

October 11, 2018

Cincinnati Public Schools Cynthia Eghbalnia 2651 Burnet Avenue Cincinnati, OH 45219

Sands Montessori Resample

Dear Cynthia:

Samples for one location were collected in a resample round of lead analyses for Sands Montessori. Greater Cincinnati Water Works (GCWW) analyzed the samples and compared the results.

School Sample Results

The USEPA 3Ts for Reducing Lead in Drinking Water in Schools: Revised Technical Guidance Document (3Ts Guidelines) is the process and guidelines used for assisting schools with testing for lead. Results are shown below.

Cincinnati Public Schools - Sands Montessori Lead Testing Results-Resamples					
SAMPLE	Initial 1st Draw sample Date 5/4/18 Lead, ppb	Changes made after first round of sampling	1st Draw sample Date 9/28/18 Lead, ppb	30 second flush sample Date 9/28/18 Lead, ppb	60 second flush sample Date 9/28/18 Lead, ppb
SAM-FL2-2003-SINK-SAM109	18.1	Cleaned aerator; flushed the line	<1	<1	<1

Changes made and Next Steps

After conducting a first round sampling in May 2018, remediations were done, and resamples were collected in September 2018 at one location.

For this location in the resample round, the aerator was cleaned, and the line was flushed with ample water before resampling. This greatly reduced the lead levels at this location; no further action is suggested.





Your work and changes in the school continue to improve the water quality for the students and staff. Your decisions and actions throughout this process speak to your care and commitment to ensure students and staff remain safe and healthy while attending your school.

Our resources are available to assist in many ways. Please contact Jim Nelson at 591-6869 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

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