

Weekly Update
Apalachicola City Water
November 7th, 2025

Progress:

Wells #5 and 7 online. Well #6 is undergoing minor electrical upgrades. When the repairs are completed it will be put back online and work will resume on Well #5.

The aerator/scrubber installation phase continues and is moving along well.

City Water Sample Test Results

- Apalachicola city water quality test results meet state and federal drinking water standards.

- **Daily residual chlorine*** (November 1st through November 7th, 2025):
 - At the plant, levels ranged from 2.65 - 3.51 ppm.
 - At the remote location, levels ranged from 0.30 - 0.51 ppm.

*Residual chlorine is the amount of chlorine that remains in the water after treatment at the drinking water plant. Chlorine reacts with organic material and hydrogen sulfide as it travels down the water distribution system—so chlorine levels decrease with increased distance from the plant. This decrease is normal for every water treatment system. *State regulations say that chlorine levels cannot be above 4 ppm, or below 0.20 ppm. **Levels above 4 ppm exceed the EPA Maximum Contaminant Level (MCL). Levels at or above 0.2 ppm indicate there is enough chlorine to kill bacteria.***