

Attached is information from the Utility regarding sample testing required by the Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) that was shared with the Utility's customers. Please place the attached document in the docket file.

Should you have any questions, regarding this matter, please contact me.

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## **James McRoy**

From: Maurice Gallarda [mgallarda@plurisusa.com]

Sent: Thursday, February 14, 2013 12:10 PM

To: James McRoy

Subject: Monthly Bacteriological Test Results

## Attachments: Wedgefield Customer Information Sheet on Recent Bacteriological Results.pdf

Hello Mr. McRoy,

I am sending you a PDF copy of the monthly customer letter going out to customers today with their bills. The information piece is being sent to all customers letting them know the recent bacteriological test results. We will continue to send periodic information updates to the customers. Sincerely, Maurice Gallarda

## Maurice W. Gallarda, PE

Managing Member and Principal Engineer



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Dear Pluris Wedgefield Customer,

Pluris continues to provide safe drinking water and presented in the following table is a summary of most recent monthly test results by the Florida state certified testing laboratory (Tri-Tech Analytical Laboratories, Inc. in Orlando; Florida Department of Health #E83294). All 8 of the samples passed, coming back absent of any coliform.

Sampling Date	Sampling Point	Bacteriologic Test Result
7-Jan-13	Pluris Well #1	0
7-Jan-13	Pluris Well #2	0
7-Jan-13	2333 Archer Blvd	0
7-Jan-13	2530 Alabaster Avenue	0
8-Jan-13	2654 Abney Avenue	0
8-Jan-13	2873 Glen Elm Way	0
8-Jan-13	3019 Leflore Lane	0
8-Jan-13	2228 Abalone Blvd	0

Two of the samples are from the water wells Pluris receives its water from before entering the water treatment plant and the other six samples are taken from locations selected by Pluris operations staff and approved by the Florida Department of Environmental Protection ("FDEP"). Sample locations are selected and approved by the FDEPto insure a representative sampling within the water distribution system.

In this last sampling, two Wedgefield customers were present for the sampling to observe the FDEP protocol in obtaining the samples including the manifesting (written log from the point of sampling to the laboratory signed by all persons).

Pamela DiMarzio along with Walter Maslowski attended the first sampling conducted on Monday, January 7, 2013 and Walter Maslowski attended the sampling on the second day of sampling on Tuesday January 8, 2013. Mrs. DiMarzio holds a chemical engineering degree and Mr. Maslowski is retired from the Navy. Mr. Maslowski has volunteered to be present for a 6 month period to be present at the monthly sampling.Following the sampling and refrigeration (required while waiting pick up by the laboratory currier) both Mrs. DiMarzio and Mr. Maslowski stated they thought all sampling techniques and procedures were adhered to per the FDEP sampling protocol.

If you would like to observe the monthly sampling along with the comprehensive annual sampling as required by the Pluris Wedgefield Inc. water permit and FDEP rules and regulations, or if you would like a tour of the water and wastewater treatment plants, please email me directly at <u>ikuhns@plurisusa.com</u>.

Lastly, as the current posted Pluris signs reflect - please send in your email address to <u>plurisvbsupdates@plurisusa.com</u> and receive a \$5.00 credit on your next bill after confirming. The email address will be used to keep you informed of utility activities throughout the year.

Sincerely

Joe Kuhns / Pluris Regional Manager

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