

# RE: Lake Petit Low Level Outlet Repair

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David,

The Contractor is working with the plug manufacturer for assistance/guidance on removal of select pieces of hardware associated with the plug. They plan to perform the final test Thursday morning; let's plan for 10:00 am and we will keep you updated accordingly.

Regards.

Jamey

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Jamey -

Does the contractor have an approximate time for the test tomorrow?

David

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Good morning. I just spoke to the Contractor. They are planning to perform the LLO test without the plug in place on Wednesday morning.

Thanks David.

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David,

The Contractor successfully completed two partial cycles of the gate test this evening.

- The gate was opened approximately 1-inch and left open for approximately one hour, with no flow at the LLO discharge.
- The gate was closed, reopened to approximately 15-inches, and was successfully closed. No flow was witnessed at the LLO discharge.

The Contractor is performing a dive inspection in the morning and will then resume testing, performing a complete opening/closing cycle of the gate.

We will provide additional updates tomorrow. Please let us know if you have any questions.

Regards.

Jamey

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David,

We just received news from the Contractor that stem components from the manufacturer were shipped yesterday via next day service but were accidentally addressed to the Contractor's Wisconsin office rather than the project site. Replacements should arrive at the site by noon tomorrow, but LLO testing with the plug in place will likely take place on Thursday, 4/17.

Regards.

Jamey

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