



UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20460

January 24, 2016

The Honorable Karen Williams Weaver
City of Flint
1101 South Saginaw Street
City Hall
Flint, Michigan 48502

Dear Mayor Weaver:

Thank you for the City's January 22, 2016 letter, which commits to the implementation of measures to protect the City of Flint's drinking water supply as set forth in the Safe Drinking Water Act Emergency Order EPA issued on January 21, 2016. EPA looks forward to working with the City, the State of Michigan (State) and the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality (MDEQ). EPA will meet with the City, the MDEQ and the State during the week of January 25, 2016, to discuss implementation of the Order. At that time, we can discuss the concerns raised in the City's January 22, 2016 letter. However, EPA wants to emphasize the necessity for the City, the MDEQ and the State to immediately commence and continue work to meet the obligations as ordered.

Sincerely,

/s/ Mark Pollins

Mark Pollins
Director
Water Enforcement Division

cc: Cynthia Giles, Assistant Administrator, Office of Enforcement and Compliance Assurance, USEPA
Bill McBride, Director, State of Michigan, Washington Office
Keith Creagh, Director, Michigan Department of Environmental Quality