Sample date	Per- and polyfluoroalkyl substances (PFAS)	Potomac (ppt)	Patuxent (ppt)	Minimum Reporting Level (ppt)	EPA Health Advisory
January, 2020	NEtFOSAA	not detected	not detected	1.8	n/a ¹
	NMeFOSAA	not detected	not detected	1.8	n/a ¹
	Perfluorobutanesulfonic acid (PFBS)	< 1.8	< 1.8	1.8	n/a ¹
	Perfluorodecanoic acid (PFDA)	not detected	not detected	1.8	n/a ¹
	Perfluorododecanoic acid (PFDoA)	not detected	not detected	1.8	n/a ¹
	Perfluoroheptanoic acid (PFHpA)	< 1.8	< 1.8	1.8	n/a ¹
	Perfluorohexanesulfonic acid (PFHxS)	< 1.8	< 1.8	1.8	n/a ¹
	Perfluorohexanoic acid (PFHxA)	< 1.8	2.2	1.8	n/a ¹
	Perfluorononanoic acid (PFNA)	not detected	not detected	1.8	n/a ¹
	Perfluorooctanesulfonic acid (PFOS)	< 1.8	< 1.8	1.8	70 ppt <sup>2</sup>
	Perfluorooctanoic acid (PFOA)	< 1.8	1.9	1.8	70 ppt <sup>2</sup>
	Perfluorotetradecanoic acid (PFTeDA)	not detected	not detected	1.8	n/a ¹
	Perfluorotridecanoic acid (PFTrDA)	not detected	not detected	1.8	n/a ¹
	Perfluoroundecanoic acid (PFUnA)	not detected	not detected	1.8	n/a ¹
	11Cl-PF3OUdS	not detected	not detected	1.8	n/a ¹
	9CI-PF3ONS	not detected	not detected	1.8	n/a¹
	DONA	not detected	not detected	1.8	n/a¹
	HFPODA	not detected	not detected	1.8	n/a¹

## **Defintions**

ppt = parts per trillion. One part per trillion is equivalent to one drop of water in 20 olympic-sized swimming pools

Minimum Reporting Level: The lowest concentration at which an analyte can be detected in a sample and its concentration can be reported with a reasonable degree of accuracy and precision.

Not Detected: A compound is either not present or present at such low concentrations that it cannot be accurately detected by the analytical method.

## **Footnotes**

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> n/a = not applicable. There are no known health standards for these compounds

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Health advisories are specifically for individual or combined PFOA and PFOS concentrations and do not apply to other PFAS compounds