

Gelman - Periodic DEQ Update, MW Installation Update MW-121s & d

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Contractors for PLS are completing the monitoring well installation on Dexter east of M-14. Following is a general description of the lithology. 1,4-dioxane was not detected in any groundwater samples.

1 to 59 feet - silt and fine grained sand
59 to 78 feet - sand and gravel (dry)
78 to 108 feet - sand and gravel (samples from 80, 90 & 100 feet)
108 to 149 feet - silt and fine grained sand
149 to 202 feet - sand and gravel (samples from 150, 160, 170, 180, 190 & 200 feet)
202 to 224 feet - silt and fine grained sand

At 224 feet they were unable to bore any deeper. They could not confirm that bedrock was hit, but believe they did, based on auger refusal and a review of known bedrock depths and topography.

MW-121d has been installed and was screened from 175 to 180 feet. MW-121s will be screened from 90 to 95 feet.

The next drilling location will be on Nancy Drive, south of Jackson Road. It is possible drilling will begin this week, although it could be delayed until after January 1.

For more information on the Gelman site, click on the following link:
http://www.michigan.gov/deq/0,1607,7-135-3311_4109_9846_9847-71595--,00.html

or enter <http://www.michigan.gov/deqrrd>, then scroll to "Contaminated Sites List" and click on "Gelman Sciences, Inc. Site of Contamination".

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