

**Washington
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Dear Grenloch Terrace Early Childhood Center Community:

Washington Township School district contracted with South Jersey Water Test, LLC of Williamstown, N.J. to conduct the mandated State lead testing of water outlets of schools in our district. These tested outlets included water fountains and sinks throughout the district. Water samples were taken for Grenloch Terrace Early Childhood Center on 3/23/17, analyzed and verified by the laboratory on 3/31/17 and 4/1/17 and received by the District today, 5/10/17. The results for Grenloch Terrace Early Childhood Center reflect that no tests of the 27 samples taken exceeded the US Department of Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) action level of 15ug/l [ppb]. PPB stands for parts per billion. A bubbler is a faucet resembling that of a water fountain attached to a sink. It should be noted the vendor included the tests results for O'Brien Hall, a building at the high school in the report with Grenloch Terrace Early Childhood Center.

The specific results of this extensive testing will be posted to our website.

The EPA's protocol with any outlet that tests lead at or above 15 ppb is to proceed with a flush sample, which we have planned and a follow up report will be shared when this action is completed.

The safety of our students, staff and community members is our utmost priority; therefore, we are responding in a proactive and conservative manner with focus beyond the mandates to ensure such. If you have any questions concerning this matter, please contact Mr. Schoenfeldt our Operations Manager at 856-589-9120.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Joseph N. Bollendorf". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal stroke extending to the right.

Joseph N. Bollendorf
Superintendent of Schools