Mike DeWine, Governor Jim Tressel, Lt. Governor

John Logue, Director

June 25, 2025

Mr. James A. Williams Microbac Laboratories, Inc. - Marietta Division 158 Starlite Drive Marietta, Ohio 45750

**RE: Laboratory Certification** Lab ID: 4125 Microbac Laboratories, Inc. -Marietta Division In-State Acceptance **Laboratory Certification** 

Dear Mr. Williams:

This office is in receipt of your certificate of accreditation and acceptable proficiency testing results for Trace Metals (EPA 200.7, EPA 200.8); Mercury (EPA 245.1); Hardness (SM 2340-B); Chloride, Nitrate and Sulfate (EPA 300.0); Nitrate (EPA 353.2, SM 4500 NO3-F), Sulfate (SM 4500 SO4-E); pH (SM 4500 H+, EPA 150.1); TOC/DOC (SM 5310 C); and Per/Polyfluorinated Alkyl Substances - PFAS compounds (PFOA, PFOS, PFNA, PFHxS, PFBS and GenX by EPA Methods 533 and 537.1, rev. 2) analysis in drinking water issued by the Florida Department of Health Bureau of Public Health.

Based on this information and pursuant to Ohio Administrative Code (OAC) Rule 3745-89-02, the analytical results of Trace Metals, Mercury, Hardness, Chloride, Nitrate, Sulfate, pH, TOC and PFAS compounds (PFOA, PFOS, PFNA, PFHXS, PFBS and GenX) analysis performed by your laboratory on drinking water samples are acceptable to the Ohio EPA for compliance monitoring purposes. This acceptance is effective for the methods listed above and will expire on the expiration date given on the laboratory certificate, June 30, 2026.

Your laboratory is required to provide this office with copies of any letters or reports, as they become available, which relate to your certification status for analysis as determined by the Florida Department of Health Bureau of Public Health.

Your laboratory must maintain satisfactory performance for the listed analysis, including the reporting requirements as specified in OAC Rule 3745-89-08, and for laboratory certification requirements to ensure continued acceptance of your drinking water analytical data by the Ohio EPA.

Please contact Brian Tarver, Division of Drinking and Ground Waters, at Brian. Tarver@epa.ohio.gov or (614) 644-2752 for information on reporting results using the electronic Drinking Water Reports (eDWR).

If you have any questions, please contact me at (614) 644-4222 or <u>DWLabCert@epa.ohio.gov</u>.

Sincerely,

Julie Spangler

Supervisor, Laboratory Certification Section Division of Drinking and Ground Waters Ohio Environmental Protection Agency