

MORRISVILLE-EATON CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

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Dear Parents and Community Members:

On September 6, 2016, Governor Cuomo signed legislation to test drinking water in New York State Schools for lead contamination. The new legislation requires all schools be tested by June 30, 2021.

In order to meet this mandate, the Oneida-Herkimer-Madison BOCES Safety Office coordinated an RFP for lead in drinking water testing services. Pace Analytical was awarded the bid and is conducting sampling events at the district. All samples will be sent to Pace Analytical Services, a fully accredited lead sampling lab.

The findings from Pace Analytical showed that there were 148 sampled/ tested and 20 had exceedances that were above the 15 ppb action level.

Below is a list of all locations that were over the allowable limit:

Elementary Building

SAMPLE	LOCATION DESCRIPTION	Ug/L
MEES11	ROOM 5 BATHROOM SINK	15.9
MEES14	ROOM 7 BATHROOM SINK	25.1
MEES20	ROOM 11 BATHROOM SINK	17.4
MEES23	ROOM 13 BATHROOM SINK	28.1
MEES42	ROOM 8 CLASSROOM SINK	15.6
MEES44	ROOM 10 BATHROOM 1 SINK	21.7
MEES45	ROOM 10 BATHROOM 2 SINK	15.5
MEES49	ROOM 12 CLASSROOM SINK	29.1
MEES51	ROOM 14 BATHROOM SINK	279.0
MEES52	ROOM 14 CLASSROOM SINK	21.7
MEES57	BOYS BATHROOM BY COURTYARD SINK #2	19.2
MEES61	LIBRARY SINK	124
MEES68	NURSES OFFICE SINK #2	20.5
MEES79	ROOM 56 CLASSROOM SINK 116	116

Middle School/High School

SAMPLE	LOCATION DESCRIPTION	ug/L
MEM/HS3	KITCHEN EAST WALL SINK #1	15.4
MEM/HS26	BOYS GYM COACH OFFICE SINK	17.3
MEM/HS43	BOYS BATHROOM BY 133 SINK #4	82.5
MEM/HS52	WORK ROOM SINK BETWEEN 114-116	25.0
MEM/HS55	BOYS BATHROOM SCIENCE WING SINK #3	23.9
MEM/HS60	WORK ROOM SINK BETWEEN 120-122	19.4

The district's remediation plan at this time is to: Shut off all drinking fixtures that tested above the action level and to post a sign prohibiting the drinking of water at all fixtures that are impacted by elevated lead level. Further remediation of the fixture may include replacement of the fixture. Fixtures will be tested prior to putting it back into service.

Please contact us for further information, clarification, and assistance.

Sincerely,



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Interim Business Administrator