## **REMOVAL EXPECTATIONS**

Volume Used & Water Quality Dictate Cartridge Life Expectancy				
Cartridge Size	STANDARD	YEARS	HIGH CONTAMINATION	YEARS
10" Negative 2.5" MINI	100,000 GAL	2.75	50,000 GAL	1.5
10" Positive 2.5" MINI	200,000 GAL	5	100,000 GAL	2.75
10" Negative 4.5"	200,000 GAL	2	110,000 GAL	1
10" Positive 4.5"	400,000 GAL	3.75	220,000 GAL	2
20" Negative 4.5"	400,000 GAL	3.75	220,000 GAL	2
20" Positive 4.5"	800,000 GAL	7	440,000 GAL	3.75

✓ Standard US Household uses 75 GAL/PERSON/DAY, Household of 4 equals 300 GAL/DAY or 110,000 GAL/YR

If your household is conventional, it would take you 800,000 gallons to exhaust a 20" Positive cartridge (at least 7 years minimum) and 400,000 gallons to exhaust a 20" Negative cartridge (almost 4 years minimum).

Replacement 10" x 2.5" cartridges \$40 each Replacement 10" x 4.5" cartridges \$75 each Replacement 20" x 4.5" cartridges \$125 each Order as many as you would like in anticipation

These expectations are based on a minimum expected lifespan, most likely will exceed them as complete saturation would allow 0 (zero) water to pass through them. The 2.5" are based on 100 Gallons Per Day Maximum.

## QUICK REFERENCE OF MOST COMMON CONCERNS

POSITIVE (RED) CARTRIDGE NEGATIVE (GREEN) CARTRIDGE

Fluoride Arsenic

Chloride Calcium Magnesium (Hardness)

Nitrate Iron

Phosphate Manganese

Sodium Uranium / Radium / Radon

Sulfur Radon

**PFAS** 

MICROBIOLOGICAL / VIRAL

\*Total Coliform/E.coli Bacteria \*Cholera \*Cryptosporidium \*Cysts

\*Dysentery \*Giardia

These contaminants are removed through particle size, they simply cannot pass through the pore openings, and get trapped within the first inches of either media cartridge.