

Date: September 29, 1998

To: All Technical Advisory Committee Members

From: Larry Gamble, Co-Chair

SUBJECT: Regional Water Study  
Technical Advisory Committee

Dear Committee Member:

The Technical Advisory Council (TAC) last met on November 21, 1997 to rank the consultant's proposals and make a recommendation. After some delay and deliberation, the county, in cooperation with the City of Toledo, entered into an agreement with Finkbeiner, Pettis & Strout, Inc. to study the feasibility of a regional water system.

As many of you may be aware, Robert "Jeep" Reinbolt has been assigned as the liaison for the Jeep project. Since these duties demand a great deal of his time, he will not be able to participate in the TAC. In his absence, Don Moline has graciously volunteered. Therefore, Don will co-chair the TAC with me.

In an effort to begin the study, a meeting of the TAC and representatives from the consultants has been scheduled for Tuesday, October 20, 1998 at 9:00 a.m. in the conference room at the Lucas County Sanitary Engineer's. At that meeting, we would like to discuss the approach to the study and receive your thoughts and input. The purpose of the study will be to determine the cost and the economic feasibility of forming a regional water system.

To better enable the consultant to affix a cost to a regional water system, we will be requesting budgetary information from your community. This information will then be compiled along with similar information from other communities. Enclosed is an information request and a discussion of the approach to the study. Any questions regarding the information request can be addressed at the October 20 meeting.

I look forward to seeing you at the October 20 meeting.