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Pall Life Sciences (PLS) began drilling for a new monitoring well (MW-107) at the northeast corner of Allison and Dexter on September 25. Groundwater was encountered from about 82 to 196 feet below ground. Samples were taken at 10 foot intervals from this area. Groundwater was not encountered again until 237 feet, where there was a four foot seam of sand and gravel, from which a sample was taken. Hard drilling began after that and the auger broke and could not be retrieved. The preliminary sampling results (in parts per billion) are as follows:

89-90.5	nd
99-100	9
109-110	57
119-120.5	12
129-130.5	42
139-140.5	7
149-150.5	2
159-160.5	1
169-170.5	1
179-180.5	1
189-190.5	4
239-240.5	2

The driller had additional equipment problems this week and expects to have the drill rig back on Monday to install MW-107 screened between 110 to 115 feet.

When results from the permanent MW-107 are obtained, within the next month, a decision about the next MW in this area will be made. At this time we expect that location to be in the area of Carbeck and Walter, northeast of MW-107.

On October 10 or 11 PLS expects the drill rig to move to Park Lake, about halfway between Jackson Road and Lakeview, on the west side of the street. Additional monitoring wells are expected to be installed after this, but a schedule has not been established.

Previous updates and other details can be found on the DEQ's Gelman website, which can be accessed in two ways:

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".

Please contact me if you have any questions.

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