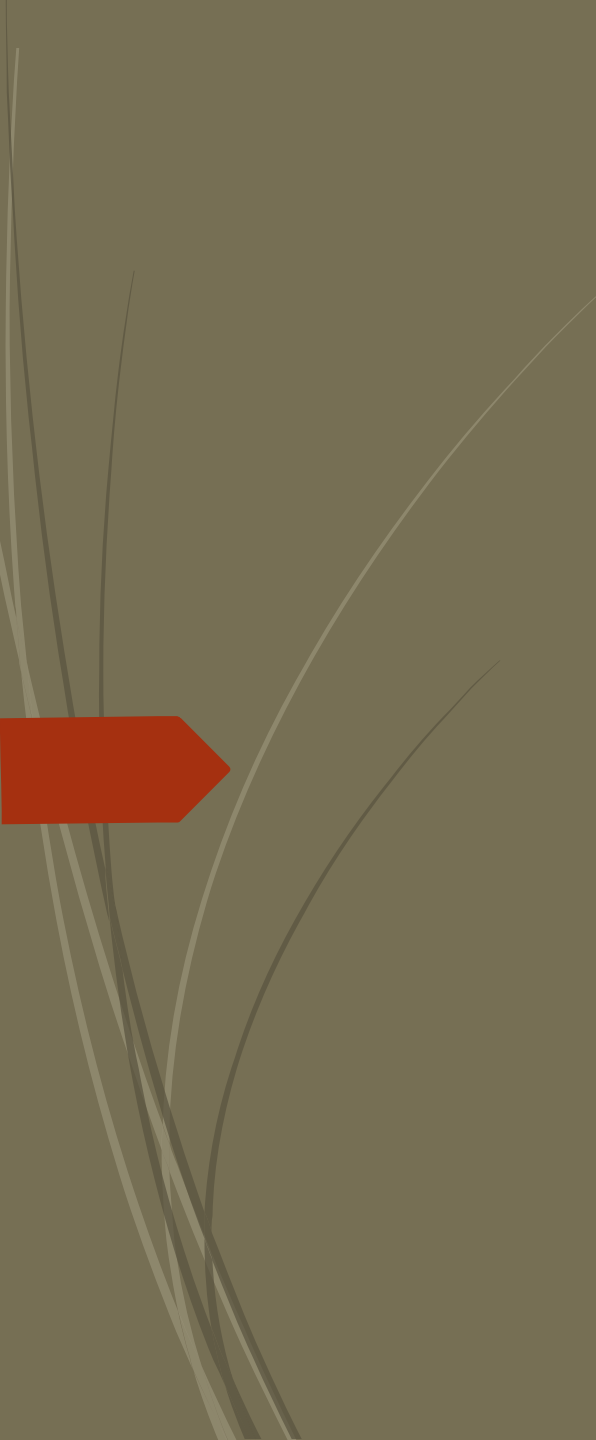


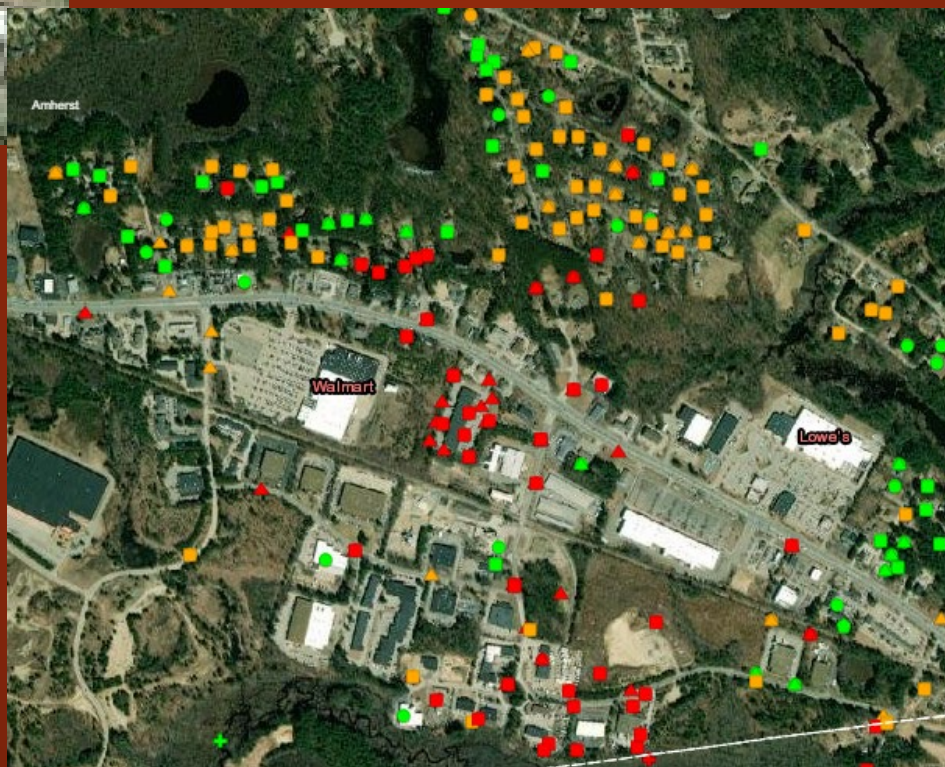


PFAS Occurrence in Amherst & Funding Opportunities

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History of PFAS in Amherst

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PFAS Occurrence in Amherst

- >450 private wells sampled
- > 200 private wells with exceedances
- Sample Map: [NHDES PFAS SAMPLING \(arcgis.com\)](https://arcgis.com)
- Ongoing targeted sampling by NHDES
- Request sampling: [Private Well-Testing Request Form – NH PFAS Investigation \(state.nh.us\)](https://state.nh.us)





PFAS Removal Rebate Program for Private Wells

- Private well users with PFAS exceedance
 - Up to \$1,500 rebate
 - For POU, POE or service connection
 - Retroactive to September 30, 2019
 - **Note: Still pending Fiscal and Governor & Executive Council approval**
 - Timeline: 2 to 3 months
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- [PFAS Removal Rebate Program for Private Wells – NH PFAS Investigation \(state.nh.us\)](https://state.nh.us/pfas-rebate-program)
 - Email: pfasrebateprogram@des.nh.gov



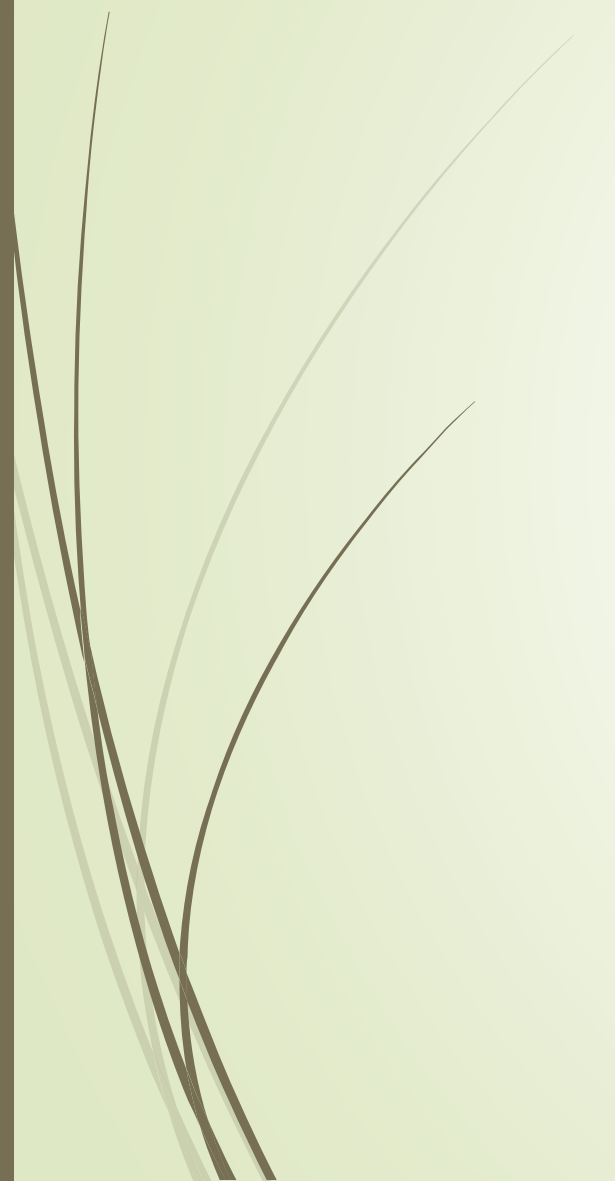
PFAS Remediation Grant & Loan Fund

[PFAS Remediation Loan Fund – NH PFAS Investigation \(state.nh.us\)](https://state.nh.us)

- Low interest loan and grant fund for the remediation of PFAS in drinking water
- Community water systems, Non-profit Non-transient water systems & Municipalities
- Grant funding is \$1.5M or 30% of the total cost of the project, whichever is greater (retroactive back to March 3, 2021)
- Two step application process
- Open application period
- First come, first served



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