

**Summary of  
Michigan Department of Environmental Quality Actions  
In Response to the  
United States Environmental Protection Agency  
Emergency Administrative Order  
Updated: 5/7/2018**

**EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:**

The United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) Emergency Administrative Order contains 15 overall items to be addressed by the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality (MDEQ). This update includes status only on items for which progress was made in the last week. It is anticipated that the next update to this summary will be provided on Monday, May 15, 2018.

**DETAILED INFORMATION:**

**Paragraph 54: Service line removal**

- As of May 7, 2018, the city of Flint (City) had received and reviewed bids for Phase V service line replacement work and hoped to start work in mid-May 2018, after approval of proposed contractors by City Council.

**Paragraph 55: Land and Copper Rule (LCR) sampling**

- The MDEQ began the final round of compliance sampling for the current reporting period the week of May 7, 2018. Bottles were dropped off on May 7, 2018, and will be picked between May 10 and 12, 2018.

**Paragraph 62: Implement a distribution system water quality optimization plan**

- On March 2, 2018, the City's contractor, Arcadis, submitted to the MDEQ a draft optimization plan. The MDEQ forwarded the draft to the EPA on March 5, 2018. This document was posted on the Web site on May 3, 2018.