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LAKE NEWPORT Week 11 Results (sampled 10/7/15)

The Mahoning County District Board of Health has sampled and received results from the testing of Lake Newport. Samples were collected from the three original testing locations and the six additional exploratory sites throughout the Mill Creek Park Watershed. “The collection on Wednesday was for the normal weekly sampling and the levels of E. coli have declined following Monday’s sampling which took place 48 hours after a rainfall event. The testing program will continue through the week of October 12th, 2015 and the results will then be examined in order to look for potential problem areas as well as trends or relationships between weather and the levels of E. coli in Lake Newport.” said Ryan Tekac, Director of Environmental Health for the Mahoning County District Board of Health.

Wednesday (10/7/15) Results	
Sample Location	E. coli cfu/100ml
Boathouse (North) Sample 1	400
Boathouse (North) Sample 2	100
Bridge (South) Sample 1	400
Bridge (South) Sample 2	200
Boat Launch (Middle) Sample 1	500
Boat Launch (Middle) Sample 2	400
Wetland Bridge (Smythe Island) Sample 1	400
Wetland Bridge (Smythe Island) Sample 2	500
Indian Run (224) Sample 1	1400
Indian Run (224) Sample 2	2000
State Route 224 Walking Path Sample 1	100
State Route 224 Walking Path Sample 2	100
Old Calla Road Sample 1	500
Old Calla Road Sample 2	200
Shields Rd Bridge (Cranberry run)	500
Shields Rd Bridge (Cranberry run)	500
Anderson Run	1400
Anderson Run	700

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