


INTEROFFICE CORRESPONDENCE  
Los Angeles Unified School District  
Office of Environmental Health and Safety

**TO:** Esther Gillis, Principal  
Calabash Charter Academy

**DATE:** January 27, 2016

**FROM:**  Robert Laughton, Director  
Office of Environmental Health and Safety

**SUBJECT: NOTICE OF EXEMPTION FROM DAILY DRINKING WATER  
FLUSHING REQUIREMENTS**

The Office of Environmental Health and Safety (OEHS) has conducted an evaluation of sampling data at Calabash Charter Academy as requested by the Facilities Services Division (FSD). OEHS has determined that lead levels are below the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency's and the District's thresholds for lead in drinking water. As such, daily flushing activities at Calabash Charter Academy may cease.

Quality assurance/control sampling will be randomly conducted at school sites and if necessary, corrective measures will be implemented. If it is determined that daily flushing is then required, you will be notified in writing.

Please post this notice in a place appropriate for public viewing. If you should have any questions or need assistance, do not hesitate to contact our office at (213) 241-3199.

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