

Dempkowski, Angela (Treasury)

From: Workman, Wayne (TREASURY)
Sent: Tuesday, January 05, 2016 12:28 PM
To: Byrne, Randall (Treasury); Schafer, Suzanne K. (Treasury); Dempkowski, Angela (Treasury)
Subject: FW: State Treasurer's Flint Letter

FYI

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From: Headen, Frederick (Treasury)
Sent: Tuesday, January 05, 2016 12:20 PM
To: Saxton, Thomas (Treasury) <SaxtonT@michigan.gov>
Cc: Workman, Wayne (TREASURY) <WorkmanW@michigan.gov>
Subject: RE: State Treasurer's Flint Letter

Only U.S. mail at this point. But, I will e-mail a copy this afternoon to the Mayor and City Administrator.

On a related topic, I need to loop in Harvey on the proposed RTAB letter to Flint residents. Everyone (i.e., you, Wayne, Dave Murray) has signed off on the letter, but it was drafted before the Governor named Harvey as the point person for Flint issues.

From: Saxton, Thomas (Treasury)
Sent: Tuesday, January 05, 2016 11:49 AM
To: Headen, Frederick (Treasury) <HeadenF@michigan.gov>
Cc: Workman, Wayne (TREASURY) <WorkmanW@michigan.gov>
Subject: RE: State Treasurer's Flint Letter

Did we send an electronic version of the letter to the Mayor & Natasha ?
If not we should.

From: Headen, Frederick (Treasury)
Sent: Tuesday, January 05, 2016 11:23 AM
To: Hollins, Harvey (GOV) <hollinsh@michigan.gov>
Cc: Saxton, Thomas (Treasury) <SaxtonT@michigan.gov>; Workman, Wayne (TREASURY) <WorkmanW@michigan.gov>
Subject: State Treasurer's Flint Letter

Harvey:

Attached is a copy of the State Treasurer's letter responding to one recently received from the Flint Mayor and City Administrator. It will be posted in today's mail. Thanks.

Fred



STATE OF MICHIGAN
EXECUTIVE OFFICE
LANSING

RICK SNYDER
GOVERNOR

BRIAN CALLEY
LT. GOVERNOR

PROCLAMATION

DECLARATION OF EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, Section 1 of Article V of the Michigan Constitution of 1963 vests the executive power of the state of Michigan in the Governor; and

WHEREAS, under the Emergency Management Act, Act No. 390 of the Public Acts of 1976, as amended, MCL 30.401 to 30.421, the Governor is responsible for coping with dangers to this state or the people of this state presented by a disaster or emergency or threat thereof, and may issue executive orders and proclamations, having the force and effect of law to implement the Act; and

WHEREAS, under Section 3 of the Emergency Management Act, 1976 Public Act 390, MCL 30.403, the Governor shall, by executive order or proclamation, declare a state of emergency if the Governor finds that an emergency has occurred or that the threat of an emergency exists; and

WHEREAS, on April 25, 2014 the City of Flint, Michigan switched from the Detroit water system to the Flint River as a water source, the harmful effects of untreated water struck the city's water infrastructure, causing leaching of lead into the water which caused damage to the water system and potential negative health impacts to the citizens; and

WHEREAS, the area affected includes parts of the City of Flint, within the County of Genesee; and

WHEREAS, the damaged water infrastructure and leaching of lead into the city's water caused damage to public and private water infrastructure, and has either caused or threatened to cause elevated blood lead levels, especially in the population of children and pregnant women, and causing a potential immediate threat to public health and safety and disrupting vital community services; and

WHEREAS, from October 1, 2015 to this date, the County of Genesee and the City of Flint have taken a number of actions to cope with the situation, including but not limited to, switching back to the Detroit water system on October 16th, declaring local states of emergency, activating the emergency response and recovery aspects of their emergency operations plan, marshaling