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Indiana American Water - Merom
Attn: Ms. Christina Gosnell
153 North Emerson Avenue
Greenwood, IN 46143

Re: Disinfection Byproduct Monitoring
Updated Compliance Monitoring Plan
Drinking Water Branch – Compliance
PWSID IN5277005

Dear Ms. Gosnell:

Pursuant to 327 IAC 8-2.5-13(b)(3), IDEM is providing an updated compliance monitoring plan under the Stage 2 Disinfectants and Disinfection Byproducts Rule. Your water system will still be required to monitor during your peak historical month every 3 years. The updated compliance monitoring plan will take effect in 2024.

Your future monitoring schedule is as follows:

Year (every 3 years)	Sample Month
2024	8/1-8/31
2027	8/1-8/31
2030	8/1-8/31
etc.	8/1-8/31

Although you have until the last day of your scheduled month to collect these samples, there is also a requirement that the results be uploaded by your laboratory to IDEM by the 10th of the following month. Between when you collect your samples and when your laboratory can upload them, the lab needs to: receive your samples, prep the samples, analyze the samples, review the results for quality control, and upload them to IDEM. The earlier in the month that you collect the samples, the less likely you will be assessed a reporting violation for the results not getting to IDEM by the 10th of the following month.



Your Disinfection Byproduct sampling locations are as follows:

Site ID	Address/Location	Samples to Collect
<i>HAA-1</i>	2ND AND MARKET TANK	TTHM
<i>THM-1</i>	2110 S 3RD ST - MELEAH'S CAFE	TOTAL HALOACETIC ACIDS (HAA5)

Your first set of samples under this new compliance monitoring plan are due 8/1/24-8/31/24 and are due every 3 years during the peak historical month.

Please contact your laboratory to inform them of this schedule change. This will ensure that the TTHM and HAA5 bottles are delivered to you so that the samples can be collected in a timely manner. If you have any questions, please contact Peter Poon at (317) 234-7441 or ppoon@idem.in.gov.

Sincerely,



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cc: Lucio Ternieden, Field Inspection Section
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