## FREE PRIVATE WELL WATER QUALITY TESTING

**WHAT:** NMED and NMDOH will be offering up to 100 free water tests for private wells serving homes not connected to a public water utility in Mora and surrounding communities.

**WHEN:** Saturday, June 4, 2022 from 8:30AM – 12:00PM

**WHERE:** Mora County Complex

1 Courthouse Dr. Mora, NM 87732



## **HOW TO COLLECT WATER SAMPLE:**

- 1. Fill a clean glass or plastic container without any strong odors, with at least a quart or a liter (i.e. 32 OZ) of your well water.
- 2. If the home has a whole house filtration system, collect the water at the well head prior to any filtration or softener systems if possible.
- 3. Let the water run 2-3 minutes before collecting the sample.
- 4. Collect sample as close to the time of testing as possible.

At the event, we will be collecting information about your well (i.e. well construction information).

Those affected by the fire will have the opportunity to get their water tested for bacteria.



## **TESTS INCLUDE:**

pH, Electrical
Conductivity, Nitrate,
Iron, Sulfate, Fluoride
and Arsenic



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