

# managing risk with responsibility

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TO:	Ms. Nancy Seiler, Principal
	Tamarac Elementary School

- FROM: Robert Krickovich, Coordinator, LEA Facilities and Construction Management
- SUBJECT: Indoor Air Quality (IAQ) Assessment FISH 101 B & C

On March 16, 2007 I conducted an assessment of FISH 101B & C at **Tamarac Elementary School**. This evaluation included observations of the flooring system, ceiling tiles, false ceiling plenum, environmental surfaces, interior and exterior walls, and the accessible ventilation equipment. Additionally, environmental parameter measurements were taken to include temperature, relative humidity, and carbon dioxide. The detailed findings, along with the recommended corrective action can be found on the attached IAQ Assessment Worksheets.

The IAQ assessment did identify one or more existing conditions impacting IAQ and has generated appropriate work orders to correct deficiencies in systems and maintenance that could contribute to decreased indoor air quality. At the time of the assessment, these concerns were not an immediate health or safety concern to building occupants. However, due to individual sensitivities and predisposing health factors, it is possible that some building occupants may elicit a health response to agents and / or conditions identified during the evaluation. Therefore, to further improve IAQ, prevent development of future IAQ-related problems, and to reduce the potential for IAQ-related complaints by building occupants, the IAQ Assessment Team recommends appropriate follow up of each item identified and listed in the attached evaluation.

Should any questions arise, or if the current concerns continue after the attached recommendations have been addressed, please feel free to contact me at 754-321-1638.

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		IAQ Assessment		Locatio	Location Number			
	Tam	narac Elementai	y School		Evaluat	ion Requested		
Time of Day	12:00 pm	]			E	Evaluation Date	March	16, 2007
Outdoor Cond	itions Ten	nperature	79.8	Relative Humi	dity 65.6	Ambie	nt CO2	525
Fish	Temperature	Range Rela	tive Humidity	Range	CO2	Ran	ige #	Occupants
101 B & C	70.8	72 - 78	47.2	30% - 60%	725	Max 700	> Ambient	t 2
Noticeable Oc	dor No		/isible water nage / staining	Visible m g? grow		Amount of mar affected	terial	
Ceiling Type	2 x 4 Lay	In	No	No	<b>D</b>		None	
Wall Type	ype Wood Paneling		No	No		None		
Flooring	Carpet		No	No	>		None	
	Clean	Minor Dust / Debris	Needs Cleaning		Correc	ctive Action Re	equired	
Ceiling	Yes	No	No					
Walls	Yes	Νο	No					
Flooring	Yes	Νο	No					
HVAC Supply	Grills Yes	Νο	No					
HVAC Return	Grills Yes	No	No					
Ceiling at Sup Grills	ply Yes	No	No					
Surfaces in Ro	oom Yes	No	No					

## Observations

#### Findings:

- Window in 101B not working properly - will not close or latch

- FISH 109 - AHU room - #4 and #8 are holding water in pans. Slime build up

### -Recommendations:

### Site Based Maintenance:

- Continue to monitor this location for any signs of microbial growth as well as dust and debris accumulation and clean as appropriate

### Physical Plant Operations:

- Evaluate window in 101B and repair as appropriate

- FISH 109 - AHU Room - Clean pans and condensate drains