

From: [Drullinger, Dave \(DEQ\)](#)
To: [Benzie, Richard \(DEQ\)](#)
Subject: RE: Flint Drinking Water
Date: Thursday, January 15, 2015 1:17:19 PM

Ouch! Does that mean there are continued restrictions for the users because the city technically remains out of compliance?

=== Dave

From: Benzie, Richard (DEQ)
Sent: Thursday, January 15, 2015 1:11 PM
To: Drullinger, Dave (DEQ)
Subject: RE: Flint Drinking Water

Yes. The MCL violation is based on a running annual average, so even though the city has made dramatic reductions in their disinfection byproduct levels since the initial high results, it will take a couple of more quarters for them to reduce the running annual average below the MCL at all 8 monitoring sites.

From: Drullinger, Dave (DEQ)
Sent: Thursday, January 15, 2015 12:59 PM
To: Benzie, Richard (DEQ)
Cc: Prysby, Mike (DEQ); Busch, Stephen (DEQ); Rosenthal, Adam (DEQ); Shekter Smith, Liane (DEQ)
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Thanks Richard. I will let your operators know. Do you see this issue continuing for a while?

=== Dave

From: Benzie, Richard (DEQ)
Sent: Thursday, January 15, 2015 12:23 PM
To: Drullinger, Dave (DEQ)
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Mike Prysby first, then Steve Busch, then Adam Rosenthal, all in the Lansing District. Oh, then me or Liane.

From: Drullinger, Dave (DEQ)
Sent: Thursday, January 15, 2015 11:12 AM
To: Benzie, Richard (DEQ)
Subject: Flint Drinking Water

Hi Richard, OEA is getting calls and emails on the Flint drinking water issues. Do you have a contact person on that? Steve Busch?

Thanks.

=== Dave