

## AUGUSTA-RICHMOND CO WS

AUGUSTA, GA | PWSID: GA2450000 | Population served: 204,000  
Based on EPA UCMR 5 testing data (2023-2025) | Report generated April 8, 2026



### PFOS severely exceeds the federal limit at 7.06x the EPA maximum

The EPA set enforceable limits for six PFAS compounds in April 2024. Grade reflects the worst single compound result.

### Findings

Compound	Detected (ppt)	EPA Limit (ppt)	Ratio	Status
PFOS	28.2	4.0	7.06	EXCEEDS
PFOA	26.6	4.0	6.65	EXCEEDS
PFHxS	25.9	10.0	2.59	EXCEEDS
PFHxA	7.9	-	-	No federal limit
PFBS	5.1	-	-	No federal limit
PFPeS	4.8	-	-	No federal limit
PFPeA	3.0	-	-	No federal limit

### What This Means

This water system serves 204,000 residents in AUGUSTA. EPA testing detected 29 PFAS compounds, 3 of which exceed federal drinking water limits. Residents served by this system should consider installing an NSF 53 or NSF 58 certified water filter.

### What You Can Do

- Request your utility's full Consumer Confidence Report (CCR) for additional water quality data
- Consider an NSF 53 (pitcher) or NSF 58 (reverse osmosis) certified filter if PFAS were detected
- Attend your local water board or city council meeting to ask about treatment plans