



Hamilton Township School District

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Dear Hamilton School Community:

We have received the results of the latest water testing and we are able to report that the Hess School now joins the Davies School with all drinking water faucets found to be well under the lead action level (15 $\mu\text{g}/\text{l}$ [ppb]) parameter as established by the US Environmental Protection Agency for lead in drinking water.

However, two water fountains at the Shaner school remain above the action level and require further remediation. The chart below identifies the drinking water fountains and the results of the retest after installation of individual water filters at each affected area.

Location	Second Draw Result in $\mu\text{g}/\text{l}$ (ppb)
Fountain Room 105	16.0 ppb
Fountain Room 107	22.6 ppb

Since our recent remediation efforts have been unsuccessful, we are in discussions with a certified Industrial Hygienist in an effort to implement a more effective action plan. In the meantime, the drinking water fountains will remain shut off and we will continue to provide bottled water to students in the affected areas.

Copies of the test results are available in our central office for inspection by the public and can be viewed between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. The results are also available on our website at www.hamiltonschools.org. For more information about the water quality in our schools, feel free to contact our Business Administrator, Anne-Marie Fala, at our Board of Education Office at 476-6302.

Sincerely,

Frank Vogel,
Superintendent of Schools

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