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St. Croix Lead/Copper Water Update

Water Sampling Results

Resampling was conducted and the initial results EPA and the USVI government are advising residents to **not** consume this water, including drinking or cooking. EPA guidelines advise, residents can still bathe, launder, and clean with the water.

What have been the immediate next steps?

In addition to the flushing in the areas impacted by lead and copper, DPNR sampled schools and housing communities, and resampled the previously tested areas in collaboration with WAPA. WAPA is also reviewing historical data to help determine the source of the lead/copper. In addition, WAPA is doing exploratory digging at various sites to investigate the source.

For more information on the sampling, scan the QR Code below:



Testing for lead exposure is available at the Clinical Laboratory Inc. at Sunny Isle Medical Center.

Hotlines are available Mon-Fri from 8am-5pm. DOH Hotline for health related inquiries to lead and lead testing: **340-712-6299** and **340-776-1519**. DPNR hotline number: **340-514-3666**.



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