

October 11, 2022 Diane Czarnecki Industrial Hygienist Facilities Management Division GSA Public Buildings Service – Heartland Region 2300 Main Street Kansas City, MO 64108

Re: Goodfellow Federal Center – Bldg. 107 Drinking Water Sampling Project No. 121244

Dear Ms. Czarnecki:

Thank you for the opportunity to provide the General Services Administration (GSA) with the above referenced environmental sampling activities. The following is our report.

### INTRODUCTION

As requested, Burns & McDonnell conducted drinking water sampling and testing for the presence of lead and copper at Building 107 of the Goodfellow Federal Center located at 4300 Goodfellow Boulevard in St. Louis, Missouri. Sampling was completed in response to the ongoing environmental condition assessment at the Goodfellow Federal Center which is documented at the Goodfellow Federal Center Reading Room located at https://www.gsa.gov/portal/content/212361.

Drinking water sampling was conducted to determine the current levels of lead and copper in representative sources throughout the complex. Drinking water sampling at Bldg. 107 was conducted on September 12, 2022 by Ashley Anstaett of Burns & McDonnell.

### **METHODOLOGY**

The sampling methodology used during this investigation was developed in general accordance with the United States Environmental Protection Agency's (EPA) "Quick Guide to Drinking Water Sample Collection – Second Edition" developed by the EPA Region 8 in September 2016.

Samples were collected as first draw samples in accordance with the Lead and Copper Rule (40 CFR Part 141 Subpart I). First draw samples represent 'worst case' conditions with water that has been stationary within the plumbing systems for a minimum of six hours. The samples were collected in individually labeled 1000 milliliter (mL) plastic bottles capped with Teflon septa lined screw caps. The bottles were filled to the shoulder with water from the sample source. The samples were then placed in a cooler for safe transport. Each sample was acidified at the laboratory as needed.



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Drinking water sampling for the presence of lead and copper was conducted at four (4) distinct locations within Building 107. A total of five (5) samples were obtained including duplicate samples. After each drinking water sample was collected, Burns & McDonnell filled a separate sample cup with approximately 2 inches of water. Burns & McDonnell placed an Oakton EcoTestr pH and temperature meter into the sample cup. After readings stabilized, Burns & McDonnell recorded the readings for pH (the acidity or basicity of an aqueous solution) and the temperature (in degrees Celsius) on site specific sample logs.

Drinking water samples were submitted to Eurofins-Eaton Analytical in South Bend, IN for analyses of lead and copper. Eurofins-Eaton Analytical is certified by the State of Missouri Department of Natural Resources (MDNR) as an approved drinking water laboratory. Eurofins-Eaton Analytical's Missouri Certification number is 880.

The drinking water samples were collected using media supplied by Eurofins-Eaton Analytical. Lead and Copper samples were collected and analyzed in accordance with EPA Method 200.8.

### RESULTS AND DISCUSSION

The results for the subject testing are summarized in the table below.

Analysis	Lowest Concentration <sup>(a)</sup>	Highest Concentration <sup>(a)</sup>	Action Level <sup>(b)</sup>
Lead	<0.5 μg/L	0.9 μg/L	15 μg/L
Copper	$10  \mu g/L$	17 μg/L	1300 μg/L

#### Notes:

- (a) Samples with a "<" sign indicate that the results were below the reportable limit.
- (b) As per EPA Lead and Copper Rule (40 CFR Part 141 Subpart I).
- (c) μg/L micrograms per liter

No samples resulted in lead or copper concentrations over the action levels.

A summary table of all sampling results by location is included in Appendix A. The complete laboratory report for the drinking water sampling from Eurofins-Eaton Analytical is attached in Appendix B.

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Normal pH levels for drinking water are between 6.0 to 8.5. Water with a pH < 6.5 is considered acidic, soft, and corrosive. Acidic water may contain metal ions, may cause premature damage to metal piping, and increases the likelihood of leaching. Water with a pH > 8.5 is considered alkaline or basic and can indicate that the water is hard. Hard water does not pose a health risk



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but can cause aesthetic problems. These problems include an alkali taste, the formation of scale deposits, and difficulty in getting soaps and detergents to lather.

Recorded pH levels in Building 107 ranged from 7.20 to 10.00 indicating the drinking water is slightly alkaline.

### **LIMITATIONS**

The scope of this assessment was limited in nature. Burns & McDonnell collected samples from a select number of drinking water sources in an effort to minimize cost while providing a general overview of the drinking water quality at the site. Sample locations do not encompass every drinking water source at the Site. Additionally, samples were only analyzed for a select number of potential contaminants likely to affect the drinking water quality at the site. Burns & McDonnell is not responsible for potential contaminants not identified in this report.

Burns & McDonnell appreciates the opportunity to work with the GSA on this project. Please contact us if you have any questions regarding this report or if we may be of any additional service.

### Sincerely,



Matt Shanahan, CHMM Project Manager

### Attachments:

Appendix A - Results Summary by Location Appendix B - Water Sample Laboratory Report



# Appendix A

# **Results Summary by Location**

Sample Number	Location	рН	Temp (°C)	Water Source	Analyte	Result	Units	Above / Below	AL
107-DW-01	1st floor, room 106, kitchen	9.8	25.2	Sink	Copper	11	μg/L	Below	1300
107-DW-01	1st floor, room 106, kitchen	9.8	25.2	Sink	Lead	0.92	μg/L	Below	15
107-DW-02	Duplicate of 107-DW-01	9.8	25.2	Sink D	Copper	13	μg/L	Below	1300
107-DW-02	Duplicate of 107-DW-01	9.8	25.2	Sink D	Lead	0.80	μg/L	Below	15
107-DW-03	1st floor, south lobby, bottle filler	9.9	19.0	DF	Copper	13	μg/L	Below	1300
107-DW-03	1st floor, south lobby, bottle filler	9.9	19.0	DF	Lead	< 0.50	μg/L	Below	15
107-DW-04	1st floor, south lobby	10.0	18.0	DF	Copper	10	μg/L	Below	1300
107-DW-04	1st floor, south lobby	10.0	18.0	DF	Lead	< 0.50	μg/L	Below	15
107-DW-05	1st floor, room 106, refrigerator	7.2	24.7	Refrig.	Copper	17	μg/L	Below	1300
107-DW-05	1st floor, room 106, refrigerator	7.2	24.7	Refrig.	Lead	< 0.50	μg/L	Below	15

### Notes:

DF - Drinking Fountain

D - Duplicate

AL - Action Level

μg/L - micrograms per liter



# **Environment Testing America**

# **ANALYTICAL REPORT**

Eurofins Eaton South Bend 110 S Hill Street South Bend, IN 46617 Tel: (574)233-4777

Laboratory Job ID: 810-37077-1

Client Project/Site: Burns & McDonnell

### For:

Burns & McDonnell 425 South Woods Mill Road Chesterfield, Missouri 63017

Attn: Mr. Matt Shanahan



Authorized for release by: 9/20/2022 7:34:57 AM

Amanda Scott, Project Manager (574)233-4777

Amanda.Scott@et.eurofinsus.com

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This report has been electronically signed and authorized by the signatory. Electronic signature is intended to be the legally binding equivalent of a traditionally handwritten signature.

Results relate only to the items tested and the sample(s) as received by the laboratory.

Laboratory Job ID: 810-37077-1

Client: Burns & McDonnell Project/Site: Burns & McDonnell

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## **Definitions/Glossary**

Client: Burns & McDonnell

Project/Site: Burns & McDonnell

Job ID: 810-37077-1

**Glossary** 

Abbreviation	These commonly used abbreviations may or may not be present in this report.
¤	Listed under the "D" column to designate that the result is reported on a dry weight basis
%R	Percent Recovery
CFL	Contains Free Liquid
CFU	Colony Forming Unit
CNF	Contains No Free Liquid
DER	Duplicate Error Ratio (normalized absolute difference)
Dil Fac	Dilution Factor
DL	Detection Limit (DoD/DOE)
DL, RA, RE, IN	Indicates a Dilution, Re-analysis, Re-extraction, or additional Initial metals/anion analysis of the sample
DLC	Decision Level Concentration (Radiochemistry)
EDL	Estimated Detection Limit (Dioxin)

EDL Estimated Detection Limit (Dioxin)

LOD Limit of Detection (DoD/DOE)

LOQ Limit of Quantitation (DoD/DOE)

MCL EPA recommended "Maximum Contaminant Level"

MDA Minimum Detectable Activity (Radiochemistry)

MDC Minimum Detectable Concentration (Radiochemistry)

MDL Method Detection Limit
ML Minimum Level (Dioxin)
MPN Most Probable Number
MQL Method Quantitation Limit

NC Not Calculated

ND Not Detected at the reporting limit (or MDL or EDL if shown)

 NEG
 Negative / Absent

 POS
 Positive / Present

 PQL
 Practical Quantitation Limit

PRES Presumptive
QC Quality Control

RER Relative Error Ratio (Radiochemistry)

RL Reporting Limit or Requested Limit (Radiochemistry)

RPD Relative Percent Difference, a measure of the relative difference between two points

TEF Toxicity Equivalent Factor (Dioxin)
TEQ Toxicity Equivalent Quotient (Dioxin)

TNTC Too Numerous To Count

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### **Case Narrative**

Client: Burns & McDonnell

Job ID: 810-37077-1

Project/Site: Burns & McDonnell

Job ID: 810-37077-1

**Laboratory: Eurofins Eaton South Bend** 

Narrative

Job Narrative 810-37077-1

### Receipt

The samples were received on 9/13/2022 10:00 AM. Unless otherwise noted below, the samples arrived in good condition, and, where required, properly preserved and on ice.

#### Metals

No additional analytical or quality issues were noted, other than those described above or in the Definitions/ Glossary page.

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### **Client Sample Results**

Client: Burns & McDonnell Project/Site: Burns & McDonnell Job ID: 810-37077-1

Client Sample ID: 107-DW-01 Date Collected: 09/12/22 04:53

Lab Sample ID: 810-37077-1

Date Received: 09/13/22 10:00

**Matrix: Drinking Water** 

Method: 200.8 - Metals (ICP/MS) Analyte Result Qualifier RL Unit D Prepared Analyzed Dil Fac 0.50 ug/L 09/19/22 18:16 Lead 0.92 09/19/22 18:16 1.0 ug/L Copper 11

Lab Sample ID: 810-37077-2

Client Sample ID: 107-DW-02 Date Collected: 09/12/22 04:53 **Matrix: Drinking Water** 

Date Received: 09/13/22 10:00

Method: 200.8 - Metals (ICP/MS) Analyte Dil Fac Result Qualifier RL Unit D Prepared Analyzed ug/L 0.50 09/19/22 18:18 Lead 0.80 Copper 13 1.0 ug/L 09/19/22 18:18

Client Sample ID: 107-DW-03 Lab Sample ID: 810-37077-3

Date Collected: 09/12/22 04:57 **Matrix: Drinking Water** 

Date Received: 09/13/22 10:00

Method: 200.8 - Metals (ICP/MS) Analyte Result Qualifier RL Unit D Prepared Analyzed Dil Fac Lead <0.50 0.50 09/19/22 18:21 ug/L 09/19/22 18:21 Copper 13 1.0 ug/L

Client Sample ID: 107-DW-04 Lab Sample ID: 810-37077-4

Date Collected: 09/12/22 05:00

Date Received: 09/13/22 10:00

**Matrix: Drinking Water** 

**Matrix: Drinking Water** 

Method: 200.8 - Metals (ICP/MS) RL Unit Analyte Result Qualifier D Prepared Analyzed Dil Fac Lead < 0.50 0.50 ug/L 09/19/22 18:24 Copper 10 1.0 ug/L 09/19/22 18:24

Client Sample ID: 107-DW-05 Lab Sample ID: 810-37077-5

Date Collected: 09/12/22 05:05

Date Received: 09/13/22 10:00

Method: 200.8 - Metals (ICP/MS) Analyte Result Qualifier RL Unit D Dil Fac Prepared Analyzed <0.50 0.50 09/19/22 19:20 Lead ug/L 1.0 09/19/22 19:20 Copper 17 ug/L

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Client: Burns & McDonnell Project/Site: Burns & McDonnell

Client Sample ID: 107-DW-01

Lab Sample ID: 810-37077-1

Job ID: 810-37077-1

**Matrix: Drinking Water** 

Date Collected: 09/12/22 04:53 Date Received: 09/13/22 10:00

	Batch	Batch		Dilution	Batch			Prepared
Prep Type	Туре	Method	Run	Factor	Number	Analyst	Lab	or Analyzed
Total/NA	Analysis	200.8		1	32266	NB	EA SB	09/19/22 18:16

Client Sample ID: 107-DW-02 Lab Sample ID: 810-37077-2

**Matrix: Drinking Water** 

Date Collected: 09/12/22 04:53 Date Received: 09/13/22 10:00

Batch Batch Dilution Prepared Batch Method or Analyzed Prep Type Type Run Factor **Number Analyst** Lab 09/19/22 18:18 Total/NA Analysis 200.8 32266 NB EA SB

Client Sample ID: 107-DW-03 Lab Sample ID: 810-37077-3

Date Collected: 09/12/22 04:57 **Matrix: Drinking Water** 

Date Received: 09/13/22 10:00

Dilution Batch Batch Batch Prepared Prep Type Туре Method Run Factor **Number Analyst** Lab or Analyzed 09/19/22 18:21 Total/NA Analysis 200.8 32266 NB EA SB

Client Sample ID: 107-DW-04 Lab Sample ID: 810-37077-4

Date Collected: 09/12/22 05:00 **Matrix: Drinking Water** 

Date Received: 09/13/22 10:00

Dilution Batch Batch Batch Prepared Method Prep Type Type Run Factor **Number Analyst** Lab or Analyzed EA SB 09/19/22 18:24 Total/NA Analysis 200.8 32266 NB

Client Sample ID: 107-DW-05 Lab Sample ID: 810-37077-5

Date Collected: 09/12/22 05:05 **Matrix: Drinking Water** 

Date Received: 09/13/22 10:00

	Batch	Batch		Dilution	Batch			Prepared
Prep Type	Туре	Method	Run	Factor	Number	Analyst	Lab	or Analyzed
Total/NA	Analysis	200.8		1	32266	NB	EA SB	09/19/22 19:20

EA SB = Eurofins Eaton South Bend, 110 S Hill Street, South Bend, IN 46617, TEL (574)233-4777

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# **Accreditation/Certification Summary**

Client: Burns & McDonnell
Project/Site: Burns & McDonnell
Job ID: 810-37077-1

### **Laboratory: Eurofins Eaton South Bend**

The accreditations/certifications listed below are applicable to this report.

Authority	Program	Identification Number	Expiration Date
Missouri	State	880	09-30-24

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# **Method Summary**

Client: Burns & McDonnell Project/Site: Burns & McDonnell Job ID: 810-37077-1

Method	Method Description	Protocol	Laboratory
200.8	Metals (ICP/MS)	EPA	EA SB

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### Protocol References:

EPA = US Environmental Protection Agency

### Laboratory References:

EA SB = Eurofins Eaton South Bend, 110 S Hill Street, South Bend, IN 46617, TEL (574)233-4777

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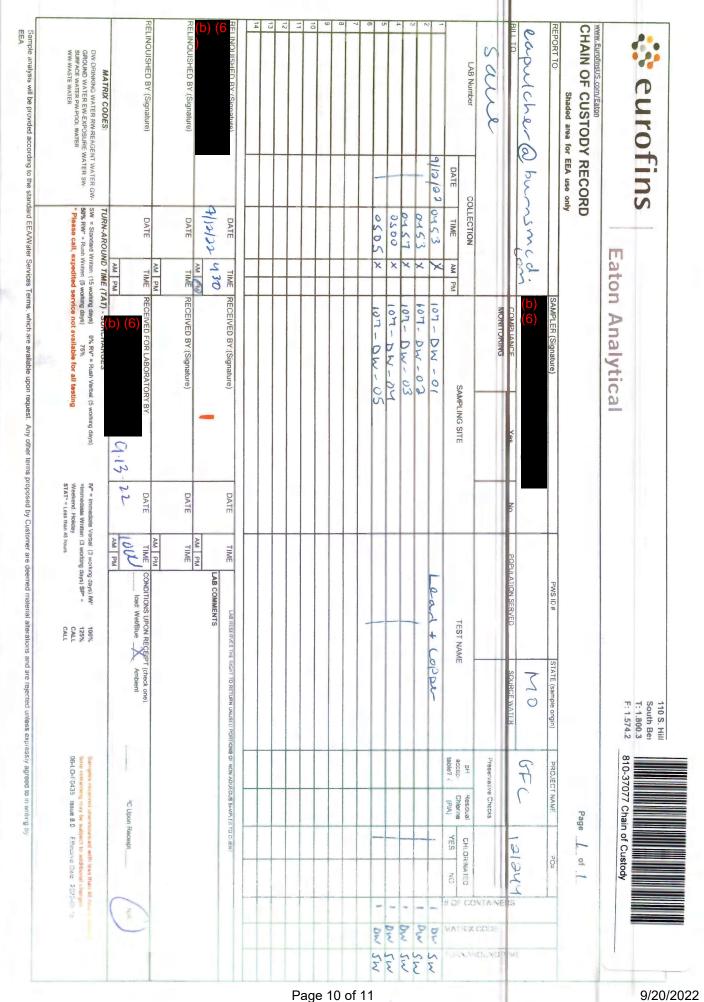
# **Sample Summary**

Client: Burns & McDonnell

Project/Site: Burns & McDonnell

Job ID: 810-37077-1

Lab Sample ID	Client Sample ID	Matrix	Collected	Received
810-37077-1	107-DW-01	Drinking Water	09/12/22 04:53	09/13/22 10:00
810-37077-2	107-DW-02	Drinking Water	09/12/22 04:53	09/13/22 10:00
810-37077-3	107-DW-03	Drinking Water	09/12/22 04:57	09/13/22 10:00
810-37077-4	107-DW-04	Drinking Water	09/12/22 05:00	09/13/22 10:00
810-37077-5	107-DW-05	Drinking Water	09/12/22 05:05	09/13/22 10:00



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## **Login Sample Receipt Checklist**

Client: Burns & McDonnell Job Number: 810-37077-1

Login Number: 37077 List Source: Eurofins Eaton South Bend

List Number: 1

Creator: DePriest, Kellie

Question	Answer	Comment
The cooler's custody seal, if present, is intact.	True	
Sample custody seals, if present, are intact.	True	
Samples were received on ice.	False	Thermal preservation not required.
Cooler Temperature is acceptable.	True	
Cooler Temperature is recorded.	False	Thermal preservation not required.
COC is present.	True	
COC is filled out in ink and legible.	True	
COC is filled out with all pertinent information.	True	
There are no discrepancies between the containers received and the COC.	True	
Samples are received within Holding Time (excluding tests with immediate HTs)	True	
Sample containers have legible labels.	True	
Containers are not broken or leaking.	True	
Sample collection date/times are provided.	True	
There is sufficient vol. for all requested analyses, incl. any requested MS/MSDs	True	
Containers requiring zero headspace have no headspace or bubble is <6mm (1/4").	True	
Samples do not require splitting or compositing.	True	
Container provided by EEA	True	