

From: [Shekter Smith, Liane \(DEQ\)](#)
To: [Prysby, Mike \(DEQ\)](#)
Cc: [Busch, Stephen \(DEQ\)](#)
Subject: RE: Flint water
Date: Thursday, January 22, 2015 3:29:00 PM

Thanks!

Liane J. Shekter Smith, P.E., Chief
Office of Drinking Water and Municipal Assistance
Michigan Department of Environmental Quality
517-284-6543

From: Prysby, Mike (DEQ)
Sent: Thursday, January 22, 2015 2:12 PM
To: Shekter Smith, Liane (DEQ)
Cc: Busch, Stephen (DEQ)
Subject: Re: Flint water

Liane,
Back in the office and getting ready to make the call, depending on how much information she requests, it may take some time to compile it...

Sent from my iPhone

On Jan 22, 2015, at 2:03 PM, "Shekter Smith, Liane (DEQ)" <SHEKTERL@michigan.gov> wrote:

Mike's voicemail indicates he's in the field today. I left a message for him and one for Steve. Hopefully, one of them will be able to touch base with her.

From: Wurfel, Brad (DEQ)
Sent: Thursday, January 22, 2015 1:59 PM
To: Shekter Smith, Liane (DEQ); Busch, Stephen (DEQ)
Subject: Fwd: Flint water

Help?

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Erb, Robin" <rerb@freepress.com>
Date: January 22, 2015 at 1:34:44 PM EST
To: "Wurfel, Brad (DEQ)" <WurfelB@michigan.gov>
Subject: RE: Flint water

Hmmmm. Not yet.

Desk: 313-222-2708

Cell: 313-378-6007

From: Wurfel, Brad (DEQ) [<mailto:WurfelB@michigan.gov>]

Sent: Thursday, January 22, 2015 1:30 PM

To: Erb, Robin

Subject: Re: Flint water

You get a call?

Sent from my iPhone

On Jan 22, 2015, at 10:40 AM, "Erb, Robin" <rerb@freepress.com> wrote:

Thanks for the time just now; it was nice to speak to you again.

I'd love to connect with Mike as soon as he has a few minutes. I'm also hoping to nail down a timeline for the boil advisories, the dates of the samples that were problematic, when DEQ notified Flint of the exceedance problems, and the dates of meetings that DEQ has had with residents.

My direct line is 313-222-2708. My cell is 313-378-6007.

Again, many thanks.

(And really, I don't think you're crazy to hang out on a slab of ice waiting for fish. Nope, not at all. Weirdo.)

Robin Erb

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