

January 6, 2017

To:

Scott Loeslie, Superintendent, Barnesville School District

Merlin Strom, Barnesville School District

From: Brad Schmidt, Health and Safety Facilitator

Lakes Country Service Cooperative

Re:

Lead in Water Testing Results

At your request Brad Schmidt, of the Lakes Country Service Cooperative's Health and Safety Department sampled thirteen water fixtures in the Barnesville Elementary school building and seventeen water fixtures at the Barnesville High School building and had each sample tested for lead content.

First draw samples in 250 ml bottles were taken December 27, 2016 from the drinking water sources identified / the district to be tested. The bottles were capped, labeled and sent to the lab for analysis. Stearns DHIA Laboratories in Sauk Centre, Minnesota is certified by the Minnesota Department of Health (#027-145-378).

Results

Please find the laboratory report enclosed. The Environmental Protection Agency action level for lead in drinking water is 20 parts per billion (micrograms per liter, ug/l). When fixtures meet or exceed this level, action must be taken to reduce the lead content.

In the Barnesville Elementary School building no tested water sources exceeded the 20 parts per billion limit.

In the Barnesville High School building no tested water sources exceeded the 20 parts per billion limit.

Lead in Water testing is recommended every five years.

Annual Notification Related to Lead Testing in Water Available for Viewing Upon Request Made To: Supervisor of Buildings and Grounds or **Barnesville Public Schools District Office**