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To: Fiedler, Jay (DHHS)
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Here's my exchange with Joyce.

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To: "Lai, Joyce (DHHS)" <LaiJ@michigan.gov>
Cc: "Schreiber, Scott (DHHS)" <SchreiberS@michigan.gov>
Subject: Re: genesee and emergency declaration

Hi Guys,

I don't have anything written up - been staying away from this issue (kind of outside the CD realm, eh?). Mlive has had some good articles with timelines and actions taken by city/state government and the health department.

When the Hurley Doc released her evaluation of lead data from their clinic evaluations there was an initial response from our environmental health folks that suggested that their data didn't show what Hurley's did. Unfortunately, after paring down MDHHS data to just kids who likely were exposed to Flint drinking water Eden (Wells) was quoted in one article that there indeed was an increase in kids less than 6 after the switch. (You may want to talk with Eden, Joyce - I've only been privy to what is in the news.) The Public Health Emergency was declared after that - (last Thursday).

Honestly, I wouldn't offer too much information on this issue...(That's my 2 cents)

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Hi Tim

As you know, both Scott and I participate in the GLBHI meetings and our next one is coming up tomorrow. Since this Genesee County and Emergency Health Declaration has been very dominate in the national news, I was hoping to get some details from you that I can pass onto the group. If you have a summary or something written up, I can just extract what you want me to from it and tell to the group as well. Thanks!!

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