

DATE: June 13, 2008 Afternoon report
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SUBJECT: Flooding update– Fillmore County

Fillmore County Public Health officially ended taking samples of water to test for nitrates as of Wednesday, June 25, 2008 at 4:30 PM. Bacteria kits will still be available from Fillmore County Public Health for those people with flood water within 50 feet of or covering their well. Non-qualifying residents should contact the Fillmore County Zoning Office to purchase a bacteria kit for a small fee.

Effective June 30 to July 11, the Fillmore County Soil and Water Conservation District will be taking samples from 8:00 to 4:30. Approximately one cup of water should be brought to SWCD in a plastic baggie or glass jar. The Fillmore County SWCD Office is located at 900 Washington Street NW in Preston, MN. Fillmore County residents may call 507-765-3878 Extension 3 for more details.