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Kim,

Per your request, attached are estimated budgets for EBL investigations, toxicology staff support, and printing of materials. Options 1 and 2 are different proposals for hiring EBL investigators. Option 2 requires using private sector firms for the investigations. We have a quote from one by e-mail and another called in a bid. The call was from a new firm and their bid was low enough to cause concern. It was clear they didn't know what they were doing. Option 2 also includes moving one of our enforcement staff to 50% funding with any new supplemental funds to facilitate community work and provide oversight to the work of the private contractors.

We have also budgeted time for toxicology staff (Jennifer Gray) and an environmental health educator (Michelle Bruneau). Both are on federal funds and we found out the funder will not allow us to dedicate their time to Flint because Flint-specific activities are outside the scope of the federal funding objectives. Their work will be critical to this effort.

Option 1 + toxicology + health education + outreach materials = \$ 626,936

Option 2 + toxicology + health education + outreach materials = \$ 441,976

If you have questions please contact me and if I am not available please reach out to Linda Dykema or Wes Priem.

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