
From: Busch, Stephen (DEQ)
Sent: Tuesday, July 09, 2013 2:36 PM
To: Prysby, Mike (DEQ)
Cc: Adam Rosenthal (rosenthala@michigan.gov)
Subject: RE: Flint WTP Test Run

Thanks for the update. If possible Liane and I are both interested in observing the softening operation. When you schedule a visit please include us both in the appointment.

You may want to remind them that if they plan to send out water from the plant they will need to provide appropriate water quality monitoring for CCR etc. and they should notify us prior to doing so for approval.

Stephen Busch, P.E.
Lansing and Jackson District Supervisor
Office of Drinking Water and Municipal Assistance
MDEQ
517-643-2314

From: Prysby, Mike (DEQ)
Sent: Tuesday, July 09, 2013 2:31 PM
To: Busch, Stephen (DEQ)
Subject: Flint WTP Test Run

Steve,

I will be conducting Genesee County surveillance visits tomorrow which will include a stop at the Flint WTP to observe the initial phase of their extended treatment plant test run. Based on my discussion with Brent today, the plant test run started yesterday, as planned, and the WTP will be operated this week without softening to verify proper operation of the critical treatment plant components. The WTP is currently operating at a 17.0 MGD rate. I will find out when they plan to initiate softening and, more importantly, whether they intend to send any of the treated water to the distribution system...and...if DWSD is agreeable to this. I will update you concerning the status of the plant test run. I also plan to conduct another visit during the test run while softening is being implemented.

Michael Prysby, P.E.
District Engineer
Office of Drinking Water and Municipal Assistance
517 335-6122