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**PFAS COST RECOVERY PROGRAM URGENT NOTICE
SETTLEMENT APPROVED
CLAIM DEADLINES FOR WATER UTILITIES
FAST APPROACHING
POTENTIALLY \$13.6 BILLION DOLLARS
AVAILABLE FOR PFAS REMEDIATION**

THE IMPORTANCE OF THESE SETTLEMENTS:

Napoli Shkolnik is proud to announce a \$12.5 billion proposed settlement with 3M Company and \$1.185 billion settlement with DuPont in the ongoing Court case over the contamination of drinking water with toxic per- and polyfluoroalkyl substances (“PFAS”).

Napoli has been proud to work with KP Law here in Massachusetts. KP has once again pointed the way to success for their clients.

These settlement agreements will resolve the claims of Public Water Systems across the country that have been impacted by actual or threatened contamination of their water with PFAS and will provide funds for remediation of water supplies saving millions of dollars for ratepayers and taxpayers.

The settlement with 3M alone is the largest drinking water settlement in U.S. history and represents a quarter of 3M’s value.

The Court gave final approval to the \$1.185 billion dollar DuPont settlement on February 2nd. Approval of the \$12.5 billion 3M settlement is anticipated to occur shortly.

WHAT DOES THIS MEAN FOR YOUR WATER UTILITY:

In 2025, EPA will begin enforcing a new Maximum Contaminant Level that many utilities will fail to comply with and be forced to remediate.

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Assuming no appeal, the Court will begin accepting claims on March 13th and continue until May 10th. After this date, the Court **WILL NOT accept** any further claims into the DuPont settlement.

Final action on the 3M settlement is expected shortly. Claim dates in that case will be similar.

URGENT TIME SENSITIVITY - DEADLINE:

The deadline for filing a claim in the DuPont settlement and providing evidence of testing is May 10, 2024.

After this date, no further claims will be accepted into the DuPont settlement.

Even if your utility has no detects at this time, a claim can be made as a placeholder for remediation of future detects. Sign up here:

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Sign up here: <https://www.napolilaw.com/nrwa-pfas>