

## **March 2026 Monthly Operation Summary**

### **City of Hartford – Drinking Water System**

#### **1. EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

The majority of the operational updates for the water system were presented in detail during the water system workshop held earlier this month. This report provides a brief summary of key items since that discussion. Routine operation and maintenance activities continue without major issues. Operational adjustments have been implemented based on recommendations from the treatment media manufacturer following a recent media evaluation, and staff are continuing to monitor system performance and collect data to assess the effectiveness these changes have on the finished manganese levels. Annual regulatory reporting is largely complete, with the exception of the Consumer Confidence Report, which is due July 1 and is expected to be drafted for EGLE review in April. In the coming months, focus will shift toward planning and coordination for the annual valve turning and hydrant flushing program while continuing to monitor system operations and water quality performance

#### **2. Water Quality Improvements**

- Changing operational methods by the recommendations from the media manufacturer; a piece of information we did not have prior to the media evaluation. Still gathering more data. Peerless Midwest

#### **3. Maintenance and Operations**

- Routine O&M continues. No major updates

#### **4. Annual Reporting**

All annual reports, with the exception of the Consumer Confidence Report, have been completed. CCR is due July 1. We anticipate completion of the draft report for EGLE review sometime in April.

#### **5. Looking Ahead**

- Valve Turning and Hydrant Flushing: Start planning and coordinating valve turning and hydrant flushing.
- Consumer Confidence Report

#### **6. Flows**

Period	Avg Daily (MGD)	Max Daily (MGD)	Total (MG)
Feb-26	0.154	0.204	4.786
Jan-26	0.1544	0.179	4.786
Feb-25	0.166	0.235	5.649