



**STATEMENT: Update on Oakland County transmission main work progress
October 26, 2017**

Although the Great Lakes Water Authority (GLWA) made great progress in the repair of the 48-inch transmission main yesterday with the installation of the new sections of pipe, during pressure testing late last evening a leak was discovered. The repair of this leak has now been completed, and work continues in earnest to restore service to the impacted communities. We anticipate with the main going back in service at some point today, pressures will be restored throughout the impacted area.

As a result, the overall timeline for the lifting of the boil water advisory for the GLWA system has shifted. The revised timeframe is dependent on pressure and water quality testing that will begin today and continue into the weekend.

GLWA apologizes for the continued inconvenience this situation is creating for the residents of the impacted communities. We will continue to provide updates as they become available.