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Did you see Brad's comments?

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The first bullet opens oddly. "Lead pipes, solder and faucets used to be common." All three of those things are still common. Especially faucets.

I'd suggest having Jason Moon's folks at Lara fact check the second bullet.

Fourth bullet, the actions referenced would actually potentially eliminate lead exposure.

Fifth bullet, new pipes and solder are required to meet EPA's lead free standard. Also, faucets should be on that list.

Ninth bullet could be dropped. Focus on the positive and all.

Fourth bullet under "Learn about Phosphate" reads goofy – 'find how much' could also be 'determine appropriate amounts.' Or this bullet could be dropped, as it is stated much more clearly in the final section at the bottom of the page.

Thanks!
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Attached is the Phosphate Fact Sheet that MDHHS will be distributing to the Genesee County Health Department (GCHD) at their request. We believe this version incorporates all edits received by DEQ and GCHD.

It is our goal to provide this to the GCHD on Friday so please let us know if there are any last minute questions you may have.

Thank you,
Geraldyn

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