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Subject: RE: ABC12 News Flint water test results comment?

The other issue is they could cherry pick the worst results and throw away anything they think is low. We would need to obtain all results from the lab.

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Do we know whether they were collected at any of the same locations that Flint uses for compliance?

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I would be sure to look into:
Who collected the samples
What sampling protocols were used
Is the lab certified to run this analysis
What lab method was used

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I am in the position to look at these results; however, the validity of the samples may be questionable given they were most likely not collected by Flint operators or in accordance to Flint's Stage 2 DDBP plan. Any professional opinion may need to be carefully worded....

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Mike,

We have just completed our own independent testing of multiple sites within the Flint water system and wonder if you'd be willing to look them over and give us your professional opinion.

I could email you the reports from the testing lab we used.

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