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George Peterson Leisure Time Estates Association

Dear Mr. Peterson,

The enclosed analyses of samples of raw pond water were collected on June 15, 2021, from the lakes and ponds within Leisure Time Estates. The samples were analyzed by the Illinois Department of Public Health laboratory in Springfield, IL. The results of the analyses were within acceptable expectations for surface water, especially waters that are receiving treated effluent from private sewage systems.

Even though the samples were within bathing beach standards every individual must continue to maintain their water treatment system and their private sewage disposal system. A sewage treatment system that has failed or is not operating properly will contaminate the pond or lake water. A water treatment system that is not operating properly will not take out even normal surface water level of bacteria. The failure of both or even one of these systems may result in an outbreak of waterborne disease. The potential for an outbreak of waterborne disease occurring in Leisure Time Estates is greater than in the general population because of the lakes being used as both a source of potable water and receiving waters for treated effluent from private sewage disposal systems.

Feel free to contact me at 217-431-2662 ext. 305 should you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Mike Hannan B.S., LEHP Water Program Supervisor



		20.7	(15) Oliver Pond
		11.1	(14) Canal south of 244 Eagle Bluff
		9.9	(13) Lake Charlotte
		16.4	(12) Jean Pond
		_	(11) Jenny Pond
		3.1	(10) Lake Sally
		22.2	(9) Canal Between Brook's & Sally
		7.5	(8) Brook's Lake
		1	(7) Middle Chain of Lakes
		5.3	(6) N. Chain of the Lakes
		3.1	(5) Ann Pond
		3.1	(4) West Matthew Lake
		59.1	(3) N. Lake Florence
		2	(2) S. Lake Florence
		12.4	(1) S. Feather Lake
Raw Water Standard  * ML  * ML  Bathing Beach Standard  * ML  Finished Water Standard  0/100 ML	Raw Water Standard * ML Bathing Beach Standard 500/100 ML Finished Water Standard 0/100 ML	Raw Water Standard  * ML  * ML  Bathing Beach Standard 235/100 ML  Finished Water Standard 0/100 ML	Sample Location
Fecal Strep	Fecal Coli	E.Coli	