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Division of Water Resources

Emails Verifying Types of Fluoride Used in Shelby County Tennessee.

From: Lesa Byrum

Sent: Tuesday, May 31, 2016 11:49 AM

To: David Money

Subject: question about types of fluoride used at water treatment facilities

Good morning David,

I hope this email finds you doing well and having enjoyed a fun long weekend!

I have been charged with finding out what type of fluoride is being used to fluoridate water in some of the Shelby County water treatment facilities. Will it be best for me to call each one individually or is this something you may be able to assist me with?

Thank you,



Lesla Byrum, RDH, BS | Administrative Assistant

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From: David Money
Sent: Tuesday, May 31, 2016 12:20 PM
To: Lesa Byrum
Cc: Anna R. Sartors
Subject: RE: question about types of fluoride used at water treatment facilities

Lesa,

We don't have the actual type of fluoride used in our databases. Each facility would need to be contacted. Is this a request by Mrs. Joyce Henderson?



David Money

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From: Lesa Byrum
Sent: Tuesday, May 31, 2016 12:21 PM
To: David Money
Subject: RE: question about types of fluoride used at water treatment facilities

Yes it is. Have you already replied to her?

From: David Money
Sent: Tuesday, May 31, 2016 12:23 PM
To: Lesa Byrum
Cc: Anna R. Sartors
Subject: RE: question about types of fluoride used at water treatment facilities

No. it has been low priority for me . Let me call them now. I'll get back with you in few.

From: Lesa Byrum
Sent: Tuesday, May 31, 2016 12:28 PM
To: David Money
Subject: RE: question about types of fluoride used at water treatment facilities

Dr. Fairrow had asked me to get the information from each of the following utilities:

Memphis
Germantown
Millington
Collierville
Bartlett
Binghamton

Are you going to be getting this information on each of these?

From: David Money
Sent: Tuesday, May 31, 2016 1:01 PM
To: Lesa Byrum
Cc: Anna R. Sartors
Subject: RE: question about types of fluoride used at water treatment facilities

Yes, Almost complete. Waiting on Bartlett to call back.

From: Lesa Byrum
Sent: Tuesday, May 31, 2016 1:07 PM
To: David Money
Subject: RE: question about types of fluoride used at water treatment facilities

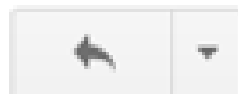
Okay. Thank you for doing that...you moved through it quicker than I could have...I was just getting the numbers together.

Will you please copy Dr. Fairrow on the list when you send it?

Thank you David!

David Money <David.Money@tn.gov>

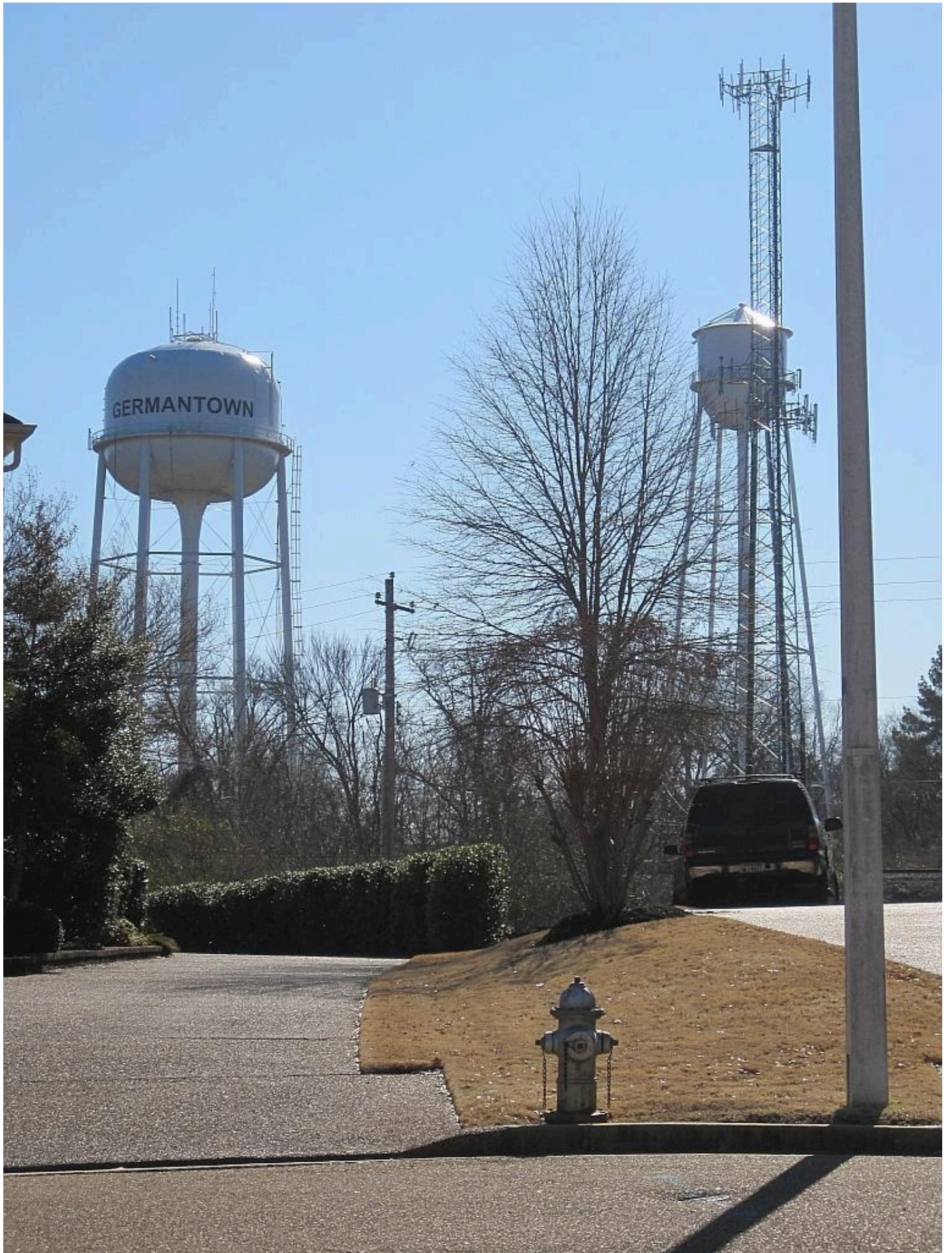
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to me, Veran, Anna, Lesa 

Bartlett Sodium Fluorisilicate
Collierville - Sodium Fluorisilicate
Germantown- both forms- Southern Avenue Treatment Plant
hydrofluorosilicic acid, Johnson Rd Treatment Plant Sodium Fluorisilicate
Millington - Sodium Fluorisilicate
Memphis Light Gas and Water - hydrofluorosilicic acid
Binghampton are is -served by MLGW

**Emails Verifying When
Urban Fluoride
(FLUOROSILICIC ACID)
Was added to Southern
Ave Water Treatment
Plant in Germantown
Tennessee**



When was Fluorosilicic acid 1st used in Germantown TN?



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Add to circles



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Joyce Henderson <joyceannhenderson@gmail.com>

Jun 8 ☆



to btillman

My research shows Fluorosilicic acid was not used in Germantown TN Sothern Ave Water Treatment Plant until recent. Around 2013. Is this true?



Tillman, Bruce <btillman@germantown-tn.gov>

Jun 8 ☆



to me

Ms. Henderson,

Here is the response from our Water Plant Supervisor. If you need any other specifics, please refer them to Mr. Sorensen.

thanks,

Bruce Tillman

----- Forwarded message -----

From: Sorensen, Mike <msorensen@germantown-tn.gov>

Date: Wed, Jun 8, 2016 at 2:49 PM

Subject: Re: When was Fluorosilicic acid 1st used in Germantown TN?

To: "Tillman, Bruce" <btillman@germantown-tn.gov>

We have been using one form or another of Fluoride pretty much since the plant has been around. Specifically Fluorosilicic Acid since the plant renovation. which was around 2012.

On Wed, Jun 8, 2016 at 2:41 PM, Tillman, Bruce <btillman@germantown-tn.gov> wrote:

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