

SAFE and SUSTAINABLE Drinking Water Supply Wells

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**WATER SUPPLY WELL
GUIDELINES**



**for use in
DEVELOPING COUNTRIES**

THIRD EDITION

**供水井
指南**



供发展中国家使用

第三版

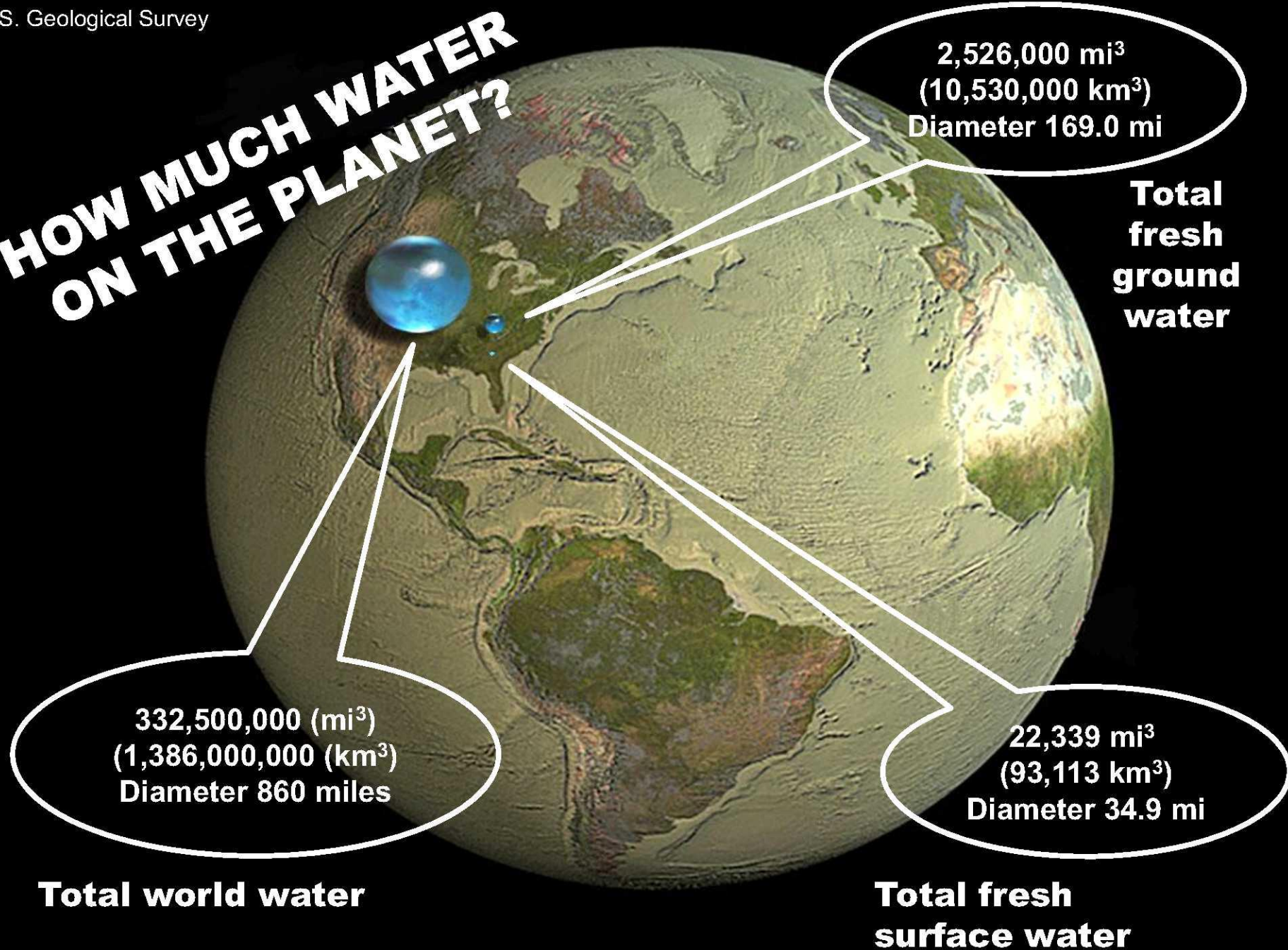
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POUR LES PUITES
D'ALIMENTATION EN EAU**



**destinés à être utilisés dans les
PAYS EN VOIE
DE DÉVELOPPEMENT**

TROISIÈME ÉDITION

HOW MUCH WATER ON THE PLANET?



GW / SW COMPARISON

- Less than 1% of all water is liquid fresh water
- There is over 100 times more liquid fresh groundwater than fresh liquid surface water
- Fresh groundwater makes up over 99% of all liquid freshwater.

WHY USE GROUNDWATER?

- ACCESSIBILITY
- SAFETY
- SUSTAINABILITY

NOTE: These were in the original MDG for water.

DID MDG MISS TARGET? or, should these be our SDG targets?

- Accessibility
 - Drinking water in home or on premises
 - Pathogen free water for sanitation (hygiene)
- Safety
 - Chemically - for drinking
 - Bacteriologically – for drinking
 - During construction
- Sustainability
 - Protection of groundwater resource

SDG 6.1.1 DEVELOP SAFE WATER

- Located on premises (or piped from well to premise); preferably into home
- Available whenever needed
- Free of faecal and priority chemical constituents

IMPACT ON OTHER SDGs

#1 – No Poverty

#3 – Good Health and Well-Being

#4 – Quality Education

#5 – Gender Equality

#8 – Decent Work and Economic Growth

QUOTES & FACT

“You will never solve poverty without solving water and sanitation”

Matt Damon

“You will never solve sanitation without water free of harmful pathogens” ^{S3}

“...1.8 billion people globally use a source of drinking water that is faecally contaminated...”

Progress on Drinking Water and Sanitation – 2014 update
UNICEF

WHO &

The LADDER out of EXTREME POVERTY



- Surface water

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- Spring
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The LADDER out of EXTREME POVERTY




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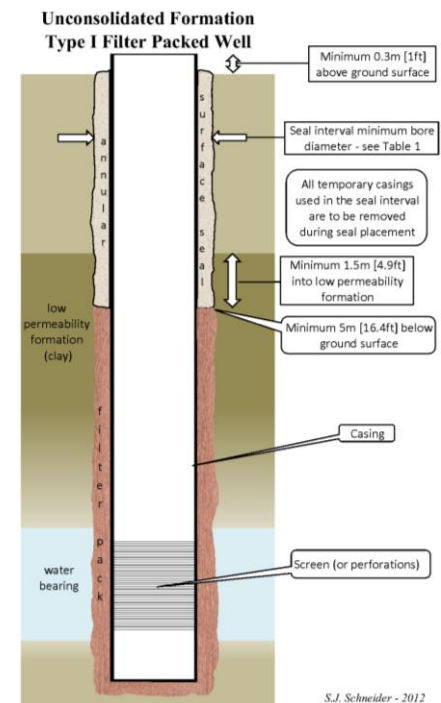
AFRICA - POPULATION

~2000	~2013	Percent Change	
815	1100	135%	TOTAL POPULATION
327	431	132%	PIPED, SOURCE UNKNOWN
174	195	112%	HAND DUG WELLS
72	172	239%	BOREHOLE

STARTING A WELL PROJECT

1. Define the desired or expected outcome
 - Purpose (e.g. safe drinking water)
 - Pathogen free (all wells can control this)
 - No unacceptable levels of harmful chemicals
 - Adequate yield
 - Plumb and aligned
2. Locate – 3 dimensional
3. Plan (design)
 - Sand control
 - Pump chamber size (i.e. casing)

Note: Locating & Planning
sometimes occur simultaneously



S.J. Schneider - 2012

STARTING A WELL PROJECT

Getting data:

2014 survey of states in US with public accessible database of well logs

70% had them at that time

More have followed

ONLINE DEMO of OR & WA



WATER WELL LOG (COMPLETION REPORT) DATABASES BY STATE IN UNITED STATES

STATE	ONLINE	WEB ADDRESS	COMMENT
Alabama	no		no response & online search unsuccessful
Alaska	yes	http://dnr.alaska.gov/mlw/welts/#/?page=show-welts-intro-template	
Arizona	yes	http://www.azwater.gov/azdwr/default.aspx	
Arkansas	yes	http://geology2.ar.gov/water/WaterWellDownload/	
California	no		logs submitted but considered confidential - contact CA DWR
Colorado	yes	http://www.dwr.state.co.us/WellPermitSearch/default.aspx	limited info available; not a database
Connecticut	no		logs submitted but considered confidential - contact local health dept
Delaware	yes	http://maps.dgs.udel.edu/dgir/draft/	
Florida	no	http://www.dep.state.fl.us/water/groundwater/fluwid.htm	centralized database not found
Georgia	no		online search unsuccessful and one other unable to find such
Hawaii	no		logs submitted and held by State
Idaho	yes	http://www.idwr.idaho.gov/apps/appswell/searchWC.asp	
Illinois	yes	http://isgs.illinois.edu/?q=ilwater	
Indiana	yes	http://www.in.gov/dnr/water/3595.htm	
Iowa	yes	http://www.iowadnr.gov/InsideDNR/RegulatoryWater/PrivateWellProgram/WellLogs.aspx	requires user name and password
Kansas	yes	http://www.kgs.ku.edu/Magellan/WaterWell/index.html	
Kentucky	yes	http://kgs.uky.edu/kgsweb/DataSearching/watersearch.asp	
Louisiana	no		searched online but unsuccessful at retrieving logs
Maine	yes	http://www.maine.gov/dacf/mgs/pubs/digital/well.htm	
Maryland	no		contact local authorities or MDE
Massachusetts	yes	http://public.dep.state.ma.us/searchwell/	
Michigan	yes	https://secure1.state.mi.us/wellogic/Login.aspx?ReturnUrl=%2fwellogic%2fdefault.aspx	http://www.deq.state.mi.us/well-logs/
Minnesota	yes	http://www.health.state.mn.us/divs/eh/cwi/	
Mississippi	no		not statewide, check out Miss DEQ
Missouri	yes	http://www.dnr.mo.gov/ENV/wrc/logmain/index.html	partial list of geologic logs; well construction details not included
Montana	yes	http://mbmggwic.mtech.edu/	
Nebraska	yes	http://dnrdata.dnr.ne.gov/wells/Menu.aspx	
Nevada	yes	http://water.nv.gov/mapping/	
New Hampshire	yes	http://www2.des.state.nh.us/DESOnestop/BasicSearch.aspx	
New Jersey	yes	http://datamine2.state.nj.us/DEP_Opra/OpraMain/categories?category=WS+Well+Permits	
New Mexico	yes	http://nmwrrs.ose.state.nm.us/nmwrrs/meterReport.html	
New York	yes	http://www.dec.ny.gov/cfm/xtapps/WaterWell/index.cfm?view=searchByCounty	Limited but useable info available without FOIL request which is required to get f
North Carolina	yes	http://wellcontractors.nc.gov	
North Dakota	yes	http://swc.state.nd.us/4dlink2/4dcgi/logsearchformweb/Map%20and%20Data%20Resources	
Ohio	yes	http://www.dnr.state.oh.us/water/maptechs/wellogs/appNEW/	
Oklahoma	yes	www.owrb.ok.gov/supply/wd/drillers.php	
Oregon	yes	http://apps.wrd.state.or.us/apps/gw/well_log/	
Pennsylvania	yes	http://www.dcnr.state.pa.us/topogeo/groundwater/pagwis/index.htm	
Rhode Island	no		searched online but unsuccessful at retrieving logs
South Carolina	no	http://www.dnr.sc.gov/water/hydro/docs/Project_Well_Database.pdf	in process; hopefully operational in 2014 - see web address to pdf explanation
South Dakota	yes	http://denr.sd.gov/des/wr/dblogsearch.aspx	
Tennessee	no		available but not online
Texas	yes	http://www.twdb.texas.gov/groundwater/data/drillersdb.asp	
Utah	yes	http://www.waterrights.utah.gov/cgi-bin/wellview.exe?Startup	
Vermont	yes	http://www.anr.state.vt.us/dec/dwgwp/cfm/WellReportSearchFormi.htm	
Virginia	no	http://www.deq.virginia.gov/Programs/Water/WaterSupplyWaterQuantity/GroundwaterCharacterization/WellDatabase.aspx	in process; see web addrss to access an explanation
Washington	yes	https://fortress.wa.gov/ecy/waterresources/map/WCLSWebMap/default.aspx	
West Virginia	no		contact county health departments
Wisconsin	yes	http://prodoasext.dnr.wi.gov/inter1/watr\$.startup	for pre 1988 logs, go to: http://datcpgis.wi.gov/WellLogs
Wyoming	no	http://wwdc.state.wy.us/	

Total "yes" 35 70%
Total "no" 15 30%
Responding 50 100%

INTERNATIONAL no <http://www.un-igrac.org/publications/281>



Washington State Well Log Viewer

Welcome to the Department of Ecology Well Logs. A *Well Log* means a Well Report and describes the location, ownership, construction details and lithology of a completed well. This web site enables you to search for wells which have well reports and to view the well report using a variety of search tools.

[Tell a friend!](#)

Map Search

Search for well logs by navigating a Washington State map.



Text Search

Search for well logs using information you key in or select from a list.



Please Note: Water well locations within this site are not exact locations. Please read the [Disclaimer](#).

Water Resources Department

Well Log Query

Township: South
Range: West

Sections					
6 <input type="checkbox"/>	5 <input type="checkbox"/>	4 <input type="checkbox"/>	3 <input type="checkbox"/>	2 <input type="checkbox"/>	1 <input type="checkbox"/>
7 <input type="checkbox"/>	8 <input type="checkbox"/>	9 <input type="checkbox"/>	10 <input type="checkbox"/>	11 <input type="checkbox"/>	12 <input type="checkbox"/>
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Well Log: Startcard: Well Tag: L Completed Date to Received Date to County Bonded License# [Find a Driller](#)Owner Last Name Company Name Completed Depth to Taxlot Type of Log Records per Page: [Frequently Asked Questions](#)

KEY COMPONENTS

- Location, location, location
 - Set backs
 - Three dimensional
- Annular seal
 - Mandatory
 - Chip bentonite
 - Commingling
- Documentation – well logs
 - Facilitates O&M
 - Used by drillers, hydrogeologists
 - Locate other well sites
 - Design other wells
 - Facilitate drilling plans for other wells
 - Aquifer characterization
 - Reposited & accessible



WATER SUPPLY WELL REPORT

Well ID # / Name _____ Location of ID on well _____

(1) **OWNER:** Land _____ User _____ Both _____
 Name _____
 Address _____

(2) **TYPE OF WORK**
☐ New Well ☐ Deepening ☐ Alteration (repair/recondition) ☐ Decommissioning

(3) **DRILL METHOD:**
☐ Rotary Air ☐ Rotary Mud ☐ Cable
☐ Other _____

(4) **PROPOSED USE:**
☐ Domestic ☐ Community ☐ Industrial ☐ Irrigation
☐ Thermal ☐ Injection ☐ Livestock ☐ Other _____

(5) **BORE HOLE CONSTRUCTION:**
 All Depths Are in _____ Meters _____ Feet Below Ground Surface
 Depth of Completed Well _____

Diameter, From To		Material		From To		SEALS		Sacks or pounds	

How was seal placed: _____

Backfill placed from _____ to _____ Material _____
 Filter pack placed in _____ to _____ Size of pack _____

(6) **CASING/LINER:**

Diameter, From To	Gauge	Steel	Plastic	Welded	Threaded
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Casing: _____
 Liner: _____

Drive Shoe used ☐ Inside ☐ Outside ☐ None
 Final location of shoe(s) _____

(7) **PERFORATIONS/SCREENS:**
☐ Perforations ☐ Screens Method _____ Material _____

From To	Slot size	Number	Diameter	Tele/pipe size	Casing	Liner
					<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

(8) **WELL TESTS:** Minimum testing time is 1 hour

Yield gal/min	Pump	Flowing	Artesian
	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Temperature of water _____ Degrees C _____ F _____
 Was a water analysis done? ☐ Yes ☐ No By whom _____
 Did any strata contain water not suitable for intended use? ☐ Too little
☐ Salty ☐ Muddy ☐ Odor ☐ Colored ☐ Other _____
 Depth of strata _____

(9) **LOCATION OF WELL** GPS: _____
 Latitude _____ Longitude _____
 Other (legal or locally used documentable location description): _____

(10) **STATIC WATER LEVEL:**
 below land surface: _____ Date _____
 Artesian pressure: _____ PSI _____ Date _____

(11) **WATER BEARING ZONES:**
 Depth at which water was first found _____

From To	Estimated Flow Rate	SWL

(12) **WELL LOG:**
 Ground Elevation _____

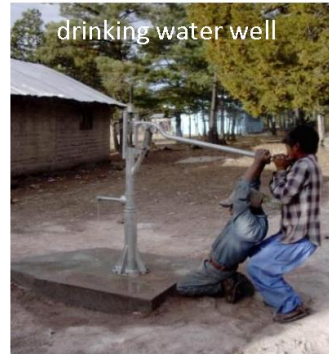
Material	From To	SWL

Date started _____ Completed _____

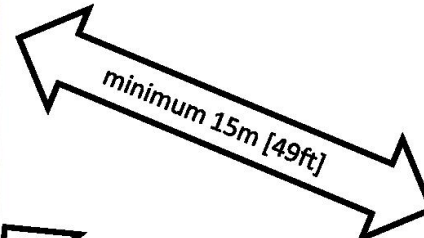
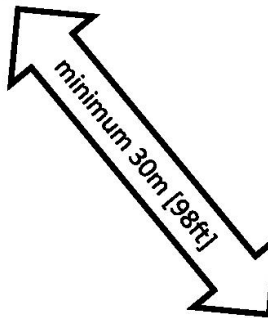
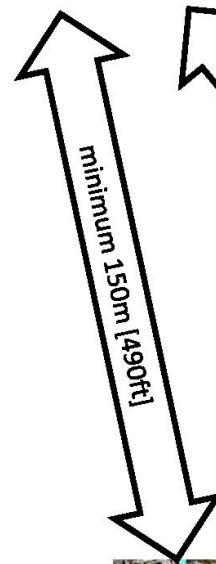
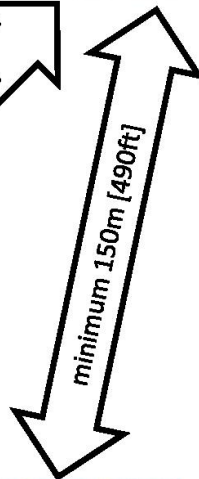
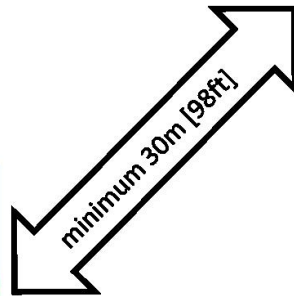
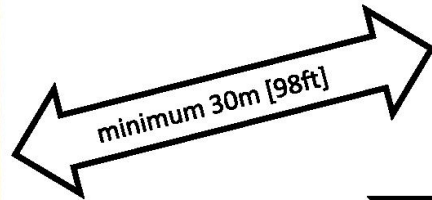
Person or Organization responsible for well's construction:
 Name: _____
 Address: _____
 Phone # _____ E-mail _____

WELL LOCATION

FIGURE 1



WELL SETBACKS



ANNULAR SEAL

- MANDATORY – 1 of 2 (zero e-coli is other)
- Most important component physically incorporated into a well's construction
- Well construction - NOT FOR AMATEURS
- Installation can be very challenging
 - Deep seals (e.g. through shoes)
 - Flowing conditions (whether at surface or not)
 - Removing temporary casing(s)

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☐ Thermal ☐ Injection ☐ Livestock ☐ Other _____

All Depths Are in Meters Feet Below Ground Surface

Depth of Completed Well

HOLE		SEALS			Sacks or pounds
Diameter	From To	Material	From To		

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Liner:					<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
					<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Drive Shoe used ☐ Inside ☐ Outside ☐ None

Final location of shoe(s):

(7) PERFORATIONS/SCREENS:

☐ Perforations Method _____

☐ Screens Type _____ Material _____

From	To	Slot size	Number	Diameter	Tele/pipe size	Casing	Liner
						<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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						<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

(8) WELL TESTS: Minimum testing time is 1 hour

☐ Pump ☐ Bailer ☐ Air ☐ Flowing
☐ Artesian

Yield gal/min	Drawdown	Drill stem at	Time
			1 hr.

Temperature of water _____ Degrees C _____ F _____

Was a water analysis done? ☐ Yes By whom _____

Did any strata contain water not suitable for intended use? ☐ Too little

☐ Salty ☐ Muddy ☐ Odor ☐ Colored ☐ Other

Depth of strata: _____

_____ below land surface. Date _____
Artesian pressure _____ kPa PSI Date _____

(11) WATER BEARING ZONES:

Depth at which water was first found

[illegible]

(12) WELL LOG:

Ground Elevation

[illegible]

Date started	Completed
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Person or Organization responsible for well's construction:

Name: _____

Address

Phone # _____ E-mail _____

DOCUMENTATION SUBMISSION

- Logs (reports) must be a requirement
 - By whoever is funding the project
 - Final payment (retainage) pending submission and approval of completeness and acceptable accuracy.
 - By rule of law
 - Enforced by civil penalty and/or license revocation or suspension - \$ rules
- Storage and retrieval for all, especially:
 - Drillers
 - Hydrogeologists, geologists, scientists & engineers
 - Regulators / government

BENEFITS (Prompted by BIG Q)

- ❖ **Shouldn't a well be constructed asap, even if resources aren't available to properly build it, in order to get some immediate result - e.g. lives saved?**

or...

- ❖ **Won't more lives be compromised as a result of inferior construction?**

Safety & Sustainability will be compromised.

- Adds to 1.8B with fecal contaminated source.
- Safety incident on your watch; how will you cope?

ADD'L RISKS / THOUGHTS re: BIG Q

- Inferior wells require decommissioning or repair at some time in future:
 - \$\$\$ to properly decommission / repair
 - Safety (open boreholes)
- Contamination from GW creates negative perception of the GW resource
 - One chance to make first impression
- Long term aquifer damage
 - GW becomes a problem, not a solution
- Short term solutions are available
 - e.g. ceramic pots, bio-sand filters, etc.

COST-BENEFIT ANALYSIS (CBA) Revelations

- Almost 40x more benefit than cost
If properly constructed, operated, maintained
- ~5X increase in net value with O&M
- Unacceptable: Building wells that will likely produce localized poor water quality – negative NPV (B:C ratio <1)
- 3x-infinity increase in NPV for Proper well v Inferior well

CBA Presumption

(i.e. not specifically analyzed)

UNACCEPTABLE: Well that results in GW contamination or aquifer damage:

- Surface water leaking in
- Commingling
- Uncontrolled artesian

NEGATIVE IMPACTS:

- Reduced large-scale benefits
- Added cost of remediation / mitigation

Such impacts will certainly result in a negative NPV

MAKING AN IMPACT

Estimates for Education & Training (since 2011)

Individuals incorporating all/part of proper well construction, or teaching it to others >100

Wells impacted >10,000

Individuals impacted (initially) >2,500,000

Add'l individuals impacted >5,000,000



SAND TANK MODEL (groundwater flow model)

- Very small scale simulator
- Education & training
- Customizable
- Transportable
- An 'eye-opener'



BEGIN WITH END IN MIND

- FIB free drinking water wells
- Locate, locate, locate
- Document, document, document
- “If we don’t take care of the groundwater, the groundwater won’t take care of us” S³



WATER is LIFE
but it can be
LIFE THREATENING

build **ASSETS**
not **LIABILITIES**