

ATTACHMENT 23 – *KALAMAZOO COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT AUGUST 10, 2010 UPDATE*



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Enbridge Oil Spill Update
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Kalamazoo County Health Department
Drinking Water Well Testing Results

The Kalamazoo County Health Department collected 14 water samples from drinking water wells for residents living within 200 feet of the Kalamazoo River along Augusta Drive and Fort Custer Drive east of the Village of Augusta in Ross Township. Drinking water and household water from water wells was not expected to be affected by the spill; however, to alleviate concerns of residents living along the most impacted stretch of the river, water well sampling was conducted. All results indicate no volatile organic contamination. Kalamazoo County will be taking actions as necessary in the future to assure continued safe water for residents.

As always, any well owner should contact the Kalamazoo County Health Department at 269-373-5210 if they observe any change in color, taste or odor from their private drinking water. Municipal water is not affected by the oil.

Several links with new information are available at www.kalcounty.com under the Kalamazoo County Oil Spill Information Icon. All citizens are encouraged to visit this website.

