

1. When you turn on the faucet at your home, where does the water come from?
  - Assabet River
  - Quabbin Reservoir
  - Nagog Pond
  - Private well
  - Public water supply well
  - I don't know
  
2. How do the wells get replenished? (Choose all that apply)
  - Rain
  - Snow
  - Wetlands
  - Septic leaching fields
  - Underground flow from other regions/towns
  - The water has been in the aquifer for centuries.
  
3. How much precipitation do you think falls on Acton each year, on average?
  - about 22 inches (enough to cover a little kid's bicycle)
  - about 36 inches (enough to cover a grocery cart)
  - about 48 inches (enough to cover a hockey net)
  - about 60 inches (enough to cover a sedan car)
  - about 72 inches (enough to cover a minivan)
  - about 96 inches (enough to cover a small U-Haul truck)
  
4. What do climate change models say about future precipitation in our region? (Choose all that apply)
  - more frequent droughts
  - less frequent droughts
  - more frequent torrential rains
  - less frequent torrential rains
  - more snow
  
- 5-A On average, approximately how much water do you use per day?
  - 5 gallons
  - 10 gallons
  - 25 gallons
  - 35 gallons
  - 55 gallons
  
- 5-B. What do you use the most water for? (Pick two)
  - Showering
  - Lawn/garden watering
  - Washing clothes
  - Toilet flushing
  - Drinking water
  - Ice for cocktails

6. For you, what are the most compelling reasons to conserve water? (Select all that apply)

- When humans use less water, that leaves more water for plants and animals.
- Massachusetts government restricts how much groundwater Acton can withdraw.
- Conservation increases Acton's resiliency to deal with dry summers.
- Conservation increases Acton's options for dealing with pollutants, including PFAS.
- Conservation saves money.
- Conservation saves energy.
- Conservation makes Acton more resilient in the face of climate change.
- Conservation by existing users ensures enough water for high priority development such as affordable housing.
- Acton has access to enough water without additional conservation.

7-A. When water goes down the drain at your home, where does it go?

- Private septic system
- Package/cluster treatment system
- Town sewer and town wastewater treatment plant
- Composting toilet
- Other
- I don't know

7-B. If you have a private septic system, when was it last pumped?

- Less than one year ago
- Between one and two years ago
- Between 2 and 4 years ago
- More than 4 years ago
- We have a septic system, but I don't know when it is last pumped.
- We don't have a private septic system.
- I don't know if we have a private septic system.