

# The Door to Door Well Water Tester

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## Water Testing Tricks and Scams Has this happened to you?

In the last few days, Dumpthisdump2 has received many e-mails from residents in the Boundary Rd and Edwards areas who have been approached by a company doing door-to-door well water tests. Residents are confused about this testing and are wondering what this is all about and why this is being done.

If someone comes to your home asking for a well water sample, you should confirm with that representative whether the results will be kept confidential (for your use only) or whether they will be available/shared with others, and also, what company, organization or government is doing the testing. If the representative can't or won't tell you, or if you are not comfortable, you do not need to deal with them.

We recommend that you avoid 'Free' in-Home Water Tests. We believe these tests are being conducted on behalf of Taggart Miller and this information may be used to argue that contamination may already exist in local water sources.

If you are worried about the safety of your drinking water, go to The city of Ottawa. They offer free well water testing.

See

[http://ottawa.ca/en/env\\_water/water\\_sewer/water\\_wells/wells/testing/index.html](http://ottawa.ca/en/env_water/water_sewer/water_wells/wells/testing/index.html)

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