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LAKE NEWPORT Week 10 Results (sampled 9/30/15)

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 results from all 9 samples were elevated for E coli with 7 of the 9 samples all reading greater than 2420. The sampling will continue through the week of October 12th, 2015 and the data will then be analyzed in order to look for potential problem areas as well as trends or correlations 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.

Monday (9/30/15) Results	
Sample Location	E. coli cfu/100ml
Boathouse (North) Sample 1	630
Boathouse (North) Sample 2	1090
Bridge (South) Sample 1	>2420
Bridge (South) Sample 2	>2420
Boat Launch (Middle) Sample 1	1000
Boat Launch (Middle) Sample 2	800
Wetland Bridge (Smythe Island) Sample 1	>2420
Wetland Bridge (Smythe Island) Sample 2	>2420
Indian Run (224) Sample 1	>2420
Indian Run (224) Sample 2	>2420
State Route 224 Walking Path Sample 1	>2420
State Route 224 Walking Path Sample 2	>2420
Old Calla Road Sample 1	>2420
Old Calla Road Sample 2	>2420
Shields Rd Bridge (Cranberry run)	>2420
Shields Rd Bridge (Cranberry run)	>2420
Anderson Run	>2420
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