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LAKE NEWPORT Week 11 Results (sampled 10/5/15)

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 sampling on Monday was for the collection of data 24-48 hours after a significant rainfall event, in this case 48 hours. The sampling will continue through the week of October 12th, 2015 and the results 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 (10/5/15) Results	
Sample Location	E. coli cfu/100ml
Boathouse (North) Sample 1	>2420
Boathouse (North) Sample 2	>2420
Bridge (South) Sample 1	700
Bridge (South) Sample 2	1400
Boat Launch (Middle) Sample 1	1800
Boat Launch (Middle) Sample 2	3300
Wetland Bridge (Smythe Island) Sample 1	1000
Wetland Bridge (Smythe Island) Sample 2	600
Indian Run (224) Sample 1	1500
Indian Run (224) Sample 2	1300
State Route 224 Walking Path Sample 1	1000
State Route 224 Walking Path Sample 2	700
Old Calla Road Sample 1	>2420
Old Calla Road Sample 2	>2420
Shields Rd Bridge (Cranberry run)	1800
Shields Rd Bridge (Cranberry run)	1400
Anderson Run	1000
Anderson Run	900

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