



# Karns City Area School District

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August 31, 2018

Dear Parents and Guardians:

In accordance with Act 39 of 2018, section 742, we had 10 water samples tested in each of our school buildings. We received results today, which showed elevated levels of lead and copper in a few of the samples. The action limit for lead is 0.015 mg/L and the action limit for copper is 1.3 mg/L. The results have been posted to our website.

The safety and wellbeing of our students and staff is a top priority. The water has been turned off where elevated levels of lead or copper were reported and bottled water is available to our students and staff. We will be flushing pipes and changing fixtures over the weekend.

Additional water quality tests have been ordered for all three of our buildings. We will share the results with you once we have them.

At this time, school will continue to operate on a normal schedule. Thank you for your patience and understanding as we work to resolve this issue.

Sincerely,

Eric D. Ritzert  
Superintendent  
Karns City Area School District