

Rennaker, Joanne (DEQ)

From: Busch, Stephen (DEQ)
Sent: Tuesday, September 01, 2015 4:12 PM
To: Prysby, Mike (DEQ)
Subject: Re: Flint Lead

Please ask brad to respond

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Sent from my iPhone

On Sep 1, 2015, at 3:44 PM, Prysby, Mike (DEQ) <PRYSBYM@michigan.gov> wrote:

Steve,

Ron Fonger left me a voicemail concerning questions he has concerning the lead issue in Flint. Specifically, he is aware of the increased discussion of lead in Flint's drinking water and the home tests recently performed at residents request in corroboration with V Tech and concerned groups. Ron discussed this issue w. Mr. Kroft and has the impression that the DEQ has had discussions with the city about the lead issue; however, Mr. Kroft declined to discuss the issue any further. Mr. Fonger wishes to discuss with the DEQ as to what discussions the DEQ has had with the city concerning the lead issue. Our only discussion (written) that I am aware of...is our 90% PB/CU letter sent to the city and the need for the city to install optimal corrosion control. Should I return his call or pass this on to Brad?

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From: Busch, Stephen (DEQ)
Sent: Friday, January 09, 2015 2:38 PM
To: Howes, Sarah (DEQ); Benzie, Richard (DEQ)
Cc: Prysby, Mike (DEQ); Shekter Smith, Liane (DEQ); Datema, Maggie (DEQ); DEQ-Legislative-Contact
Subject: RE: Flint Legislator Questions

Great! Thanks so much for your help on this.

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From: Howes, Sarah (DEQ)
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Yes, Sen. Ananich and Rep. Phelps both received the advanced notice of the VN. I called Rep. Phelps and Rep. Neeley to let them know that DEQ was unable to attend or participate in the meeting earlier this week due to the short notice, but are happy to in the future.

I also left a message for Sen. Ananich saying that we can come over and brief him on the status and answer any questions. I haven't heard back yet.

Thanks you all for your work on this.
 Sarah

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From: Benzie, Richard (DEQ)
Sent: Friday, January 09, 2015 10:34 AM
To: Busch, Stephen (DEQ); Howes, Sarah (DEQ)
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Steve and Sarah,

I assume he received the advance notice of the violation with the other legislators. We could send him the summary that Mike had prepared and left with Representatives Neeley and Phelps on Tuesday, and offer to meet with him if he still has questions. But I think it would be appropriate for that information to be delivered