WELL WATER NEWS AND NOTES

IF YOUR FAMILY EVER RELIES ON A PRIVATE WELL FOR YOUR DRINKING WATER, YOU SHOULD KNOW HOW TO PROTECT YOUR WATER QUALITY. YOU NEED TO PLUG ANY ABANDONED WELLS ON YOUR PROPERTY AND GET A PROPER WELL CAP SO CONTAMINATION CAN'T SEEP INTO YOUR WATER. THE WELL CAP SHOULD BE INSTALLED AND MAINTAINED BY A WATER WELL SYSTEM PROFESSIONAL. IT NEEDS A RUBBER SEAL AND MUST BE KEPT BOLTED OR LOCKED. FOR MORE ABOUT SAFE WELLS AND WATER, VISIT THE NATIONAL GROUND WATER ASSOCIATION AT WELL-OWNER--DOT--ORG.