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Subject: Indoor Air Quality Survey  
Laurel Elementary School  
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Laurel, MD 20707

Mr. Baylor:

On June 3, 2019, a Soil and Land Use Technology, Inc. (SaLUT) Industrial Hygienist conducted an indoor air quality (IAQ) evaluation at Laurel Elementary School, a property maintained by Prince George's County Public Schools (PGCPS) located at 516 Montgomery Street, Laurel, MD 20707. The inspection was performed in accordance with PGCPS contract number IFB 022-19.

### **Methodology**

The IAQ evaluation conducted by SaLUT included a visual assessment, IAQ instrumentation screening, and a collection of interior air samples for mold in representative locations throughout the building. Additionally, one building exterior environmental air sample was taken for comparison.

Air-borne fungal spore samples were collected on *Air-O-Cell* cassettes using a Buck BioAire calibrated pump. The air samples were taken between three and five feet from the ground. In tandem with collecting mold samples, real-time readings for carbon dioxide, carbon monoxide, temperature and relative humidity were collected using a Fluke 975 Air Meter in representative areas within the facility. A MiniRAE 3000-photoionization detector (PID) was used to measure total volatile organic compounds (TVOC).

Respirable particulate in air (size classes PM<sub>2.5</sub>μ and PM<sub>10</sub>μ) was measured using the Particles Plus 8306 Handheld Particle Counter which was calibrated prior to sampling. The fungal spore air samples were delivered to EMSL Analytical, Inc. of Beltsville, Maryland for analysis. Fungal spores and particulates in air samples were analyzed by Optical Microscopy (methods EMSL 05-TP-003 and ASTM D7391). The sample chain-of-custody and laboratory reports are attached.

**Observations**

The table below summarizes the main observations from the IAQ survey at Laurel Elementary School, visited on June 3, 2019.

**Table 1-Observations**

Location	Summary of Observations 6-3-2019
Cafeteria	2'x4' ceiling tiles and 1'x1' tile floor; No visual signs of microbial growth, and no odor; No visible dust on floor/other furniture surfaces; Central HVAC system.
Classroom POD1	2'x4' ceiling tiles and 1'x1' tile floor; No visual signs of microbial growth, and no odor; No visible dust on floor/other furniture surfaces; Central HVAC system.
Classroom POD2	2'x4' ceiling tiles and 1'x1' tile floor; No visual signs of microbial growth, and no odor; No visible dust on floor/other furniture surfaces; Central HVAC system.
Classroom POD4	2'x4' ceiling tiles and 1'x1' tile floor; No visual signs of microbial growth, and no odor; No visible dust on floor/other furniture surfaces; Central HVAC system.
Classroom POD5	2'x4' ceiling tiles and 1'x1' tile floor; No visual signs of microbial growth, and no odor; No visible dust on floor/other furniture surfaces; Central HVAC system.
Media Room	2'x4' ceiling tiles and 1'x1' tile floor; No visual signs of microbial growth, and no odor; No visible dust on floor/other furniture surfaces; Central HVAC system.
Gymnasium	2'x4' ceiling tiles and 1'x1' tile floor; No visual signs of microbial growth, and no odor; No visible dust on floor/other furniture surfaces; Dusty air vents; Central HVAC system.
Majority of Classrooms throughout the School	2'x4' ceiling tiles and 1'x1' tile floor; No visual signs of microbial growth, and no odor; No visible dust on floor/other furniture surfaces;

Location	Summary of Observations 6-3-2019
	Central HVAC system.

**Measurements of Indoor Environmental Quality Parameters**

Table 2 depicts a summary of average measurements of comfort parameters and respirable particulates.

**Temperature**

The American Society of Heating, Refrigerating and Air-Conditioning Engineers (ASHRAE) have published recommendations for year round acceptable temperatures in Standard 55-2010 *Thermal Environmental Conditions for Human Occupancy*. The winter comfort range is 20 to 24°C (68 to 75°F) and 23 to 26°C (73 to 79°F) is the summer comfort range. The temperature readings were within the ASHRAE recommended ranges in the representative spaces with the exception of some readings which were slightly lower than the ASHRAE comfort level.

**Relative Humidity (RH)**

RH is a key factor for mold growth. Mold has the potential of growing on suitable surfaces with humidity levels above 60%. ASHRAE Standard 62.1-2010 *Ventilation for Acceptable Indoor Air Quality* recommends a maximum indoor RH of 65% to preclude the likelihood of condensation on cool surfaces encouraging mold growth. The RH readings were lower than the ASHRAE recommended ranges in the representative areas.

**Carbon Dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>)**

Under conditions of maximum occupancy, ASHRAE Standard 62.1-2010, Appendix C, infers that the acceptable CO<sub>2</sub> upper limit is the prevailing outdoor CO<sub>2</sub> concentration plus 700 parts per million (ppm). On the day of the space evaluation, the outdoor (building exterior) CO<sub>2</sub> concentration was approximately 695 ppm therefore indoor concentrations should not exceed approximately 1,395 ppm (700 + 695). The maximum average interior CO<sub>2</sub> concentration detected was 1,132 ppm in the Media Room, a range within the ASHRAE recommendations, per Table 2 below.

**Carbon Monoxide (CO)**

CO is a colorless and odorless gas that is produced by the incomplete combustion of carbon containing fuels. Oil, gasoline, diesel fuels, wood, coke, and coal are major sources of CO. All registered CO concentrations were below the EPA National Ambient Air Quality Standard (NAAQS) of 9 ppm, per Table 2 below.

**Respirable Particulates**

Direct reading particulate monitoring did not identify a condition of concern. Particulate concentrations for two mass ranges with EPA ambient air quality guidelines (PM2.5 and PM10) were below their respective NAAQS levels. On June 3, 2019, the highest average PM2.5 concentration during the monitoring period was 0.003 mg/m<sup>3</sup> (3 µg/m<sup>3</sup>) in the Gymnasium. This is compared to the NAAQS primary standard for PM2.5 of 12 µg/m<sup>3</sup> annual mean. The highest average PM10 concentration during the same period was 0.045 mg/m<sup>3</sup> (45 µg/m<sup>3</sup>) in the Gymnasium. This is compared to NAAQS standard for PM10 of 150 µg/m<sup>3</sup> 24 hour average.

**Total Volatile Organic Chemicals (TVOC)**

LEED’s standard of 500 µg/m<sup>3</sup> for TVOC (ANSI/ASHRAE Standard 62.1-2010) concentrations per the instrument’s level of detection for a healthy commercial building were used as the standard for TVOCs for this survey. Concentrations below this value can be considered as “background levels” and, at such low concentrations, they are extremely unlikely to cause any adverse health conditions to the occupants. Generally, values below 3000 µg/m<sup>3</sup> are unlikely to cause more than mild irritation or headaches, but to date no recognized industry standard has been established for TVOCs. Perfumes, colognes, and air fresheners as well as certain cleaning chemicals can all cause temporary increases in TVOC readings. TVOC readings cannot be used to establish OSHA limits on specific VOCs or be attributed to specific compounds.

**Table 2: Laurel Elementary School Instrumental Screening Levels  
June 3, 2019**

Sample Location	Temp °F	RH%	CO ppm	CO <sub>2</sub> ppm	PM 2.5 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	PM 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	TVOC ppm
Standards	ASHRAE 73 to 79°F*	ASHRAE <65%	NAAQS 9	ASHRAE 1,395	NAAQS 0.012	NAAQS 0.150	1.0
Cafeteria	71.6	57.8	0	959	0.002	0.031	0.1
Classroom POD1	71.2	56.8	0	1092	0.001	0.012	0
Classroom POD2	74.3	58.3	0	1121	0.002	0.021	0
Classroom POD3	72.5	58.4	0	1035	0.001	0.021	0
Classroom POD4	73.4	57.6	0	1019	0.001	0.018	0
Media Room	74.4	58.1	0	1132	0.002	0.024	0
Gymnasium	73.2	48.9	0	1047	0.003	0.045	0.1
Exterior of the Building- Next to the Entrance	71.6	43.9	0	695	0.004	0.061	0

PM - Particulate Matter size  
°F - Degrees Fahrenheit  
CO - Carbon Monoxide  
ppm - parts per million

µg/m<sup>3</sup> - micrograms per cubic meter  
RH% - % Relative Humidity  
CO<sub>2</sub> - Carbon Dioxide  
\* - Summer Comfort Range

### Mold-in-Air Samples

There are no definitive regulations or standardized guidelines for addressing airborne mold in an indoor setting. If building systems (ventilation, envelope) are functioning properly, the indoor population profile should mimic what is encountered outdoors and the concentrations should be below the outdoor (building exterior) environmental sample levels.

Tables 3 summarizes airborne mold spore sampling results and locations. On June 3, 2019, total mold counts in representative samples (spore count/m<sup>3</sup> of air) in all the areas inspected were lower than the outdoor concentrations. Laboratory analysis follows this report (see attachment).

**Table 3: Laurel Elementary School - Measurements of Mold-in-Air Samples  
June 3, 2019**

Spore Types	Classroom POD1	Classroom POD2	Classroom POD4	Classroom POD5
<i>Alternaria (Ulocladium)</i>	-	-	-	-
<i>Ascospores</i>	200	200	-	-
<i>Aspergillus/Penicillium</i>	-	100	-	-
<i>Basidiospores</i>	520	200	40	90
<i>Bipolaris++</i>	10*	-	-	-
<i>Chaetomium</i>	-	-	-	-
<i>Cladosporium</i>	-	-	-	-
<i>Curvularia</i>	-	-	-	-
<i>Epicoccum</i>	-	-	-	-
<i>Fusarium</i>	-	-	-	-
<i>Ganoderma</i>	-	-	-	-
<i>Myxomycetes++</i>	-	10*	-	40
<i>Pithomyces++</i>	-	-	-	-
<i>Rust</i>	-	-	-	-
<i>Scopulariopsis/Microascus</i>	-	-	-	-
<i>Stachybotrys/Memnoniella</i>	-	-	-	-
<i>Unidentifiable Spores</i>	-	-	-	-
<i>Zygomycetes</i>	-	-	-	-
<i>Hyphal Fragment</i>	-	-	-	-
<i>Insect Fragment</i>	-	-	-	-
<i>Pollen</i>	-	-	-	-
<b>Total Fungi</b>	<b>730</b>	<b>510</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>130</b>

\*Spore Counts per cubic meter of air (Counts/m<sup>3</sup>).

++Includes other spores with similar morphology.

**Table 3: Laurel Elementary School - Measurements of Mold-in-Air Samples continued  
June 3, 2019**

Spore Types	Cafeteria	Media Room	Gymnasium	Outside Exterior	Field Blank
<i>Alternaria (Ulocladium)</i>	-	-	-	10*	-
<i>Ascospores</i>	40	40	1,300	2,200	-
<i>Aspergillus/Penicillium</i>	-	-	200	-	-
<i>Basidiospores</i>	480	40	5,190	6,500	-
<i>Bipolaris++</i>	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Chaetomium</i>	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Cladosporium</i>	-	90	40	1,700	-
<i>Curvularia</i>	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Epicoccum</i>	-	-	10*	-	-
<i>Fusarium</i>	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Ganoderma</i>	-	-	-	10*	-
<i>Myxomycetes++</i>	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Pithomyces++</i>	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Rust</i>	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Scopulariopsis/Microascus</i>	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Stachybotrys/Memmoniella</i>	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Unidentifiable Spores</i>	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Zygomycetes</i>	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Hyphal Fragment</i>	-	40	40	100	-
<i>Insect Fragment</i>	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Pollen</i>	-	40	-	40*	-
<b>Total Fungi</b>	<b>520</b>	<b>170</b>	<b>6,740</b>	<b>10,420</b>	<b>No Trace</b>

\*Spore Counts per cubic meter of air (Counts/m<sup>3</sup>).

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**Findings and Conclusions**

The comfort parameters (i.e., temperature, RH, CO<sub>2</sub>, and CO levels) and respirable particulates in the representative areas conform to ASHRAE and/or NAAQS guidelines with the exception of some temperature readings which were slightly lower than the ASHRAE comfort level. On June 3, 2019, total mold counts in representative area samples (spore count/m<sup>3</sup> of air) in all the areas inspected were lower than the outdoor concentrations, indicating no amplified mold growth.

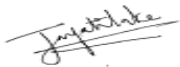
**Recommendations**

Based on the observations, mold spore results, and the results of the indoor air quality parameters tested at Laurel Elementary School, SaLUT recommends the following measures to address the indoor air quality concerns documented:

1. Thoroughly clean dusty air vents in the Gymnasium.

Thank you for the opportunity to provide industrial hygiene services for the PGCPs. If you have any questions, please contact me at 301.595.3783.

Sincerely,



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**Attachment**

Attachment - Mold Spore Sample Analytical Results and Chain-of-Custody Forms

## **Attachment**

### **Mold Spore Sample Analytical Results and Chain-of-Custody Forms**





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Lab Sample Number:	061910908-0001			061910908-0002			061910908-0003		
Client Sample ID:	28398611			28398919			28399132		
Volume (L):	75			75			75		
Sample Location:	Cafeteria			POD 1 [4]			POD 2 [1]		
Spore Types	Raw Count	Count/m <sup>3</sup>	% of Total	Raw Count	Count/m <sup>3</sup>	% of Total	Raw Count	Count/m <sup>3</sup>	% of Total
Alternaria (Ulocladium)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ascospores	1	40	7.7	4	200	27.4	4	200	39.2
Aspergillus/Penicillium	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	100	19.6
Basidiospores	11	480	92.3	12	520	71.2	4	200	39.2
Bipolaris++	-	-	-	1*	10*	1.4	-	-	-
Chaetomium	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cladosporium	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Curvularia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Epicoccum	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fusarium	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ganoderma	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Myxomycetes++	-	-	-	-	-	-	1*	10*	2
Pithomyces++	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rust	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Scopulariopsis/Microascus	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Stachybotrys/Memnoniella	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Unidentifiable Spores	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Zygomycetes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total Fungi</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>520</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>730</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>510</b>	<b>100</b>
Hyphal Fragment	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Insect Fragment	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pollen	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Analyt. Sensitivity 600x	-	44	-	-	44	-	-	44	-
Analyt. Sensitivity 300x	-	13*	-	-	13*	-	-	13*	-
Skin Fragments (1-4)	-	1	-	-	2	-	-	2	-
Fibrous Particulate (1-4)	-	1	-	-	2	-	-	2	-
Background (1-5)	-	1	-	-	2	-	-	2	-

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Lab Sample Number:	061910908-0004			061910908-0005			061910908-0006		
Client Sample ID:	28398621			28398883			28398633		
Volume (L):	75			75			75		
Sample Location	Media Room			POD 4 [4]			POD 5 [4]		
Spore Types	Raw Count	Count/m <sup>3</sup>	% of Total	Raw Count	Count/m <sup>3</sup>	% of Total	Raw Count	Count/m <sup>3</sup>	% of Total
Alternaria (Ulocladium)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ascospores	1	40	23.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
Aspergillus/Penicillium	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Basidiospores	1	40	23.5	1	40	100	2	90	69.2
Bipolaris++	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Chaetomium	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cladosporium	2	90	52.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
Curvularia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Epicoccum	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fusarium	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ganoderma	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Myxomycetes++	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	40	30.8
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Zygomycetes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total Fungi</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>170</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>130</b>	<b>100</b>
Hyphal Fragment	1	40	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Insect Fragment	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pollen	1	40	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Analyt. Sensitivity 600x	-	44	-	-	44	-	-	44	-
Analyt. Sensitivity 300x	-	13*	-	-	13*	-	-	13*	-
Skin Fragments (1-4)	-	2	-	-	2	-	-	2	-
Fibrous Particulate (1-4)	-	2	-	-	2	-	-	2	-
Background (1-5)	-	2	-	-	2	-	-	2	-

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Spore Types	Raw Count	Count/m³	% of Total	Raw Count	Count/m³	% of Total	Raw Count	Count/m³	% of Total
Alternaria (Ulocladium)	-	-	-	1*	10*	0.1	-	-	-
Ascospores	29	1300	19.3	51	2200	21.1	-	-	-
Aspergillus/Penicillium	4	200	3	-	-	-	-	-	-
Basidiospores	119	5190	77	149	6500	62.4	-	-	-
Bipolaris++	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Chaetomium	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cladosporium	1	40	0.6	39	1700	16.3	-	-	-
Curvularia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Epicoccum	1*	10*	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fusarium	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ganoderma	-	-	-	1*	10*	0.1	-	-	-
Myxomycetes++	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pithomyces++	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rust	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Scopulariopsis/Microascus	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Stachybotrys/Memnoniella	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Unidentifiable Spores	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Zygomycetes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total Fungi</b>	<b>154</b>	<b>6740</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>241</b>	<b>10420</b>	<b>100</b>	-	<b>No Trace</b>	-
Hyphal Fragment	1	40	-	3	100	-	-	-	-
Insect Fragment	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pollen	-	-	-	3*	40*	-	-	-	-
Analyt. Sensitivity 600x	-	44	-	-	44	-	-	0	-
Analyt. Sensitivity 300x	-	13*	-	-	13*	-	-	0*	-
Skin Fragments (1-4)	-	2	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Fibrous Particulate (1-4)	-	2	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Background (1-5)	-	2	-	-	2	-	-	-	-

++ Includes other spores with similar morphology; see EMSL's fungal glossary for each specific category.

  
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High levels of background particulate can obscure spores and other particulates leading to underestimation. Background levels of 5 indicate an overloading of background particulates, prohibiting accurate detection and quantification. Present = Spores detected on overloaded samples. Results are not blank corrected unless otherwise noted. The detection limit is equal to one fungal spore, structure, pollen, fiber particle or insect fragment. \*\*\* Denotes particles found at 300X. "-" Denotes not detected. Due to method stopping rules, raw counts in excess of 100 are extrapolated based on the percentage analyzed. EMSL maintains liability limited to cost of analysis. This report relates only to the samples reported above and may not be reproduced, except in full, without written approval by EMSL. EMSL bears no responsibility for sample collection activities or analytical method limitations. Interpretation and use of test results are the responsibility of the client. Samples received in good condition unless otherwise noted.

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M001 Air-O-Cell		M174 MoldSnap		M012 Pseudomonas aeruginosa (P/A***)		M115 Sewage Screen - Water (P/A***)	
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M041 Fungal Direct Examination				M015 Heterotrophic Plate Count		M117 Sewage Screen - Swab (P/A***)	
M169 Pollen ID & Enumeration				M017 Total Coliform & E. coli (Collert P/A***)		M013 Sewage Screen - Swab (MFT*)	
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M005 Viable Fungi- Air Samples (Genus ID & Count)				M019 Fecal Coliform (MFT*)		M014 Endotoxin Analysis	
M006 Viable Fungi- Air Samples (Includes Penicillium, Aspergillus, Cladosporium, Stachybotrys Species ID & Count)				M020 Fecal Streptococcus (MFT*)		M044 Group Allergen (Cat, Dog, Cockroach, Dust Mite)	
M007 Culturable fungi - Surface Samples (Genus ID & Count)				M029 Enterococci (MFT*)		Other See Analytical Price Guide	
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M009 Bacteria Culture Gram Stain & Count				M180 Real Time qPCR-ERMI 36 Panel			
M010 Bacteria Count & ID - 3 Most Prominent				M025 Sewage Screen -Water (MFT*)			
M011 Bacteria Count & ID - 5 Most Prominent							
Name of Sampler: <b>Shenal Dias</b>				Signature of Sampler:			
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<del>Example A1</del>	<del>Kitchen Sink/Tap</del>	<del>Water</del>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> P <input type="checkbox"/> NP	<del>M017</del>	<del>400 mL</del>	<del>9/1/13 4:00 PM</del>	
28398611	Cafeteria	Air	<input type="checkbox"/> P <input type="checkbox"/> NP	M009	75L	06/03/19	
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28399032	POD 2 [1]	"	<input type="checkbox"/> P <input type="checkbox"/> NP	"	"	"	
28398621	Media Room	"	<input type="checkbox"/> P <input type="checkbox"/> NP	"	"	"	
28398883	POD 4 [4]	"	<input type="checkbox"/> P <input type="checkbox"/> NP	"	"	"	
Client Sample # (s):		Total # of Samples: <b>9</b>		Samples Received Chilled? Yes/No (Lab Use Only)			
Relinquished (Client):			Date:		Time:		
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