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Action Step #3 – preliminary comments on the sampling plan were received today from DHHS.

Action Step #5 – Noncommunity water supply staff provided updated numbers today to the 2004 letter to EPA.

Action Step #6 – Discussions occurred today with the City; disinfection of the transmission main continues. Bacteriological sampling is anticipated to begin Tuesday, 10/13, with a second set of samples to be collected on Wednesday. Assuming the sampling is all non-detect, the pipeline that will provide the city with water from Detroit could be placed into service by this Thursday (the soonest). Other non-regulatory actions may need to be undertaken or completed by the city.

Action Step #15 – Discussion today with MDARD representative regarding sampling for restaurants at their request. MDARD shared a draft of information/guidance that they have prepared to share with restaurants. DEQ will be providing guidance for how to get their water tested.

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Action Step No. 2

E-mail sent to DLARA with draft sampling ID protocol.

E-mail drafted with request for schools to prepare documents/information ahead of DLARA visit and on-site assessment. Waiting for comments.

Action Step No. 6.

Pipeline flushed and first round of samples for bacteriological analysis collected yesterday (4am at mid-point, 7:30am at CS #3 – Flint WTP) were Non-Detect for total coliform.

The second round of samples were collected yesterday evening at mid-point (Genesee County) and late last night at CS #3 (Flint). Results will be available later this evening and read first thing tomorrow morning. If the second set is all clear, the pipeline will be ready to be placed into service (from a technical standpoint). The pipeline; however, will not be placed into service until Flint, Genesee County, and Detroit agree on and establish a service contract.

The Dort Reservoir will not be placed into service (this facility can be by-passed) until the city determines what to do with the 6 Mgal of water (chlorinated at approx. 100 ppm). What they thought was a connection to the sanitary sewer was discovered yesterday to be a connection to the storm sewer.

Action Step #18 Contact KWA regarding bottlenecks in expediting construction of pipeline.

No further updates since my e-mail sent to you earlier today

Action Step #19: Expedite 399 plan for corrosion control

No updates today

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