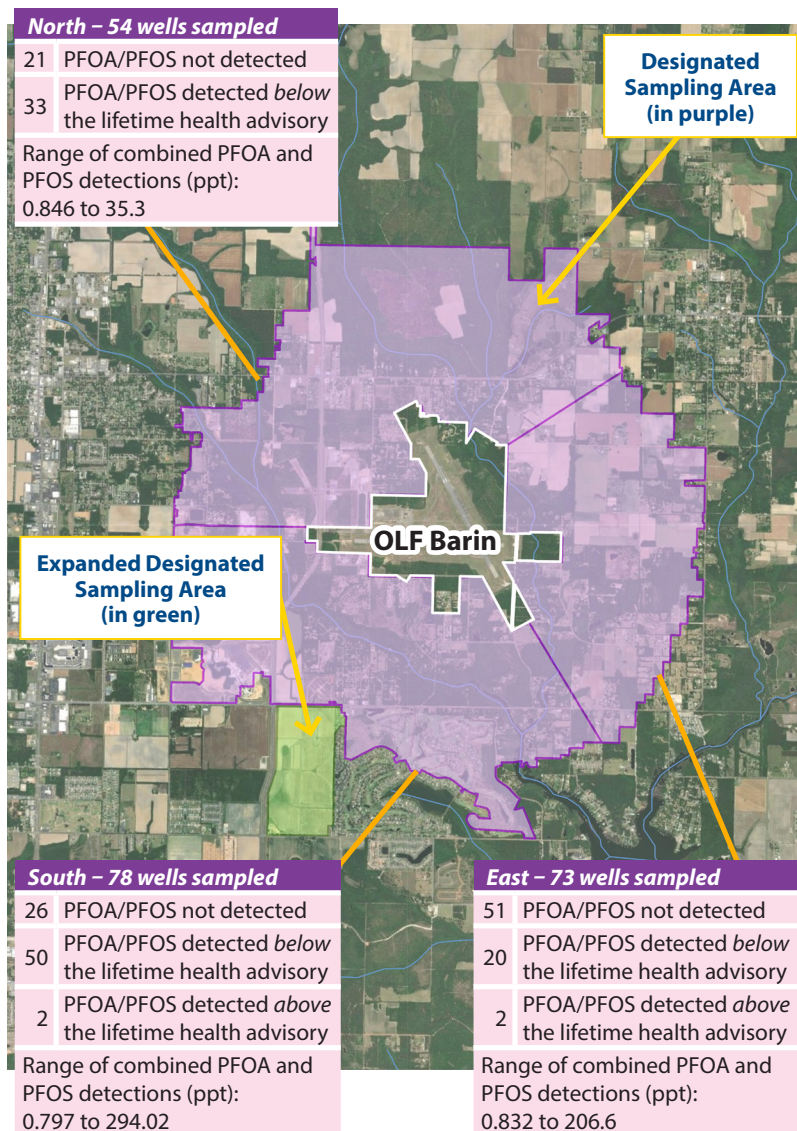




Drinking Water Investigation near Outlying Landing Field Barin

The Navy began a drinking water well investigation near Outlying Landing Field (OLF) Barin, an OLF for Naval Air Station (NAS) Whiting Field, in June 2021. The Navy tested for certain per- and polyfluoroalkyl substances (PFAS), specifically perfluorooctane sulfonate (PFOS) and perfluorooctanoic acid (PFOA), which may be present in these drinking water wells due to past uses on-base of aqueous film-forming foam (AFFF), or other PFAS-containing materials.

The properties with detections of PFOA and/or PFOS above the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency lifetime health advisory of 70 parts per trillion (ppt) have been provided bottled water, and the Navy will continue to provide bottled water until a long-term solution is implemented.



Based on the results, the Navy is expanding the drinking water investigation to the south of OLF Barin in the direction of groundwater flow. The sampling area to the north or east of OLF Barin will not be expanded based on the results to date.

Our records indicate that you are a resident and/or property owner in the sampling area and your drinking water well has been tested.

If you have questions regarding your sampling results, please call 844-NASWFLD (844-627-9353) and leave a message with your name and phone number.

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