



Help Protect Local Drinking Water Supplies

The City has been taking steps to protect local groundwater and drinking water resources by developing and implementing a Wellhead Protection Plan. The goal of wellhead protection is to identify and manage potential sources of contamination in the area which supplies water to the city wells. Our plan was developed locally with input from community residents, State, local and Federal resource staff and approved by the Minnesota Dept. of Health.

The City will be doing a variety of education and outreach activities about wellhead protection. Through these efforts, we plan to educate the public on where our drinking water comes from and promote practices that protect the groundwater aquifer used by the city wells from potential contaminants.

HOW CAN I BECOME BETTER INFORMED ABOUT WELLHEAD PROTECTION?

- Contact the City for information on wellhead protection activities in your community.
- Information on wellhead protection can be found by visiting these websites:
 1. MN Dept. of Health: <http://www.health.state.mn.us/divs/eh/water/swp/>
 2. MN Dept. of Agriculture: <http://www.mda.state.mn.us/water/protection/>
 3. U.S. EPA: <http://cfpub.epa.gov/safewater/sourcewater/>

For additional information on how to protect your drinking water visit www.mrwa.com

Contact Info: