

Benzie's questions as the requestor indicated he probably is going to come in and review the records, but you indicated I should not contact the requestor until we receive Mr. Benzie's response.

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From: Benzie, Richard (DEQ)  
Sent: Thursday, November 05, 2015 2:03 PM  
To: Lachance, Amy (DEQ); Busch, Stephen (DEQ); Bloemker, Jon (DEQ); Donaldson, Kristina (DEQ); Thomas, Chuck (DEQ)  
Cc: Philip, Kris (DEQ); Devereaux, Tracy Jo (DEQ); DuMont, Ralph (DEQ); Rennaker, Joanne (DEQ); Peterman, Tammy (DEQ); Einhardt, Nancy (DEQ); Bushong, Kathleen (DEQ); Howell, Sherri (DEQ); Stieb, Melody (DEQ); Walstrom, Kimberly (DEQ)  
Subject: RE: Pb/Cu FOIA

I left another voicemail message earlier today and have just now sent this email hoping to get a response by the end of the week.

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From: Benzie, Richard (DEQ)  
Sent: Tuesday, November 03, 2015 1:41 PM  
To: Lachance, Amy (DEQ); Busch, Stephen (DEQ); Bloemker, Jon (DEQ); Donaldson, Kristina (DEQ); Thomas, Chuck (DEQ)  
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FYI – I left a voicemail message and am awaiting a return call.

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From: Benzie, Richard (DEQ)  
Sent: Monday, November 02, 2015 6:52 PM  
To: Lachance, Amy (DEQ); Busch, Stephen (DEQ); Bloemker, Jon (DEQ); Donaldson, Kristina (DEQ); Thomas, Chuck (DEQ)  
Cc: Philip, Kris (DEQ); Devereaux, Tracy Jo (DEQ); DuMont, Ralph (DEQ); Rennaker, Joanne (DEQ); Peterman, Tammy (DEQ); Einhardt, Nancy (DEQ); Bushong, Kathleen (DEQ); Howell, Sherri (DEQ); Stieb, Melody (DEQ); Walstrom, Kimberly (DEQ)  
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After discussing this matter with Kris Philip and others here in Lansing, I am planning to call Farough & Associates tomorrow to see if they will clarify their request. For those of you that have received this request for a water system in your district, we want to respond consistently. We need to know if they are primarily interested in LCR information, or are they requesting additional compliance data. A broad interpretation of their first bullet could imply they are looking for all correspondence related to compliance with the public water supply program and Act 399. We would also like to know what they mean by "water testing standards and protocols." Is it just water testing protocols, or is it protocols for the PWSS program in general? I will let you know as soon as I get a response.

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From: Lachance, Amy (DEQ)  
Sent: Monday, November 02, 2015 11:03 AM  
To: Benzie, Richard (DEQ)  
Cc: Busch, Stephen (DEQ); Donaldson, Kristina (DEQ); Bloemker, Jon (DEQ); Thomas, Chuck (DEQ)  
Subject: Pb/Cu FOIA

Steve said that around 30 FOIA requests for Pb/Cu information went out from Farough & Assoc. so I assume we all got some except maybe Chuck. Should we just handle individually in our districts and then maybe make an extra copy of whatever is provided? The request was pretty broad, so we will provide all correspondence that relates to Pb/Cu from 2011 through 2015. It doesn't appear that they are requesting actual results though. Just wanted to see if we're all on the same page.

Here's the FOIA: <U:\Transfer\FOIAs\2016FOIAs\0600 thru 0699\0601.pdf>