to visit the Penn Township website [www.penntownship.org](http://www.penntownship.org) for more information on our community.

Sincerely,



Samuel M. Ward

Chairman, Penn Township

Board of Supervisors

