

# **CITY OF PRINCE RUPERT**

### 2018 ANNUAL REPORT ON THE COMMUNITY WATER SYSTEM

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### 2018 WATER SERVICE OVERVIEW

- Responded to 312 BC1 calls to locate sewer/water services;
- Addressed 37 homeowner reported water service leaks;
- Conducted 10 water main repairs;
- Responded to 107 water service leaks;

### **History of Prince Rupert's Water System**

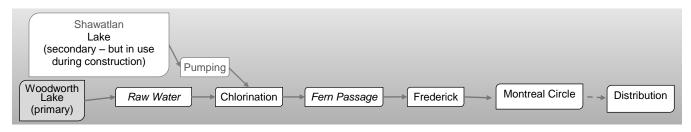
When the City was established, the Prince Rupert Water Utility began with just two small dams on Kaien Island. However, these were unacceptable for the longer term and by 1914, the City had secured a much more reliable source of raw water-- two large lakes and watersheds on the Tsimshian Peninsula. Unfortunately, the elevation of Shawatlan Lake was lower than much of Kaien Island, necessitating the construction of a large pump house at the shoreside intake. The new pumping system pushed the water through an undersea or sub-marine supply main across Fern Passage to the Kaien Island townsite where booster pumps moved it on to the Acropolis Reservoir in the City's west end.

Ultimately, the large diameter penstock line from the former BC Hydro Utility dam at Woodworth Lake, higher up in the Coastal Mountain Range, would be extended and form the backbone of a gravity water supply system, leaving the Shawatlan pumping system as a valuable back-up facility to be used in case of emergency or necessary maintenance activity, which is occurring currently as the City replaces critical water infrastructure. However, it was 1996 before key infrastructure improvements finally allowed Woodworth Lake to totally fulfill all of Prince Rupert's potable water and fire protection needs. After over 80 years of continual pumping, the City was finally able to switch to a full gravity-fed supply system, eliminating substantial annual hydro electric costs.

### Water System Description

Today, the Prince Rupert water system feeds approximately 6 million cubic metres of potable water per year to local residents, businesses, and industry, utilizing over 50 kilometres of distribution line and close to 6000 individual service connections. The Community Water System supplies the Port of Prince Rupert and related industries, as well as BC Ferries. The system is also capable of meeting the peak seasonal demand of a number of industrial fish processors, an industry that has declined in recent years, but when active can generate over twice the average daily consumption.

See below for a schematic diagram describing the path that water takes through the Community Water System, currently, due to reliance on our secondary supply at Shawatlan Lake during construction on water supply infrastructure.



### Water Quality

Few issues are more important to a municipality than the quality of the drinking water it delivers. It has consequently been Prince Rupert's extreme good fortune to have always had one of the best protected raw water sources in British Columbia. In order to prevent human contamination of the water supply, the City of Prince Rupert maintains restricted access to the watersheds surrounding both Woodworth and Shawatlan Lakes. As noted in the B.C. Auditor General's Report, which reviewed our water protection practices, water source protection is by far the easiest, least expensive, and most practical approach to ensuring the long term safety of the water supply.

Additionally, as a second barrier of defence against the incidence of waterborne disease, the municipality maintains an enduring chlorine residual throughout the water distribution system. Chlorine is the most reliable and widely used drinking water disinfectant in North America. A "residual" is the trace amount of chlorine left in the drinking water after initial disinfection have taken place. As long as a trace of chlorine or residual can be detected, the line is still subject to active disinfection. For greater public safety and adequate contact time, chlorine is added before the water reaches Kaien Island. Chlorine dosage must be constantly trimmed and balanced to maximize disinfection but minimize the production of disinfection by-products (DBPs), such as Trihalomethanes (THMs) and Haloacetic Acids (HAAs). Residual levels are therefore electronically monitored on a constant basis throughout the municipality. To further check that the chlorination process is working properly and that the water system has not been otherwise compromised, various types of water quality samples are taken daily, weekly, or at other regular intervals. The results of the Water Quality Testing Program are reported to the Provincial Ministry of Health and are available on the Northern Health Authority's Public Health Protection website at: http://www.healthspace.ca/nha

This public site lists the following up-to-date information about our water quality monitoring program:

- Drinking Water inspection Reports
- Water Notice December 2018-March 2019 A Boil Water Notice was in effect from December 14<sup>th</sup>, 2018 January 25<sup>th</sup>, 2019 in Prince Rupert primarily due to perceived presence of cryptosporidium in the water supply. The City was downgraded from a Boil Water Notice January 25<sup>th</sup>, 2019, due to an assessment from Northern Health, which found:
  - No outbreak in the community for Cryptosporidiosis or Giardiasis has been detected;
  - Consecutive satisfactory results for Cryptosporidium by an approved lab;
  - o Appropriate chlorine concentration and contact time value to Giardia deactivation applied;
  - Improvements to sampling protocols;

- The Water Quality Advisory was removed fully March 15<sup>th</sup>, 2019, as the City has met Northern Health's condition to meet treatable limits. combined with a post treatment Giardia cyst viability/infectivity monitoring program approved by the Environmental Health Officer. Northern Health has directed the City to continue to monitor for protozoa at minimum on a monthly basis, which has been added as a condition of our Water Operating Permit. The Environmental Health Officer may also request greater testing frequency during times where there is higher risk to the water supply, for instance during periods of inclement weather or higher levels of recorded turbidity in the water supply.
- **Current Water Notices** There are no current notices in effect with respect to water quality in Prince Rupert.
- Chemical Samples & Results Actual chemical analysis test results for 8 key sampling points going back as far as 1989. In addition, results here include Giardia and Cryptosporidium sample results.
- Water Sample Results Actual bacteriological test results for selected sampling points dating back to 1994. "L1" means "less than one" or no coliform issues detected.

In a drinking water quality concern or emergency, as occurred this year, a Water Quality Advisory, Boil Water Notice, or Do Not Use Water Notice is issued by the Northern Health Authority. This notice is placed on the home page of the City's website at <u>www.princerupert.ca</u> as part of a larger media and public notification effort. For further information see the section below regarding "Emergency Planning".

### Water Quality Data and Inspection Results

Test results are established through the Guidelines for Canadian Drinking Water Quality and the British Columbia Drinking Water Protection Regulation. These result criteria are:

- No one sample should contain more than ten Total Coliform per 100ml, so long as less than 10% of samples have detectable coliforms. There is to be zero E.Coli per 100ml.
- There should be no two consecutive positive samples from the same sample site location that show the presence of coliform indicators; and,
- o 90% of all samples must have zero Total Coliforms per 100ml sample

In 2018, there were 4 Sample Range Reports produced that are available online at the source listed below.

• The total number of potential sampling sites in Prince Rupert in 2018 is 11 -- 218 samples total were taken during 2018. Sampling sites are listed online and in the <u>Appendix</u> of this Report.

- There were 0 samples containing e. coli.
- The CWS was well within the acceptable range for Total Coliforms, with over 99% of all samples having zero Total Coliforms per 100ml sample.

The last facility inspection of the City of Prince Rupert's Community Water System was in July of 2018, with further discussion below. This inspection was the first recorded instance of violations recorded during a Routine Inspection, due to regulatory changes with respect to chlorine byproducts and pH values over time. A summary of the inspection results and followup actions taken by the City immediately following the inspection are listed on the following page.

#### **Inspection Information:**

(This information taken directly from Northern Health website)

Facility Type: WS1A Inspection type: Routine Inspection date: July 24, 2018 Follow-up Required: No This facility was given a low hazard rating.

#### Violations:

A summary of the violations found during the inspection are listed below, including a description of the violation, observation and recommended corrective actions.

#### 313 Inadequate treatment

**Observation:** Monitoring of disinfection by-products are being conducted at an acceptable frequency. Results show exceedances of maximum allowable concentrations for trihalomethanes and haloacetic acids. Although the chlorination process may create the formation of disinfection byproducts the health risk associated with not having disinfection is a greater risk to public health

**Corrective Action:** Seek out long term plan for turbidity and organics while maintaining a minimum 0.2 ppm chlorine residual at the end of the line. Continue to monitor disinfection by-products.

### SUMMARY OF CITY RESPONSE

As a component of our water system upgrades, the City has been in discussions with Northern Health regarding the implementation of a system of treatment that includes multiple treatment barriers.

In August of 2018, directly following these Inspection results, the City applied to the Federal/Provincial Investing in Canadian Infrastructure Program (ICIP) Green Infrastructure fund to support the development of a ~\$30 million new water treatment plant with multiple barriers of treatment.

If the City is able to successfully fund this project, this facility will ensure that the City addresses all noted Northern Health concerns with respect to treatment. In the meantime, the City has enhanced monitoring and abatement efforts with respect to noted violations, specifically monitoring of disinfection byproducts and corrosion, and public education efforts directed towards leaching of lead from within home-plumbing.

*City Response:* Long term plan is to implement treatment that will remove turbidity related sediment and organics through multiple barriers of treatment. Monitoring of disinfection by-products is ongoing.

#### 313 Inadequate treatment

**Observation:** Chemical results indicate that the water is corrosive (characteristic of water from coastal communities). This is due to low pH and low alkalinity. This may lead to elevated levels of lead at the tap. (*Note – due to presence of lead in home-plumbing fixtures and assets – this was the subject of a public mail out warning community members of risk of lead in home-plumbing*).

**Corrective Action:** Continue to work to satisfy the following conditions of permit: "By 31 Mar 2019, working with the Drinking Water Officer and using the reference approved guidance documents, develop a monitoring program for assessing corrosion of materials in residential distribution (the "field sampling program")", "By 31 Jul 2019, complete the field sampling program" and "By 30 Sep 2019, forward a project report and complete results of field sampling program to Northern Health for review."

*City Response:* Work with the Drinking Water Officer to develop a monitoring program for corrosion ("field sampling program") is ongoing, with the schedule to be prepared by the end of March as per the above direction.

#### 313 Inadequate treatment

**Observation:** Water system is not meeting drinking water treatment objectives for surface waters in BC, which requires two treatment processes for surface water.

Corrective Action: Seek out engineered solution to ensure BC treatment objectives are met.

*City Response:* The City's long term plan is to implement multiple barriers of treatment that will address all drinking water treatment objectives (ie. 3-log reduction).

Source: For a complete list of Water Quality Data obtained from www.healthspace.ca/nha

### **Chemical Composition of Community Water Supply**

The testing results regarding the chemical composition of the CWS are listed below. Water quality meets all known non-aesthetic objectives. The most noticeable physical property of Prince Rupert's potable water is color. It is noted that there is a greater TCU amount for Prince Rupert's water colour than is ideal according to regulatory guidelines. This discolouration has increased somewhat due to the use of the secondary water source at Shawatlans Lake, and the nearby construction on the access road to the planned dam replacement project. While this has a measurable aesthetic value, there is no impact on human health.

Additionally, the pH levels of the CWS hover below the lower limit of the identified goals for pH, which was updated in 2016 to a range of 7.0 to 10.5 in finished drinking water. This is due to the City's above ground water supply sources, which are subject to slight acidification from rain, as experienced by most coastal communities.

In 2017-2018, there have been impacts to aesthetic objectives to the City's water supply as a result of ongoing construction on our adjacent water supply project. Due to nearby construction, the City has been pumping our water from our secondary source at Shawatlans Lake. Due to the nature of the source, as well as nearby construction, testing shows the water supply has seen increased incidences of turbidity and colour that are above aesthetic objectives identified by Northern Health. The construction has also had some ripple effects with respect to chemical treatment outcomes. To reduce potential risks of increased pathogens associated with turbidity and local disturbances, the City has increased chlorine levels in the water supply as per Northern Health recommendations. This, in turn, has increased levels

of chlorine residual chemicals present in the supply. Both Trihalomethane and Haleoacetic Acids are a by-product of drinking water disinfection with chlorine, and result from the accumulation of the byproduct as the water travels through the CWS. These exceedances were noted in the July inspection report as requiring continued monitoring.

Trihalomethanes (THMs) and Haloacetic Acids (HAAs) are common disinfection by products. They occur as a result of chlorine mixed with the organics in the water (e.g. decaying plants etc.). THMs and HAAs are monitored routinely to ensure that Prince Rupert's CWS makes every effort to maintain their concentrations to be as low as reasonably achievable without compromising the effectiveness of chlorine disinfection to eliminate harmful microbial pathogens. Currently both THMs and HAAs are above the maximum acceptable concentration (MAC) in our system. However, further reduction of the current chlorine residual will put public health at a greater risk associated with microbial contamination. The extremely low potential risk of developing adverse health effects from long-term exposure to small amounts of chlorine by-products is outweighed by the value of chlorine in significantly reducing the risks and consequences of water-borne infections. Prince Rupert's CWS will continue to monitor these concentrations routinely. The City is currently considering long term solutions to address this issue such as reducing the level of the precursor natural organic material in the water prior to chlorination through centralised multiple-barriered treatment.

Fluoride is not presently added to Prince Rupert's potable water. The injection system is currently offline, awaiting sufficient funding for upgrading and replacement.

Source: Complete list of Water Quality Data obtained from www.healthspace.ca/nha

### **Emergency Planning:**

While water system reliability is absolutely essential, all public water systems can be the victims of various types of emergencies from either natural or man-made causes. Some potential emergencies can be averted or have their impact greatly minimized by advance preparation and sound infrastructure planning. These activities reflect the importance of the water system in sustaining a safe and healthy community. Key to emergency planning is the recognition of the need for a certain amount of redundancy in both physical and human resources.

Prince Rupert is extremely fortunate to have two operational water sources – Shawatlans and Woodworth Lakes. In 2009, Prince Rupert's main water source was cut off for a considerable time period when the pipeline from Woodworth Lake was heavily damaged by a landslide. In many communities, this would certainly have qualified as a disaster. In this case however, the Public Works department was utilizing the pumping system already in place at the Shawatlans Lake water source. That system has double power-source redundancy, with hydro power as the primary electrical source, and power backed up by a diesel-powered generator.

In the case of any serious emergency, the Prince Rupert Public Works Department works hand-in-hand with all other City departments, local Emergency Services, the Provincial Emergency Program (PEP), the Provincial Ministry of Health through the Northern Health Authority, and other utilities and organizations as required. Additionally, City Council would be informed in a timely manner regarding all pertinent aspects of the problem as will the general public through the City's website at <u>www.princerupert.ca</u> and all other available media. The City has also instituted a smartphone application and landline push notification system which has successfully targeted emergency communications to residents in the event of an emergency. All of these available communications avenues were used by the City during the recent Boil Water Notice.

### **System Improvements Completed and Planned:**

In 2018, the City of Prince Rupert conducted major planned and unplanned water service infrastructure improvements. Emergency capital water works repairs were completed in various locations around town, including major replacements on McBride Street, and other areas. Eighty metres of watermain was also replaced between Graham and Atlin Avenues.

In terms of large-scale infrastructure replacement, in 2015, the City received matching grants from senior government to replace the raw-water supply line and construct a new access road, which is Phase 1 of the Raw Water Line Replacement Project. The new access road will provide the opportunity to upgrade or replace the dam, which will be the City's next priority for improvement. The City has finalized the design for the new dam will issue a contract for it to begin in 2019. This is the second phase of the water supply project. In addition, the Operations Department continued work on a SCADA improvement Study to improve technological monitoring capacity of the City's water system.

Full replacement of the Woodworth Dam and extension of the access road to the dam provides a number of advantages, including:

- Improved ability to access the dam for operation, maintenance and surveillance;
- A significantly longer design life than the rehabilitated existing Woodworth Dam, which may require high repair costs or replacement in the future.
- Improved access for emergency response.
- Elimination of existing concrete and abutment deficiencies.
- Updated spillway capacity.
- Improved debris removal capability.
- Opportunity to install improved communications systems.
- Accessibility across the top of the dam for maintenance, inspection and future repairs.
- Erosion control to the downstream side of the spillway based on the design of a long spillway

The third and final phase, which may be broken down further into two projects, involves replacement of one of the submarine lines carrying potable water beneath the harbour from the water supply to the community, and the development of a new water treatment facility. As previously noted, the City applied in August of 2018 to the Investing in Canada Infrastructure Program for funding to complete this final phase.

Again, the principle of redundancy, which will be built into future upgrades as in the past, is key to responsible emergency preparedness. Local water charges reflect the cost of ensuring an appropriate level of reliability and safety, as well as the logistics involved in the delivery of fresh water from "Lake-to-Tap".

# Remedial Actions or Assessments undertaken, where applicable

Operational challenges were encountered in 2017-2018 that affected water quality and aesthetics (unrelated to the Boil Water Notice in late 2018). These incidents were related to elevated turbidity levels related to construction activities during the ongoing replacement of the raw water supply line. Additional sampling was completed at this time, and the City remained in close contact with Northern Health to ensure vigilant and constant monitoring. Additional chlorine was added to the water supply, as per Northern Health's recommendations. Unfortunately, this action has resulted in exceedances of chlorine

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residual elements in the City's supply. These levels are the subject of continued monitoring, however Northern Health has indicated that, "although the chlorination process may create the formation of disinfection byproducts the health risk associated with not having disinfection is a greater risk to public health" (NHA Inspection Report, July 24<sup>th</sup>, 2018).

In addition, in late 2018 the City was put on a Boil Water Notice due to exceedances of Giardia and perceived exceedances of Cryptosporidium. The original perceived exceedances of Cryptosporidium cannot be entirely confirmed, however, as more recent tests that follow a more accurate form of pathogen identification have met acceptable water quality standards. The details of these findings are described in more detail below.

Given that Cryptosporidium was not detected for multiple weeks, and as a result of available treatment options for Giardia, we were able to lower the Boil Water Notice to an Advisory on January 25<sup>th</sup>, 2019.

#### **Boil Water Event Details and Improvements to Testing Regimes**

The results received on December 14th, 2018 were conducted as part of the City's ongoing seasonal testing regime as regulated by Northern Health. The sample was gathered by City staff and then dropped off to our local provider who then sent it to a laboratory in Richmond, BC. The City has used this testing facility for many years. After the initial unacceptable test, several subsequent tests were sent to the same lab with continued unfavorable results. Consequently, under advice from the City's engineering consultant the samples were sent to a very sophisticated medical research facility in Alberta for analysis. This facility is known to Health Canada and nationwide for their advanced research equipment and highly skilled staff. Since initiating testing with this lab, the results from this facility showed no signs of cryptosporidium and recorded levels of giardia that are well-within treatable limits given the City's available chlorination system.

As a result of these conflicting results, the City started taking comparative samples, sending them to both labs. Each time the Richmond, BC lab failed a sample, the Alberta research facility would give the City an acceptable result with a comparative sample. To confirm the suspicions of both Northern Health and the City, staff sent the last failed sample from the Richmond lab to be retested by the research facility in Alberta, at which time they identified the item of concern within the sample as a form of algae, not cryptosporidium. This result was later cross-referenced with an aerial image of our water supply where a naturally occurring algae bloom was spotted during a patrol of Shawatlan Lake.

As a result of all of the information gathered over the 9 week Boil Water Notice term and the noted algae bloom in Shawatlan Lake, the City believes that it is likely the original results for Cryptosporidium were false positives. There is no way to confirm this theory, as the original samples have been discarded. However, the research facility, Northern Health and the City are confident in the testing results from the Alberta research facility as they specialize in the analysis of water for the detection of Giardia and Cryptosporidium. This laboratory is accredited by the Canadian Association for Laboratory Accreditation and are audited on site every two years.

The City's long term plan is to implement treatment that will remove turbidity related sediment and organics, achieve a minimum 3 log reduction of potential parasites and other micro-organisms, and better manage pH through multiple barriers of treatment.

### **Compliance with Operating Permit Requirements**

The City is in compliance with Operating Permit Requirements. As a component of requirements, the City implemented a system of public information and education on personal protective measures for metal leaching and corrosion control [due to lead components in interior plumbing]. The City released a flier to

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households in Spring of 2018 describing steps residents can take to reduce the leaching of lead into their household water from the outdated pipes in their home or business. We will also be implementing a field sampling program with respect to corrosion in 2019.

### For Additional Information:

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For more information regarding water quality standards, the following links may be of interest:

Northern Health website: http://www.healthspace.ca/nha

Guidelines for Canadian Drinking Water Quality: <u>http://www.hc-sc.gc.ca/ewh-semt/water-eau/drink-potab/guide/index-eng.php</u>

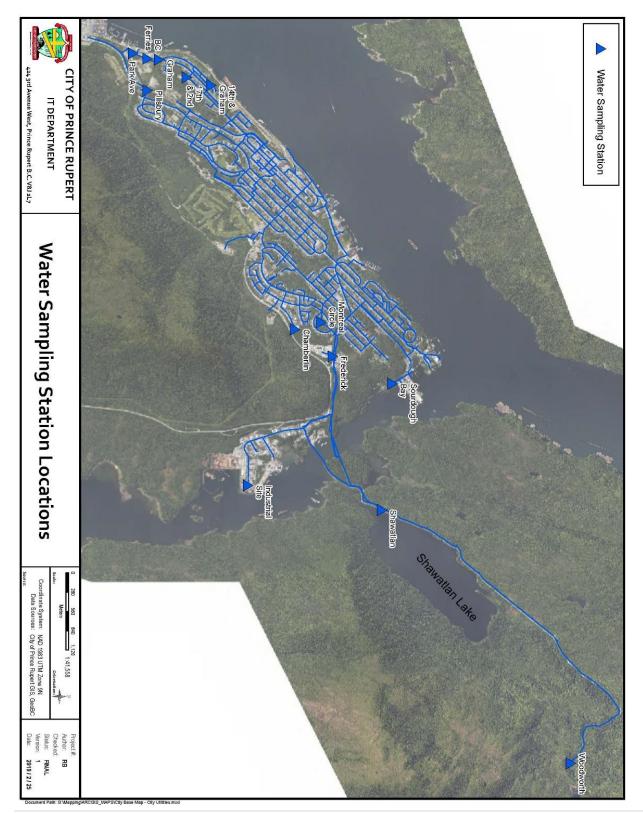
For a record of actual rainfall events please navigate to the City Hall Weather Station

### Summary

The City of Prince continues to prioritize the replacement of aged water supply infrastructure located across the harbour at the dam site. In 2018, work initiated in 2016-2017 was completed to renew and bury our water supply line and build an associated access road. Greater security and water quality certainty has been achieved through burying the supply line, currently subject to falling trees and landslides. Additionally, an access road will permit quality checks in all weather conditions, and ease of access in case of any incident or emergency.

As noted throughout this Report, the eventual goal for the City is the full replacement of water supply infrastructure – including the dam and submarine lines, and a water treatment plant. Construction on the dam will begin in 2019, and the City will proceed on replacing this historic and significant community infrastructure project. In addition, the City should be notified in early 2019 with respect to the outcome of our application for funding to support the development of a new water treatment facility, which will assist us in addressing any and all concerns noted by the regulator in 2018.

### **APPENDICES**



### **Appendix A: Map of Sampling Locations**

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### **Appendix B: Operating Permit**

# PERMIT **TO OPERATE**

A Drinking Water System with 301-10000 Connections

System Name: Physical Location:

#### **Prince Rupert CWS** 424 3rd Avenue West Prince Rupert BC

**Owner Name:** 

#### **City Of Prince Rupert**

#### **Conditions of Permit**

>Maintain a minimum of 20 water bacteriology samples per month unless the Environmental Health Officer requests a greater frequency. >Maintain a minimum of 1 water protozoology (Giardia and Cryptosporidium) sample per month, unless the

Environmental Health Officer requests greater frequency

>Minimum initial concentration 3.0 mg/L chlorine must be met unless the Environmental Health Officer requests a greater concentration

>Minimum chlorine residual of 0.2 ppm shall be maintained within the distribution system and monitored daily >Turbidity shall be maintained at a maximum level of 1 NTU in accordance with the Guidelines for Canadian Drinking Water Quality.

>Submit water chemistry data every 6 months, unless the Environmental Health Officer requests a greater frequency. >An up-to-date Emergency Response plan shall be maintained.

>Operator must be trained and certified to the level specified by the Environmental Operators Certification Program. >By 31 Mar 2019, working with the Drinking Water Officer and using for reference approved guidance documents, develop a monitoring program for assessing corrosion of materials in residential distribution system (the "field sampling program").

>By 31 Jul 2019, complete the field sampling program. >By 30 Sep 2019, forward a project report and complete results of field sampling program to Northern Health for revie

> By December 31st, 2019, engage a qualified professional acceptable to the Drinking Water Officer and direct them to complete: (a) an assessment of water quality; and (b) a report detailing treatment options to meet the Provincial Objectives.

> By December 31st, 2019, in consultation with the Drinking Water Officer, determine preferred treatment option or options.

 > By March 30th, 2020, complete a financing plan for the preferred option or options.
 > By December 31st, 2020, acquire land and obtain regulatory approvals and permits (including a construction permit under the Drinking Water Protection Act) required to implement the preferred option or options.

> By January 1st, 2024, complete the construction of infrastructure necessary to implement the preferred option or options.

1-Jul-1992 **Effective Permit Date** 

8-Mar-2019

**Permit Revised Date** This permit must be displayed in a conspicuous place and is non-transferable

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### **Appendix C: Lab Test Results**

See following pages.



City of Prince Rupert 424 3rd Avenue West Prince Rupert, BC V8J 1L7 water@princerupert.ca Project: Drinking Water Project Number: -Project Manager: Public Works Department

Work Order: N805194 RECEIVED: 31-May-18

REPORTED: 31-May-18

All analyses were performed in accordance with standard procedures published by BC MoE, Health Canada, Environment Canada, the American Public Health Association, or the US EPA.

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Jesse Newton Laboratory Manager



Work Order: N805194

LAB # SAMPLED DATE SAMPLED TIME			N805194-01 31-May-18 09:45		
SAMPLE ID		Frederick Station			
	MRL Units	CDWG			
General Paramet	ers (Water)				
Turbidity	0.05 NTU	MAC = 1	0.83		

Glossary of Term	IS
MRL	Method Reporting Limit
NTU	Nephelometric Turbidity Units
MAC	Maximum Acceptable Concentration. Values above MAC are formatted with red text and solid outline.
AO	Aesthetic Objective (not health related). Values above AO are formatted with a dashed outline.
MAC AO OG	Operational guideline (for treated water)

#### Standards / Guidelines Referenced

CDWG

Canadian Drinking Water Quality Guidelines (2014) http://www.hc-sc.gc.ca/ewh-semt/alt\_formats/pdf/pubs/water-eau/sum\_guide-res\_recom/sum\_guide -res\_recom-eng.pdf



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**RECEIVED:** 27-Dec-2018

Work Order: N812145

Project: Shawatlans Project Number: -Project Manager: Public Works Department

REPORTED: 09-Jan-2019

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All analyses were performed in accordance with standard procedures published by BC MoE, Health Canada, Environment Canada, the American Public Health Association, or the US EPA.

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Jesse Newton Laboratory Manager



#### **City of Prince Rupert - Shawatlans**

Work Order: N812145

LAB #		N812145-01	N812145-02
SAMPLED DATE SAMPLED TIME		27-Dec-18 14:00	27-Dec-18 14:30
SAMPLE ID		Shawatlans Lake	Frederick Station
	MRL Units		
General Parameters (Wo	ıter)		
Carbon, Total Organic	0.50 mg/L	6.33	3.59

#### Glossary of Terms

MRLMethod Reporting Limitmg/LMilligrams per Litre



City of Prince Rupert 424 3rd Avenue West Prince Rupert, BC V8J 1L7 water@princerupert.ca Project: Shawatlans Project Number: -Project Manager: Public Works Department

REPORTED: 09-Jan-2019

**RECEIVED:** 20-Dec-2018

Work Order: N812134

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Jesse Newton Laboratory Manager



#### **City of Prince Rupert - Shawatlans**

Work Order: N812134

LAB #		N812134-01	N812134-02	
SAMPLED DATE		20-Dec-18	20-Dec-18	
SAMPLED TIME		09:30	09:30	
SAMPLE ID		Shawatlans Lake	Frederick Station	
	MRL Units			
General Parameters (Wa	ater)			
Carbon, Total Organic	0.50 mg/L	5.43	5.29	

#### Glossary of Terms

MRLMethod Reporting Limitmg/LMilligrams per Litre



City of Prince Rupert 424 3rd Avenue West Prince Rupert, BC V8J 1L7 water@princerupert.ca

Work Order: N811110

**RECEIVED:** 20-Nov-2018

Project: Drinking Water Project Number: -Project Manager: Public Works Department

REPORTED: 09-Jan-2019

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All analyses were performed in accordance with standard procedures published by BC MoE, Health Canada, Environment Canada, the American Public Health Association, or the US EPA.

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Work Order: N811110

LAB # SAMPLED DATE SAMPLED TIME SAMPLE ID				N811110-01 20-Nov-18 09:45 Sourdough	N811110-02 20-Nov-18 10:45 Pillsbury	N811110-03 20-Nov-18 08:55 Frederick	N811110-04 20-Nov-18 08:35 Montreal
	MRL	Units	CDWG	Bay Flushing Station	Station	Station	Circle Reservoir
Calculated Parameters	(Water)						
Total Trihalomethanes	0.0130	mg/L	MAC = 0.1	0.189	0.206	0.171	0.136
Volatile Organic Compo	ounds (V	/OC) (W	(ater)				
Bromodichloromethane	0.0010	mg/L	-	<0.0010	<0.0010	<0.0010	< 0.0010
Bromoform	0.0010	mg/L	-	<0.0010	<0.0010	<0.0010	<0.0010
Chloroform	0.0100	mg/L	-	0.189	0.206	0.171	0.136
Dibromochloromethane	0.0010	mg/L	-	<0.0010	<0.0010	<0.0010	<0.0010
Toluene-d8	70-130	[surr]	-	93%	88%	91%	95%
4-Bromofluorobenzene	70-130	[surr]	-	82%	78%	82%	85%

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MRL	Method Reporting Limit
<	Less than the reported detection limit (RDL)
mg/L	Milligrams per Litre
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MAC AO OG	Operational guideline (for treated water)

#### Standards / Guidelines Referenced

CDWG

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Work Order: N808173

LAB #				N808173-01	N808173-02	N808173-03	N808173-04
SAMPLED DATE				28-Aug-18	28-Aug-18	28-Aug-18	28-Aug-18
SAMPLED TIME				08:40	09:02	09:25	14:08
SAMPLE ID				Frederick Station	Montreal Circle	Sourdough Bay Flushing	Pillsbury Station
	MRL	Units	CDWG		Reservoir	Station	
Calculated Parameters	(Water)						
Total Trihalomethanes	0.0130	mg/L	MAC = 0.1	0.192	0.209	0.227	0.237
Volatile Organic Compo	ounds (\	/OC) (W	ater)				
Bromodichloromethane	0.0010	mg/L	-	0.0011	0.0012	0.0013	0.0014
Bromoform	0.0010	mg/L	-	<0.0010	<0.0010	<0.0010	<0.0010
Chloroform	0.0100	mg/L	-	0.191	0.208	0.226	0.235
Dibromochloromethane	0.0010	mg/L	-	<0.0010	<0.0010	<0.0010	<0.0010
Toluene-d8	70-130	[surr]	-	81%	71%	75%	77%
4-Bromofluorobenzene	70-130	[surr]	-	84%	60% [1]	71%	82%

#### **Special Notes**

1 = Surrogate recovery outside of control limits. Data accepted based on acceptable recovery of other surrogates.

Glossary of Terms	
MRL	Method Reporting Limit
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Work Order: N805102

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Work Order: N805102

LAB # SAMPLED DATE SAMPLED TIME				N805102-01 15-May-18 08:32	N805102-02 15-May-18 08:43	N805102-03 15-May-18 09:05	N805102-04 15-May-18 09:59
SAMPLE ID				Frederick Station	Montreal Circle Reservoir	Sourdough Bay Flushing Station	Pillsbury Stn
	MRL	Units	CDWG				
Calculated Parameters	(Water)						
Total Trihalomethanes	0.0130	mg/L	MAC = 0.1	<0.0130	0.0148	0.0189	0.0186
Volatile Organic Compo	ounds (\	/OC) (W	ater)				
Bromodichloromethane	0.0010	mg/L	-	<0.0010	<0.0010	0.0011	<0.0010
Bromoform	0.0010	mg/L	-	<0.0010	<0.0010	<0.0010	<0.0010
Chloroform	0.0100	mg/L	-	0.0126	0.0148	0.0178	0.0186
Dibromochloromethane	0.0010	mg/L	-	<0.0010	<0.0010	<0.0010	<0.0010
Toluene-d8	70-130	[surr]	-	118%	116%	113%	113%
4-Bromofluorobenzene	70-130	[surr]	-	63% [1]	62% [1]	66% [1]	62% [1]

#### **Special Notes**

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Glossary of Terms	
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Work Order: N802124

LAB #				N802124-01	N802124-02	N802124-03	N802124-04
SAMPLED DATE				27-Feb-18	27-Feb-18	27-Feb-18	27-Feb-18
SAMPLED TIME				09:20	09:42	10:00	10:50
SAMPLE ID				Frederick Station	Montreal Circle Reservoir	Sourdough Bay Flushing Station	Pillsbury Stn
	MRL	Units	CDWG				
Calculated Parameters	(Water)						
Total Trihalomethanes	0.0130	mg/L	MAC = 0.1	0.0676	0.0965	0.152	0.146
Volatile Organic Compo	ounds (\	/OC) (W	ater)				
Bromodichloromethane	0.0010	mg/L	-	<0.0010	<0.0010	<0.0010	< 0.0010
Bromoform	0.0010	mg/L	-	<0.0010	<0.0010	<0.0010	< 0.0010
Chloroform	0.0100	mg/L	-	0.0676	0.0965	0.152	0.146
Dibromochloromethane	0.0010	mg/L	-	<0.0010	<0.0010	<0.0010	< 0.0010
Toluene-d8	70-130	[surr]	-	111%	107%	106%	109%
4-Bromofluorobenzene	70-130	[surr]	-	96%	93%	91%	95%

Glossary of Term	S
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Work Order: N810003

LAB # SAMPLED DATE SAMPLED TIME SAMPLE ID				N810003-01 02-Oct-18 11:19 Shawatlans Lake	N810003-02 02-Oct-18 08:58 Montreal Circle Reservoir	N810003-03 02-Oct-18 09:14 Sourdough Bay Flushing Station	N810003-04 02-Oct-18 08:46 Frederick Station
	MRL	Units	CDWG		Kesel voli	Sidiloff	
Anions (Water)							
Chloride	1.0	mg/L	AO <= 250	1.3	5.3	5.6	5.7
Fluoride	0.05	mg/L	MAC = 1.5	<0.10	<0.10	<0.10	<0.10
Nitrite (as N)	0.01	mg/L	MAC = 1	<0.01	<0.01	<0.01	<0.01
Nitrate + Nitrite (as N)	0.10	mg/L	MAC = 10	<0.10	<0.10	<0.10	<0.10
Sulfate	1.0	mg/L	AO <= 500	1.9	2.0	2.0	2.0
General Parameters (Wa	iter)						
рН	-	pH units	7.0-10.5	6.6	5.7	5.8	5.7
Alkalinity (total, as CaCO3	5) 1	mg/L	-	8	3	3	3
Conductivity		u\$/cm	-	13.5	15.7	16.2	15.6
Colour	1	PtCo units	AO <= 15	50	22	22	21
Turbidity	0.05	NTU	MAC = 1	0.50	0.52	0.77	0.68
Solids, Total Dissolved / TDS		mg/L	AO <= 500	24	30	46	56
Carbon, Total Organic		mg/L	-	6.10	6.42	6.57	6.68
Calculated Parameters (	Water)						
Nitrate (as N)		mg/L	MAC = 10	<0.10	<0.10	<0.10	<0.10
Hardness, Total (as CaCO3)		mg/L	-	10.5	10.2	11.0	10.1
Total Metals (Water)							
Aluminum, total	0.0050	mg/L	OG < 0.1	0.109	0.0984	0.100	0.0999
Antimony, total	0.00020	mg/L	MAC = 0.006	<0.00020	<0.00020	<0.00020	<0.00020
Arsenic, total	0.00050	mg/L	MAC = 0.01	<0.00050	<0.00050	<0.00050	<0.00050
Barium, total	0.0050	mg/L	MAC = 1	0.0116	0.0116	0.0125	0.0122
Beryllium, total	0.00010	mg/L	-	< 0.00010	<0.00010	<0.00010	<0.00010
Bismuth, total	0.00010	mg/L	-	<0.00010	<0.00010	<0.00010	<0.00010
Boron, total	0.0050	mg/L	MAC = 5	0.0187	0.0157	0.0149	0.0143
Cadmium, total	0.000010	mg/L	MAC = 0.005	0.000146	<0.000010	<0.000010	0.000010
Calcium, total	0.20	mg/L	-	3.58	3.48	3.77	3.44
Chromium, total	0.00050	mg/L	MAC = 0.05	<0.00050	<0.00050	<0.00050	<0.00050
Cobalt, total	0.00010	mg/L	-	< 0.00010	<0.00010	<0.00010	<0.00010
Copper, total	0.00040	mg/L	AO <= 1	0.236	0.0622	0.0337	0.0460
Iron, total		mg/L	AO <= 0.3	0.157	0.146	0.183	0.148

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LAB # SAMPLED DATE SAMPLED TIME SAMPLE ID	MRL	Units	CDWG	N810003-01 02-Oct-18 11:19 Shawatlans Lake	N810003-02 02-Oct-18 08:58 Montreal Circle Reservoir	N810003-03 02-Oct-18 09:14 Sourdough Bay Flushing Station	N810003-04 02-Oct-18 08:46 Frederick Station
Total Metals (continu	ed)						
Lead, total	0.00020	ma/L	MAC = 0.01	0.00812	0.00037	0.00064	0.00024
Lithium, total	0.00010		-	0.00023	0.00022	0.00025	0.00025
Magnesium, total		mg/L	-	0.384	0.366	0.392	0.368
Manganese, total	0.00020	-	AO <= 0.05	0.00527	0.00461	0.00523	0.00469
Mercury, total	0.000010	-	MAC = 0.001	<0.000010	<0.000010	<0.000010	< 0.000010
Molybdenum, total	0.00010	-	-	<0.00010	<0.00010	<0.00010	< 0.00010
Nickel, total	0.00040	-	-	0.00085	<0.00040	0.00042	<0.00040
Phosphorus, total		mg/L	-	<0.050	<0.050	<0.050	<0.050
Potassium, total		mg/L	-	0.43	0.40	0.42	0.41
Selenium, total	0.00050	-	MAC = 0.05	<0.00050	<0.00050	<0.00050	<0.00050
Silicon, total		mg/L	-	1.3	1.2	1.1	1.1
Silver, total	0.000050		-	<0.000050	<0.000050	<0.000050	<0.000050
Sodium, total	0.10	mg/L	AO <= 200	1.10	1.04	1.23	1.06
Strontium, total	0.0010	mg/L	-	0.0128	0.0126	0.0131	0.0123
Sulfur, total	3.0	mg/L	-	<3.0	<3.0	<3.0	<3.0
Tellurium, total	0.00050	mg/L	-	<0.00050	<0.00050	<0.00050	<0.00050
Thallium, total	0.000020	mg/L	-	<0.000020	<0.000020	<0.000020	<0.000020
Thorium, total	0.00010	mg/L	-	<0.00010	< 0.00010	<0.00010	<0.00010
Tin, total	0.00020	mg/L	-	0.00142	<0.00020	<0.00020	<0.00020
Titanium, total	0.0050	mg/L	-	<0.0050	<0.0050	<0.0050	<0.0050
Tungsten, total	0.0010	mg/L	-	<0.0010	<0.0010	<0.0010	<0.0010
Uranium, total	0.000020	mg/L	MAC = 0.02	<0.000020	<0.000020	<0.000020	<0.000020
Vanadium, total	0.0010	mg/L	-	<0.0010	<0.0010	<0.0010	<0.0010
Zinc, total	0.0040	mg/L	AO <= 5	0.0755	0.0053	<0.0040	0.0052
Zirconium, total	0.00010	mg/L	-	<0.00010	< 0.00010	<0.00010	<0.00010

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LAB # SAMPLED DATE SAMPLED TIME SAMPLE ID				N810003-05 02-Oct-18 09:33 Pillsbury Station	
	MRL	Units	CDWG	Sidilon	
Anions (Water)					
Chloride	1.0	mg/L	AO <= 250	5.8	
Fluoride	0.05	mg/L	MAC = 1.5	<0.10	
Nitrite (as N)	0.01	mg/L	MAC = 1	<0.01	
Nitrate + Nitrite (as N)	0.10	mg/L	MAC = 10	<0.10	
Sulfate	1.0	mg/L	AO <= 500	2.0	
General Parameters (Wo	iter)				
рН	-	pH units	7.0-10.5	5.7	
Alkalinity (total, as CaCO3		mg/L	-	3	
Conductivity		u\$/cm	-	16.1	
Colour		PtCo units	AO <= 15	22	
Turbidity	0.05	NTU	MAC = 1	0.81	
Solids, Total Dissolved / TDS	S 1.0	mg/L	AO <= 500	51	
Carbon, Total Organic	0.50	mg/L	-	6.42	
Calculated Parameters (	(Water)				
Nitrate (as N)		mg/L	MAC = 10	<0.10	
Hardness, Total (as CaCO3)		mg/L	-	10.7	
Total Metals (Water)					
Aluminum, total	0.0050	mg/L	OG < 0.1	0.0978	
Antimony, total	0.00020	mg/L	MAC = 0.006	<0.00020	
Arsenic, total	0.00050	mg/L	MAC = 0.01	<0.00050	
Barium, total	0.0050	mg/L	MAC = 1	0.0117	
Beryllium, total	0.00010	mg/L	-	<0.00010	
Bismuth, total	0.00010	mg/L	-	<0.00010	
Boron, total	0.0050	mg/L	MAC = 5	0.0142	
Cadmium, total	0.000010	mg/L	MAC = 0.005	0.000013	
Calcium, total	0.20	mg/L	-	3.67	
Chromium, total	0.00050	mg/L	MAC = 0.05	<0.00050	
Cobalt, total	0.00010	mg/L	-	<0.00010	
Copper, total	0.00040	mg/L	AO <= 1	0.100	
Iron, total		mg/L	AO <= 0.3	0.155	
Lead, total	0.00020	mg/L	MAC = 0.01	0.00060	

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LAB # SAMPLED DATE SAMPLED TIME SAMPLE ID				N810003-05 02-Oct-18 09:33 Pillsbury Station
	MRL	Units	CDWG	
Total Metals (continue	ed)			
Lithium, total	0.00010	mg/L	-	0.00025
Magnesium, total	0.010	mg/L	-	0.364
Manganese, total	0.00020	mg/L	AO <= 0.05	0.00489
Mercury, total	0.000010	mg/L	MAC = 0.001	<0.000010
Molybdenum, total	0.00010	mg/L	-	<0.00010
Nickel, total	0.00040	mg/L	-	<0.00040
Phosphorus, total	0.050	mg/L	-	<0.050
Potassium, total	0.10	mg/L	-	0.41
Selenium, total	0.00050	mg/L	MAC = 0.05	<0.00050
Silicon, total	1.0	mg/L	-	1.2
Silver, total	0.000050	mg/L	-	<0.000050
Sodium, total	0.10	mg/L	AO <= 200	1.05
Strontium, total	0.0010	mg/L	-	0.0126
Sulfur, total	3.0	mg/L	-	<3.0
Tellurium, total	0.00050	mg/L	-	<0.00050
Thallium, total	0.000020	mg/L	-	<0.000020
Thorium, total	0.00010	mg/L	-	<0.00010
Tin, total	0.00020	mg/L	-	<0.00020
Titanium, total	0.0050	mg/L	-	<0.0050
Tungsten, total	0.0010	mg/L	-	<0.0010
Uranium, total	0.000020	mg/L	MAC = 0.02	<0.000020
Vanadium, total	0.0010	mg/L	-	<0.0010
Zinc, total	0.0040	mg/L	AO <= 5	0.0053
Zirconium, total	0.00010	mg/L	-	<0.00010



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#### **Glossary of Terms** MRL Method Reporting Limit < Less than the reported detection limit (RDL) Milligrams per Litre mg/L NTU Nephelometric Turbidity Units pH units pH units PtCo units Platinum Colbalt colour units Micro Siemens per centimeter uS/cm Maximum Acceptable Concentration. Values above MAC are formatted with red text and solid outline. MAC Aesthetic Objective (not health related). Values above AO are formatted with a dashed outline. AO Operational guideline (for treated water) OG Standards / Guidelines Referenced

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Work Order: N807180

LAB # SAMPLED DATE SAMPLED TIME SAMPLE ID				N807180-01 24-Jul-18 09:15 Frederick Station	N807180-02 24-Jul-18 09:58 Montreal Circle Reservoir	N807180-03 24-Jul-18 10:30 Pillsbury Station	N807180-04 24-Jul-18 11:30 Sourdough Bay Flushing Station
	MRL	Units	CDWG				
Anions (Water)							
Chloride	1.0	mg/L	AO <= 250	4.8	5.0	5.2	5.5
Fluoride	0.05	mg/L	MAC = 1.5	<0.10	<0.10	<0.10	<0.10
Nitrite (as N)	0.01	mg/L	MAC = 1	<0.01	< 0.01	< 0.01	<0.01
Nitrate + Nitrite (as N)	0.10	mg/L	MAC = 10	<0.10	<0.10	<0.10	<0.10
Sulfate	1.0	mg/L	AO <= 500	1.8	1.7	1.6	1.6
General Parameters (Wa	ter)						
рН	-	pH units	7.0-10.5	5.9	5.8	5.8	5.8
Alkalinity (total, as CaCO3		mg/L	-	3	2	3	3
Conductivity	,	u\$/cm	_	23.1	23.4	24.1	24.1
Colour		PtCo units	AO <= 15	5	14	11	15
Turbidity		NTU	MAC = 1	0.51	0.58	0.60	0.45
Solids, Total Dissolved / TDS		mg/L	AO <= 500	36	32	63	39
Carbon, Total Organic		mg/L	-	4.80	5.32	4.94	4.97
Calculated Parameters ()	Wator)						
Calculated Parameters ( Nitrate (as N)	-	mg/L	MAC = 10	<0.10	<0.10	<0.10	<0.10
		mg/L	MAC - 10	<0.10 <b>10.6</b>	<0.10 <b>10.1</b>		<0.10 <b>10.2</b>
Hardness, Total (as CaCO3)	0.500	IIIG/L	-	10.6	10.1	10.9	10.2
Total Metals (Water)							
Aluminum, total	0.0050	mg/L	OG < 0.1	0.0826	0.0924	0.0845	0.0903
Antimony, total	0.00020	mg/L	MAC = 0.006	<0.00020	<0.00020	<0.00020	<0.00020
Arsenic, total	0.00050	mg/L	MAC = 0.01	<0.00050	<0.00050	<0.00050	<0.00050
Barium, total	0.0050	mg/L	MAC = 1	0.0112	0.0106	0.0112	0.0111
Beryllium, total	0.00010	mg/L	-	<0.00010	<0.00010	<0.00010	<0.00010
Bismuth, total	0.00010	mg/L	-	<0.00010	<0.00010	<0.00010	<0.00010
Boron, total	0.0050	mg/L	MAC = 5	0.0104	0.0093	0.0089	0.0084
Cadmium, total	0.000010	mg/L	MAC = 0.005	0.000012	<0.000010	<0.000010	<0.000010
Calcium, total	0.20	mg/L	-	3.66	3.49	3.80	3.52
Chromium, total	0.00050		MAC = 0.05	<0.00050	<0.00050	<0.00050	<0.00050
Cobalt, total	0.00010	mg/L	-	<0.00010	<0.00010	<0.00010	<0.00010
	0.00040	-	AO <= 1	0.0528	0.0634	0.101	0.0186
Iron, total		mg/L	AO <= 0.3	0.100	0.102	0.113	0.129

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Work Order: N807180

LAB # SAMPLED DATE SAMPLED TIME SAMPLE ID	MRL	Units	CDWG	N807180-01 24-Jul-18 09:15 Frederick Station	N807180-02 24-Jul-18 09:58 Montreal Circle Reservoir	N807180-03 24-Jul-18 10:30 Pillsbury Station	N807180-04 24-Jul-18 11:30 Sourdough Bay Flushing Station
Total Metals (continu	ed)						
Lead, total	0.00020	ma/l	MAC = 0.01	0.00036	0.00034	0.00042	0.00052
Lithium, total	0.00010		-	0.00019	0.00019	0.00019	0.00018
Magnesium, total		mg/L	-	0.340	0.329	0.344	0.342
Manganese, total	0.00020	-	AO <= 0.05	0.00315	0.00300	0.00326	0.00386
Mercury, total	0.000010		MAC = 0.001	< 0.000010	<0.000010	< 0.000010	< 0.000010
Molybdenum, total	0.00010	-	-	<0.00010	< 0.00010	<0.00010	< 0.00010
Nickel, total	0.00040		-	0.00091	0.00047	<0.00040	0.00044
Phosphorus, total		mg/L	-	<0.050	<0.050	<0.050	<0.050
Potassium, total		mg/L	-	0.35	0.33	0.36	0.36
Selenium, total	0.00050	-	MAC = 0.05	<0.00050	<0.00050	<0.00050	<0.00050
Silicon, total	1.0	mg/L	-	<1.0	<1.0	<1.0	<1.0
Silver, total	0.000050	mg/L	-	<0.000050	<0.000050	<0.000050	<0.000050
Sodium, total	0.10	mg/L	AO <= 200	0.98	0.92	0.96	0.94
Strontium, total	0.0010	mg/L	-	0.0132	0.0133	0.0136	0.0132
Sulfur, total	3.0	mg/L	-	<3.0	<3.0	<3.0	<3.0
Tellurium, total	0.00050	mg/L	-	<0.00050	<0.00050	<0.00050	<0.00050
Thallium, total	0.000020	mg/L	-	<0.000020	<0.000020	<0.000020	<0.000020
Thorium, total	0.00010	mg/L	-	<0.00010	<0.00010	<0.00010	< 0.00010
Tin, total	0.00020	mg/L	-	<0.00020	<0.00020	<0.00020	<0.00020
Titanium, total	0.0050	mg/L	-	<0.0050	<0.0050	<0.0050	<0.0050
Tungsten, total	0.0010	mg/L	-	<0.0010	<0.0010	<0.0010	<0.0010
Uranium, total	0.000020	mg/L	MAC = 0.02	<0.000020	<0.000020	<0.000020	<0.000020
Vanadium, total	0.0010	mg/L	_	<0.0010	<0.0010	<0.0010	<0.0010
Zinc, total	0.0040	mg/L	AO <= 5	0.0083	0.0053	<0.0040	<0.0040
Zirconium, total	0.00010	mg/L	-	<0.00010	<0.00010	<0.00010	<0.00010

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LAB # SAMPLED DATE SAMPLED TIME SAMPLE ID				N807180-05 24-Jul-18 11:30 Shawatlans Lake
	MRL	Units	CDWG	Lake
Anions (Water)				
Chloride	1.0	mg/L	AO <= 250	1.6
Fluoride	0.05	mg/L	MAC = 1.5	<0.10
Nitrite (as N)	0.01	mg/L	MAC = 1	< 0.01
Nitrate + Nitrite (as N)	0.10	mg/L	MAC = 10	<0.10
Sulfate	1.0	mg/L	AO <= 500	1.6
General Parameters (Wo	ater)			
рН	-	pH units	7.0-10.5	6.8
Alkalinity (total, as CaCO		mg/L	-	9
Conductivity	•	u\$/cm	-	19.9
Colour		PtCo units	AO <= 15	43
Turbidity		NTU	MAC = 1	0.38
Solids, Total Dissolved / TD		mg/L	AO <= 500	28
Carbon, Total Organic		mg/L	-	5.03
Calculated Parameters				
Nitrate (as N)		mg/L	MAC = 10	<0.10
Hardness, Total (as		mg/L		<0.10 9.50
CaCO3)	0.000	IIIG/L	_	7.50
Total Metals (Water)				
Aluminum, total	0.0050	mg/L	OG < 0.1	0.0814
Antimony, total	0.00020	mg/L	MAC = 0.006	<0.00020
Arsenic, total	0.00050	mg/L	MAC = 0.01	<0.00050
Barium, total	0.0050	mg/L	MAC = 1	0.0096
Beryllium, total	0.00010	mg/L	-	<0.00010
Bismuth, total	0.00010	mg/L	-	<0.00010
Boron, total	0.0050	mg/L	MAC = 5	0.0082
Cadmium, total	0.000010	mg/L	MAC = 0.005	<0.000010
Calcium, total	0.20	mg/L	-	3.27
Chromium, total	0.00050	mg/L	MAC = 0.05	<0.00050
Cobalt, total	0.00010	mg/L	-	<0.00010
Copper, total	0.00040	mg/L	AO <= 1	0.00179
Iron, total	0.010	mg/L	AO <= 0.3	0.101
Lead, total	0.00020	mg/L	MAC = 0.01	<0.00020

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LAB # SAMPLED DATE SAMPLED TIME SAMPLE ID				N807180-05 24-Jul-18 11:30 Shawatlans Lake
	MRL	Units	CDWG	Lunc
Total Metals (continu	ved)			
Lithium, total	0.00010	mg/L	-	0.00020
Magnesium, total	0.010	mg/L	-	0.323
Manganese, total	0.00020	mg/L	AO <= 0.05	0.00314
Mercury, total	0.000010	mg/L	MAC = 0.001	<0.000010
Molybdenum, total	0.00010	mg/L	-	<0.00010
Nickel, total	0.00040	mg/L	-	<0.00040
Phosphorus, total	0.050	mg/L	-	<0.050
Potassium, total	0.10	mg/L	-	0.34
Selenium, total	0.00050	mg/L	MAC = 0.05	<0.00050
Silicon, total	1.0	mg/L	-	<1.0
Silver, total	0.000050	mg/L	-	<0.000050
Sodium, total	0.10	mg/L	AO <= 200	0.90
Strontium, total	0.0010	mg/L	-	0.0128
Sulfur, total	3.0	mg/L	-	<3.0
Tellurium, total	0.00050	mg/L	-	<0.00050
Thallium, total	0.000020	mg/L	-	<0.000020
Thorium, total	0.00010	mg/L	-	<0.00010
Tin, total	0.00020	mg/L	-	<0.00020
Titanium, total	0.0050	mg/L	-	<0.0050
Tungsten, total	0.0010	mg/L	-	<0.0010
Uranium, total	0.000020	mg/L	MAC = 0.02	<0.000020
Vanadium, total	0.0010	mg/L	-	<0.0010
Zinc, total	0.0040	mg/L	AO <= 5	<0.0040
Zirconium, total	0.00010	mg/L	-	<0.00010



#### City of Prince Rupert - Drinking Water

Work Order: N807180

Glossary of Te	rms
MRL	Method Reporting Limit
<	Less than the reported detection limit (RDL)
mg/L	Milligrams per Litre
NTU	Nephelometric Turbidity Units
pH units	pH units
PtCo units	Platinum Colbalt colour units
u\$/cm	Micro Siemens per centimeter
MAC	Maximum Acceptable Concentration. Values above MAC are formatted with red text and solid outline
AO	Aesthetic Objective (not health related). Values above AO are formatted with a dashed outline.
OG	Operational guideline (for treated water)



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**Work Order:** N804089 **RECEIVED:** 17-Apr-18 Project: Drinking Water Project Number: -Project Manager: Public Works Department

REPORTED: 23-May-18

All analyses were performed in accordance with standard procedures published by BC MoE, Health Canada, Environment Canada, the American Public Health Association, or the US EPA.

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Work Order: N804089

LAB # SAMPLED DATE SAMPLED TIME SAMPLE ID				N804089-01 17-Apr-18 08:52 Frederick Station	N804089-02 17-Apr-18 09:06 Montreal Circle Reservoir	N804089-03 17-Apr-18 10:12 Pillsbury Station	N804089-04 17-Apr-18 10:46 Sourdough Bay Flushing Station
	MRL	Units	CDWG		Reserven		Sidiloff
Anions (Water)							
Chloride	1.0	mg/L	AO <= 250	5.0	5.2	5.2	5.2
Fluoride	0.05	mg/L	MAC = 1.5	<0.10	<0.10	<0.10	<0.10
Nitrite (as N)	0.01	mg/L	MAC = 1	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 0.01	<0.01
Nitrate + Nitrite (as N)	0.10	mg/L	MAC = 10	<0.10	<0.10	<0.10	<0.10
Sulfate	1.0	mg/L	AO <= 500	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6
General Parameters (Wa	ter)						
рН	-	pH units	7.0-10.5	6.0	5.9	5.9	5.9
Alkalinity (total, as CaCO3	) 1	mg/L	-	4	3	4	
Conductivity	-	u\$/cm	_	28.3	28.5	21.7	28.5
Colour		PtCo units	AO <= 15	27	26	25	20
Turbidity		NTU	MAC = 1	0.79	0.69	0.69	0.68
Solids, Total Dissolved / TDS		mg/L	AO <= 500	25	56	35	36
Carbon, Total Organic		mg/L	-	4.37	4.64	4.70	4.72
Calculated Parameters (	Wator)						
Nitrate (as N)	-	mg/L	MAC = 10	<0.10	<0.10	<0.10	<0.10
Hardness, Total (as CaCO3)		mg/L mg/L	- -	9.59	9.19	9.23	9.24
Total Metals (Water)							
Aluminum, total	0.0050	mg/L	OG < 0.1	0.130	0.122	0.117	0.155
Antimony, total	0.00020	mg/L	MAC = 0.006	<0.00020	<0.00020	<0.00020	<0.00020
	0.00050		MAC = 0.01	<0.00050	<0.00050	<0.00050	<0.00050
Barium, total	0.0050	mg/L	MAC = 1	0.0111	0.0106	0.0106	0.0113
Beryllium, total	0.00010	mg/L	-	<0.00010	<0.00010	<0.00010	< 0.00010
	0.00010	-	-	<0.00010	<0.00010	<0.00010	<0.00010
Boron, total	0.0050	-	MAC = 5	0.0056	<0.0050	<0.0050	<0.0050
Cadmium, total	0.000010	-	MAC = 0.005	<0.000010	<0.000010	<0.000010	<0.000010
Calcium, total	0.20	mg/L	-	3.27	3.14	3.17	3.15
Chromium, total	0.00050		MAC = 0.05	<0.00050	<0.00050	<0.00050	<0.00050
	0.00010	-	-	<0.00010	<0.00010	<0.00010	0.00011
	0.00040	-	AO <= 1	0.0302	0.0454	0.0536	0.00943
Iron, total		mg/L	AO <= 0.3	0.239	0.218	0.217	0.392

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<b>Total Metals (continu</b> Lead, total	0.00020	mall	MAC = 0.01	<0.00020	<0.00020	0.00026	0.00041
Lithium, total	0.00010	-		<0.00020 0.00025	0.00020	0.00028	0.00041
Magnesium, total		mg/L	-	0.00025	0.323	0.315	0.333
Maganese, total	0.00020	-	AO <= 0.05	0.00924	0.00793	0.00680	0.0170
Mercury, total	0.000010	-	MAC = 0.001	< 0.00010	<0.00010	< 0.000010	< 0.000010
Meleoly, Iolai Molybdenum, total	0.00010	-		< 0.00010	<0.00010	<0.00010	<0.00010
Nickel, total	0.00040	-	-	< 0.00010	<0.00010	<0.00010	<0.00010
		mg/L	-	< 0.00040	< 0.00040	<0.00040	<0.00040
Phosphorus, total			-				
Potassium, total		mg/L	-	0.39	0.38	0.36	0.38
Selenium, total	0.00050		MAC = 0.05	<0.00050	<0.00050	<0.00050	<0.00050
Silicon, total		mg/L	-	1.3	1.3	1.2	1.3
Silver, total	0.000050	-	-	<0.000050	<0.000050	<0.000050	<0.000050
Sodium, total		mg/L	AO <= 200	1.04	0.96	0.93	0.92
Strontium, total	0.0010		-	0.0112	0.0110	0.0111	0.0110
Sulfur, total		mg/L	-	<3.0	<3.0	<3.0	<3.0
Tellurium, total	0.00050	-	-	<0.00050	<0.00050	<0.00050	<0.00050
Thallium, total	0.000020	mg/L	-	<0.000020	<0.000020	<0.000020	<0.000020
Thorium, total	0.00010	mg/L	-	<0.00010	<0.00010	<0.00010	<0.00010
Tin, total	0.00020	mg/L	-	<0.00020	<0.00020	<0.00020	<0.00020
Titanium, total	0.0050	mg/L	-	<0.0050	<0.0050	<0.0050	0.0054
Tungsten, total	0.0010	mg/L	-	< 0.0010	<0.0010	<0.0010	< 0.0010
Uranium, total	0.000020	mg/L	MAC = 0.02	<0.000020	<0.000020	<0.000020	<0.000020
Vanadium, total	0.0010	mg/L	-	<0.0010	<0.0010	<0.0010	<0.0010
Zinc, total	0.0040	mg/L	AO <= 5	<0.0040	<0.0040	<0.0040	<0.0040
Zirconium, total	0.00010	mg/L	-	<0.00010	<0.00010	<0.00010	<0.00010



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	MRL	Units	CDWG		
Anions (Water)					
Chloride	1.0	mg/L	AO <= 250	1.8	
Fluoride	0.05	mg/L	MAC = 1.5	<0.10	
Nitrite (as N)	0.01	mg/L	MAC = 1	< 0.01	
Nitrate + Nitrite (as N)	0.10	mg/L	MAC = 10	<0.10	
Sulfate	1.0	mg/L	AO <= 500	1.6	
General Parameters (Wa	ıter)				
рН	-	pH units	7.0-10.5	6.7	
Alkalinity (total, as CaCO3		mg/L	-	8	
Conductivity	-	u\$/cm	-	24.5	
Colour		PtCo units	AO <= 15	47	
Turbidity		NTU	MAC = 1	1.80	
Solids, Total Dissolved / TDS		mg/L	AO <= 500	37	
Carbon, Total Organic		mg/L	-	4.74	
	(Mator)				
Calculated Parameters (		mall	MAC = 10	<0.10	
Nitrate (as N)		mg/L mg/L	MAC = 10	<0.10 <b>8.81</b>	
Hardness, Total (as CaCO3)	0.300	mg/L	-	8.81	
Total Metals (Water)					
Aluminum, total	0.0050	mg/L	OG < 0.1	0.117	
Antimony, total	0.00020	mg/L	MAC = 0.006	<0.00020	
Arsenic, total	0.00050	mg/L	MAC = 0.01	<0.00050	
Barium, total	0.0050	mg/L	MAC = 1	0.0104	
Beryllium, total	0.00010	mg/L	-	<0.00010	
Bismuth, total	0.00010	mg/L	-	<0.00010	
Boron, total	0.0050	mg/L	MAC = 5	<0.0050	
Cadmium, total	0.000010	mg/L	MAC = 0.005	<0.000010	
Calcium, total	0.20	mg/L	-	3.01	
Chromium, total	0.00050	mg/L	MAC = 0.05	<0.00050	
Cobalt, total	0.00010	mg/L	-	<0.00010	
Copper, total	0.00040	mg/L	AO <= 1	0.00150	
Iron, total	0.010	mg/L	AO <= 0.3	0.200	
Lead, total	0.00020	mg/L	MAC = 0.01	<0.00020	

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	MRL	Units	CDWG	Edite
Total Metals (continu	ed)			
Lithium, total	0.00010	mg/L	-	0.00014
Magnesium, total	0.010	mg/L	-	0.310
Manganese, total	0.00020	mg/L	AO <= 0.05	0.00775
Mercury, total	0.000010	mg/L	MAC = 0.001	<0.000010
Molybdenum, total	0.00010	mg/L	-	<0.00010
Nickel, total	0.00040	mg/L	-	<0.00040
Phosphorus, total	0.050	mg/L	-	<0.050
Potassium, total	0.10	mg/L	-	0.35
Selenium, total	0.00050	mg/L	MAC = 0.05	<0.00050
Silicon, total	1.0	mg/L	-	1.2
Silver, total	0.000050	mg/L	-	<0.000050
Sodium, total	0.10	mg/L	AO <= 200	0.89
Strontium, total	0.0010	mg/L	-	0.0107
Sulfur, total	3.0	mg/L	-	<3.0
Tellurium, total	0.00050	mg/L	-	<0.00050
Thallium, total	0.000020	mg/L	-	<0.000020
Thorium, total	0.00010	mg/L	-	<0.00010
Tin, total	0.00020	mg/L	-	<0.00020
Titanium, total	0.0050	mg/L	-	<0.0050
Tungsten, total	0.0010	mg/L	-	<0.0010
Uranium, total	0.000020	mg/L	MAC = 0.02	<0.000020
Vanadium, total	0.0010	mg/L	-	<0.0010
Zinc, total	0.0040	mg/L	AO <= 5	<0.0040
Zirconium, total	0.00010	mg/L	-	<0.00010



#### **City of Prince Rupert - Drinking Water**

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#### **Glossary of Terms** MRL Method Reporting Limit < Less than the reported detection limit (RDL) Milligrams per Litre mg/L NTU Nephelometric Turbidity Units pH units pH units PtCo units Platinum Colbalt colour units Micro Siemens per centimeter uS/cm Maximum Acceptable Concentration. Values above MAC are formatted with red text and solid outline. MAC Aesthetic Objective (not health related). Values above AO are formatted with a dashed outline. AO Operational guideline (for treated water) OG Standards / Guidelines Referenced



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City of Prince Rupert 424 3rd Avenue West Prince Rupert BC, V8J 1L7 water@princerupert.ca Project: New Landfill Project Number: -Project Manager: Public Works Department

**Work Order:** N803097 **RECEIVED:** 15-Mar-18

REPORTED: 25-Apr-18

All analyses were performed in accordance with standard procedures published by BC MoE, Health Canada, Environment Canada, the American Public Health Association, or the US EPA.

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Jesse Newton Laboratory Manager



City of Prince Rupert					Work Orde	r: N803097
LAB # SAMPLED DATE SAMPLED TIME SAMPLE ID	MRL	Units	N803097-01 15-Mar-18 10:20 Lower East Creek	N803097-02 15-Mar-18 09:47 Lower West Creek	N803097-03 15-Mar-18 09:57 MW 04	N803097-04 15-Mar-18 10:50 MW 15
Anions (Water)						
Chloride	1.0	mg/L	4.8	5.1	4.1	3.1
Nitrite (as N)		mg/L	<0.01	<0.01	<b>4.1</b> <0.01	<0.01
Nitrate+Nitrite (as N)		mg/L	0.562	0.0347	0.0683	<b>0.214</b>
Sulfate		mg/L	69.3	5.1	<1.0	59.6
Solicie	1.0	IIIG/L	07.3	5.1	<1.0	57.0
General Parameters (V	Vater)					
рН	1.0	pH units	7.6	7.4	8.1	8.0
Conductivity	1.0	u\$/cm	244	82.2	478	492
Biochemical Oxygen Demand / BOD	4.0	mg/L	<4.0	<4.0	<4.0	<4.0
Chemical Oxygen Dem COD	and / 20	mg/L	<20	<20	<20	<20
Solids, Total Dissolved / T	IDS 1.0	mg/L	160	54		
Solids, Total Suspended	/ TSS 1.0	mg/L	<1.0	1.9		
Ammonia (total as N)	0.03	mg/L	<0.03	0.05	0.12	<0.03
Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl	0.050	mg/L			0.145	0.091
Calculated Parameter	s (Water)					
Nitrate (as N)	0.010	mg/L	0.56	0.035	0.068	0.21
Hardness, Total (as CaCO3)	0.500	mg/L	100	31.1	101	185
Hardness, Total (as CaCO3)	0.500	mg/L	98.9	31.9		
Nitrogen, Total	0.0500	mg/L			0.213	0.305
Dissolved Metals (Wate	er)					
Aluminum, dissolved	0.0050	mg/L	0.0544	0.0550	<0.0050	<0.0050
Antimony, dissolved	0.00020		<0.00020	<0.00020	<0.00020	<0.00020
Arsenic, dissolved	0.00050	-	<0.00050	<0.00050	0.00094	0.00056
Barium, dissolved	0.0050	mg/L	0.0191	0.0165	0.0227	0.0482
Beryllium, dissolved	0.00010	mg/L	<0.00010	<0.00010	<0.00010	<0.00010
Bismuth, dissolved	0.00010	mg/L	<0.00010	<0.00010	<0.00010	<0.00010
Boron, dissolved	0.0050	mg/L	0.0080	<0.0050	0.0537	0.0079
Cadmium, dissolved	0.000010	mg/L	0.000029	<0.000010	0.000015	0.000033
Calcium, dissolved	0.20	mg/L	35.3	11.0	17.1	58.0
Chromium, dissolved	0.00050	mg/L	<0.00050	<0.00050	<0.00050	<0.00050
Cobalt, dissolved	0.00010	mg/L	<0.00010	<0.00010	<0.00010	<0.00010
Copper, dissolved	0.00040	mg/L	0.00073	0.00044	0.00046	0.00045

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LAB # SAMPLED DATE SAMPLED TIME SAMPLE ID	MRL	Units	N803097-01 15-Mar-18 10:20 Lower East Creek	N803097-02 15-Mar-18 09:47 Lower West Creek	N803097-03 15-Mar-18 09:57 MW 04	N803097-04 15-Mar-18 10:50 MW 15
Dissolved Metals (conti	nued)					
Iron, dissolved	-	mg/L	0.098	0.139	0.028	<0.010
Lead, dissolved	0.00020	-	<0.00020	<0.00020	<0.00020	< 0.00020
Lithium, dissolved	0.00010	-	0.00030	<0.00010	0.00480	0.00077
Magnesium, dissolved		mg/L	2.88	0.896	14.2	9.80
Manganese, dissolved	0.00020	-	0.00691	0.0239	0.0305	0.00039
Mercury, dissolved	0.000010	-	<0.000010	<0.000010	<0.000010	<0.000010
Molybdenum, dissolved	0.00010	mg/L	0.00115	< 0.00010	0.00037	0.00849
Nickel, dissolved	0.00040	mg/L	0.00135	<0.00040	<0.00040	<0.00040
Phosphorus, dissolved	0.050	mg/L	< 0.050	< 0.050	< 0.050	< 0.050
Potassium, dissolved	0.10	mg/L	2.65	1.03	12.7	5.89
Selenium, dissolved	0.00050	mg/L	0.00108	<0.00050	<0.00050	<0.00050
Silicon, dissolved	1.0	mg/L	1.4	1.7	6.5	4.8
Silver, dissolved	0.000050	mg/L	<0.000050	<0.000050	<0.000050	<0.000050
Sodium, dissolved	0.10	mg/L	2.41	2.06	58.9	29.1
Strontium, dissolved	0.0010	mg/L	0.128	0.0288	0.374	0.368
Sulfur, dissolved	3.0	mg/L	20.0	<3.0	<3.0	19.3
Tellurium, dissolved	0.00050	mg/L	<0.00050	<0.00050	<0.00050	<0.00050
Thallium, dissolved	0.000020	mg/L	<0.000020	<0.000020	<0.000020	<0.000020
Thorium, dissolved	0.00010	mg/L	<0.00010	<0.00010	<0.00010	< 0.00010
Tin, dissolved	0.00020	mg/L	<0.00020	<0.00020	<0.00020	<0.00020
Titanium, dissolved	0.0050	mg/L	<0.0050	<0.0050	<0.0050	<0.0050
Tungsten, dissolved	0.0010	mg/L	<0.0010	<0.0010	0.0021	<0.0010
Uranium, dissolved	0.000020	mg/L	0.000636	<0.000020	0.000117	0.00283
Vanadium, dissolved	0.0010	mg/L	<0.0010	<0.0010	<0.0010	<0.0010
Zinc, dissolved	0.0040	mg/L	<0.0040	<0.0040	<0.0040	0.0041
Zirconium, dissolved	0.00010	mg/L	<0.00010	<0.00010	<0.00010	<0.00010
Total Metals (Water)						
Aluminum, total	0.0050	mg/L	0.109	0.0754		
Antimony, total	0.00020	-	<0.00020	<0.00020		
Arsenic, total	0.00050	-	<0.00050	< 0.00050		
Barium, total		mg/L	0.0255	0.0212		
Beryllium, total	0.00010	-	<0.00010	<0.00010		
Bismuth, total	0.00010		<0.00010	<0.00010		
Boron, total		mg/L	0.0242	0.0147		
Cadmium, total	0.000010	-	0.000030	<0.000010		

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Zinc, total

Zirconium, total

0.0040 mg/L

0.00010 mg/L

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	MRL	Units	Oreck	Greek		
Total Metals (continu	ed)					
Calcium, total		mg/L	34.2	11.0		
Chromium, total	0.00050	-	<0.00050	<0.00050		
Cobalt, total	0.00010	-	<0.00010	< 0.00010		
Copper, total	0.00040	mg/L	0.00102	0.00055		
Iron, total	0.010	mg/L	0.180	0.243		
Lead, total	0.00020	mg/L	0.00022	<0.00020		
Lithium, total	0.00010	mg/L	0.00043	< 0.00010		
Magnesium, total	0.010	mg/L	3.25	1.07		
Manganese, total	0.00020	mg/L	0.00846	0.0275		
Mercury, total	0.000010	mg/L	<0.000010	<0.000010		
Molybdenum, total	0.00010	mg/L	0.00133	<0.00010		
Nickel, total	0.00040	mg/L	0.00163	<0.00040		
Phosphorus, total	0.050	mg/L	<0.050	< 0.050		
Potassium, total	0.10	mg/L	2.82	1.19		
Selenium, total	0.00050	mg/L	0.00126	<0.00050		
Silicon, total	1.0	mg/L	1.5	1.8		
Silver, total	0.000050	mg/L	<0.000050	<0.000050		
Sodium, total	0.10	mg/L	2.59	2.31		
Strontium, total	0.0010	mg/L	0.146	0.0332		
Sulfur, total	3.0	mg/L	21.6	<3.0		
Tellurium, total	0.00050	mg/L	<0.00050	<0.00050		
Thallium, total	0.000020	mg/L	<0.000020	<0.000020		
Thorium, total	0.00010	mg/L	<0.00010	<0.00010		
Tin, total	0.00020	mg/L	<0.00020	<0.00020		
Titanium, total	0.0050	mg/L	<0.0050	<0.0050		
Tungsten, total	0.0010	mg/L	<0.0010	<0.0010		
Uranium, total	0.000020	mg/L	0.000782	0.000022		
Vanadium, total	0.0010	mg/L	<0.0010	<0.0010		

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	MRL	Units				
Anions (Water)						
Chloride	1.0	mg/L	7.1	156	165	487
Nitrite (as N)	0.01	mg/L	<0.01	0.01	0.03	< 0.01
Nitrate+Nitrite (as N)	0.0050	mg/L	0.219	2.81	0.432	0.652
Sulfate	1.0	mg/L	4.7	40.6	25.7	108
General Parameters (W	/ater)					
рН	1.0	pH units	8.1	8.1	7.3	8.0
Conductivity	1.0	u\$/cm	578	2090	2020	5850
Biochemical Oxygen Demand / BOD	4.0	mg/L	<4.0	18	11	<38
Chemical Oxygen Demo	and / 20	mg/L	<20	101	100	394
Solids, Total Dissolved / T	DS 1.0	mg/L		900	840	2400
Solids, Total Suspended ,	/ TSS 1.0	mg/L		36	36	32
Ammonia (total as N)	0.03	mg/L	<0.03	92.6	82.6	375
Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl	0.050	mg/L	0.083			
Calculated Parameters	s (Water)					
Nitrate (as N)	0.010	mg/L	0.22	2.8	0.40	0.65
Hardness, Total (as CaCO3)	0.500	mg/L	37.4	456	405	1070
Hardness, Total (as CaCO3)	0.500	mg/L		481	422	1100
Nitrogen, Total	0.0500	mg/L	0.302			
Dissolved Metals (Wate	er)					
Aluminum, dissolved	0.0050	mg/L	<0.0050	0.0159	0.0057	0.0642
Antimony, dissolved	0.00020	mg/L	<0.00020	0.00085	0.00025	0.00306
Arsenic, dissolved	0.00050	mg/L	0.00306	0.00288	0.00071	0.0192
Barium, dissolved	0.0050	mg/L	0.0240	0.0762	0.0891	0.226
Beryllium, dissolved	0.00010	mg/L	<0.00010	<0.00010	<0.00010	<0.00010
Bismuth, dissolved	0.00010	mg/L	<0.00010	<0.00010	<0.00010	<0.00010
Boron, dissolved	0.0050	mg/L	0.116	1.31	1.26	4.66
Cadmium, dissolved	0.000010	mg/L	0.000015	0.000016	<0.000010	0.000029
Calcium, dissolved	0.20	mg/L	9.35	151	135	318
Chromium, dissolved	0.00050	-	<0.00050	0.00367	0.00150	0.0257
Cobalt, dissolved	0.00010	-	<0.00010	0.00252	0.00249	0.00798

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	MRL	Units				
Dissolved Metals (conti	nued)					
Copper, dissolved	0.00040	mg/L	0.00262	0.00312	0.00043	0.00138
Iron, dissolved	0.010	mg/L	< 0.010	0.371	0.227	0.941
Lead, dissolved	0.00020	mg/L	<0.00020	<0.00020	<0.00020	0.00040
Lithium, dissolved	0.00010	mg/L	0.00101	0.00866	0.00294	0.0523
Magnesium, dissolved	0.010	mg/L	3.42	19.1	16.0	66.0
Manganese, dissolved	0.00020	mg/L	0.00033	0.672	0.758	2.36
Mercury, dissolved	0.000010	mg/L	<0.000010	<0.000010	<0.00010	<0.000010
Molybdenum, dissolved	0.00010	mg/L	0.00633	0.00063	0.00039	0.00099
Nickel, dissolved	0.00040	mg/L	<0.00040	0.00799	0.00530	0.0329
Phosphorus, dissolved		mg/L	0.234	0.139	< 0.050	4.00
Potassium, dissolved		mg/L	6.03	67.0	56.0	193
Selenium, dissolved	0.00050	-	< 0.00050	<0.00050	< 0.00050	0.00068
Silicon, dissolved		mg/L	4.9	6.8	7.3	18.9
Silver, dissolved	0.000050	-	<0.000050	< 0.000050	<0.000050	<0.000050
Sodium, dissolved		mg/L	121	115	113	372
Strontium, dissolved	0.0010	-	0.0639	0.869	0.786	2.63
Sulfur, dissolved		mg/L	<3.0	14.5	9.9	48.0
Tellurium, dissolved	0.00050	-	< 0.00050	<0.00050	< 0.00050	< 0.00050
Thallium, dissolved	0.000020	-	<0.000020	<0.000020	<0.00020	<0.000020
Thorium, dissolved	0.00010	-	< 0.00010	<0.00010	< 0.00010	< 0.00010
Tin, dissolved	0.00020	-	<0.00020	<0.00020	< 0.00020	0.00091
Titanium, dissolved	0.0050	-	< 0.0050	< 0.0050	< 0.0050	0.0123
Tungsten, dissolved	0.0010	-	0.0022	<0.0010	< 0.0010	0.0012
Uranium, dissolved	0.000020		0.00256	0.000321	0.000255	0.000734
Vanadium, dissolved	0.0010	-	< 0.0010	< 0.0010	< 0.0010	0.0057
Zinc, dissolved	0.0040	-	0.0649	0.0143	0.0057	0.0321
Zirconium, dissolved	0.00010		< 0.00010	0.00048	0.00031	0.00264
Total Metals (Water)						
Aluminum, total	0.0050	ma/l		0.180	0.122	0.0944
Antimony, total	0.00020	-		0.00100	0.00031	0.00355
Arsenic, total	0.00050			0.00338	0.00147	0.0201
Barium, total	0.0050	-		0.122	0.169	0.278
Beryllium, total	0.00010	-		< 0.00010	< 0.00010	< 0.00010
Bismuth, total	0.00010	-		<0.00010	0.00010	<0.00010
Boron, total	0.00010	•		1.39	1.34	<0.00010 <b>4.54</b>
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	MRL	Units		Discinarge	(manneley	
Total Metals (continu	ed)					
Cadmium, total	0.000010	mg/L		0.000051	0.000051	0.000056
Calcium, total		mg/L		157	141	321
Chromium, total	0.00050			0.00500	0.00219	0.0283
Cobalt, total	0.00010	-		0.00304	0.00296	0.00879
Copper, total	0.00040	-		0.00564	0.00667	0.00271
Iron, total		mg/L		2.25	11.1	1.10
Lead, total	0.00020			0.00050	0.00045	0.00083
Lithium, total	0.00010	-		0.0117	0.00392	0.0582
Magnesium, total		mg/L		21.6	17.2	72.0
Manganese, total	0.00020			0.785	0.776	2.42
Mercury, total	0.000010	-		<0.000010	<0.000010	0.000010
Molybdenum, total	0.00010	-		0.00082	0.00058	0.00135
Nickel, total	0.00040	mg/L		0.00949	0.00620	0.0368
Phosphorus, total	0.050	mg/L		0.532	0.874	4.57
Potassium, total	0.10	mg/L		72.4	57.1	269
Selenium, total	0.00050			<0.00050	<0.00050	0.00079
Silicon, total	1.0	mg/L		7.6	7.7	19.5
Silver, total	0.000050	-		<0.000050	<0.000050	<0.000050
Sodium, total		mg/L		131	121	410
Strontium, total	0.0010	mg/L		0.950	0.827	2.79
Sulfur, total	3.0	mg/L		16.4	10.7	51.3
Tellurium, total	0.00050	mg/L		<0.00050	<0.00050	<0.00050
Thallium, total	0.000020	mg/L		<0.000020	<0.00020	<0.000020
Thorium, total	0.00010	mg/L		< 0.00010	< 0.00010	<0.00010
Tin, total	0.00020	mg/L		0.00033	0.00039	0.00137
Titanium, total	0.0050	-		0.0125	0.0099	0.0139
Tungsten, total	0.0010	mg/L		0.0010	<0.0010	0.0020
Uranium, total	0.000020	mg/L		0.000392	0.000320	0.000837
Vanadium, total	0.0010	mg/L		0.0019	0.0021	0.0062
Zinc, total	0.0040	mg/L		0.0272	0.0123	0.0656
Zirconium, total	0.00010	mg/L		0.00059	0.00039	0.00222



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LAB # SAMPLED DATE		N803097-09 15-Mar-18	
SAMPLED TIME		10:25	
SAMPLE ID		East Creek Tributary	
	MRL Units	moorary	
General Parameters	(Water)		
Conductivity	1.0 uS/cm	97.6	

MRL	Method Reporting Limit
<	Less than the reported detection limit (RDL)
mg/L	Milligrams per Litre
pH units	pH units
u\$/cm	Micro Siemens per centimeter



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Work Order: N812013

SAMPLED TIME 10:40 SAMPLE ID Pillsbury MRL Units CDWG Haloacetic Acids (Water)
Haloacetic Acids (Water)
Monochloroacetic Acid 0.0020 mg/L - <0.0020
Monobromoacetic Acid 0.0020 mg/L - <0.0020
Dichloroacetic Acid 0.0020 mg/L - 0.0699
Trichloroacetic Acid         0.0200 mg/L         -         0.0732
Dibromoacetic Acid 0.0020 mg/L - <0.0020
Total Haloacetic Acids 0.0200 mg/L MAC = 0.08 0.143 (HAA5)
2-Bromopropionic Acid 70-130 [surr] - 112%

Glossary of Ter	ms
MRL	Method Reporting Limit
<	Less than the reported detection limit (RDL)
mg/L	Milligrams per Litre
MAC	Maximum Acceptable Concentration. Values above MAC are formatted with red text and solid outline.
AO	Aesthetic Objective (not health related). Values above AO are formatted with a dashed outline.
MAC AO OG	Operational guideline (for treated water)

#### Standards / Guidelines Referenced



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REPORTED: 21-Oct-18

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Work Order: N809156

LAB # SAMPLED DATE SAMPLED TIME SAMPLE ID			N809156-01 26-Sep-18 08:30 Pillsbury Station
	MRL Units	CDWG	
Haloacetic Acids (Wate	r)		
Monochloroacetic Acid	0.0020 mg/L	-	<0.0020
Monobromoacetic Acid	0.0020 mg/L	-	<0.0020
Dichloroacetic Acid	0.0020 mg/L	-	0.0817
Trichloroacetic Acid	0.0200 mg/L	-	0.127
Dibromoacetic Acid	0.0020 mg/L	-	<0.0020
Total Haloacetic Acids (HAA5)	0.0200 mg/L	MAC = 0.08	0.209
2-Bromopropionic Acid	70-130 [surr]	-	112%

Glossary of Terms	5
MRL	Method Reporting Limit
<	Less than the reported detection limit (RDL)
mg/L	Milligrams per Litre
МАС	Maximum Acceptable Concentration. Values above MAC are formatted with red text and solid outline.
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MAC AO OG	Operational guideline (for treated water)

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REPORTED: 06-Jul-18

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Work Order: N806073

LAB # SAMPLED DATE SAMPLED TIME			N806073-01 12-Jun-18 10:50
SAMPLE ID			Pillsbury Station
	MRL Units	CDWG	
Haloacetic Acids (Water	r)		
Monochloroacetic Acid	0.0020 mg/L	-	<0.0020
Monobromoacetic Acid	0.0020 mg/L	-	<0.0020
Dichloroacetic Acid	0.0200 mg/L	-	0.0894
Trichloroacetic Acid	0.0200 mg/L	-	0.116
Dibromoacetic Acid	0.0020 mg/L	-	<0.0020
Total Haloacetic Acids (HAA5)	0.0200 mg/L	MAC = 0.08	0.206
2-Bromopropionic Acid	70-130 [surr]	-	108%

Glossary of Term	S
MRL	Method Reporting Limit
<	Less than the reported detection limit (RDL)
mg/L	Milligrams per Litre
MAC	Maximum Acceptable Concentration. Values above MAC are formatted with red text and solid outline.
MAC AO OG	Aesthetic Objective (not health related). Values above AO are formatted with a dashed outline.
OG	Operational guideline (for treated water)

#### Standards / Guidelines Referenced



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**Work Order:** N803084 **RECEIVED:** 14-Mar-18

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Work Order: N803084

LAB # SAMPLED DATE SAMPLED TIME			N803084-01 15-Mar-18 10:10
SAMPLE ID	MRL Units	CDWG	Pillsbury Station
Haloacetic Acids (Water	r)		
Monochloroacetic Acid	0.0020 mg/L	-	<0.0020
Monobromoacetic Acid	0.0020 mg/L	-	<0.0020
Dichloroacetic Acid	0.0020 mg/L	-	0.0575
Trichloroacetic Acid	0.0200 mg/L	-	0.0720
Dibromoacetic Acid	0.0020 mg/L	-	<0.0020
Total Haloacetic Acids (HAA5)	0.0200 mg/L	MAC = 0.08	0.130
2-Bromopropionic Acid	70-130 [surr]	-	95%

Glossary of T	erms
MRL	Method Reporting Limit
<	Less than the reported detection limit (RDL)
mg/L	Milligrams per Litre
MAC	Maximum Acceptable Concentration. Values above MAC are formatted with red text and solid outline.
AO	Aesthetic Objective (not health related). Values above AO are formatted with a dashed outline.
MAC AO OG	Operational guideline (for treated water)

#### Standards / Guidelines Referenced



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Work Order: N802021

LAB # SAMPLED DATE SAMPLED TIME			N802021-01 06-Feb-18 10:13
SAMPLE ID		0.514/0	Pillsbury Stn
	MRL Units	CDWG	
Haloacetic Acids (Water	r)		
Monochloroacetic Acid	0.0020 mg/L	-	<0.0020
Monobromoacetic Acid	0.0020 mg/L	-	<0.0020
Dichloroacetic Acid	0.0020 mg/L	-	0.0620
Trichloroacetic Acid	0.0200 mg/L	-	0.128
Dibromoacetic Acid	0.0020 mg/L	-	<0.0020
Total Haloacetic Acids (HAA5)	0.0200 mg/L	MAC = 0.08	0.190
2-Bromopropionic Acid	70-130 [surr]	-	100%

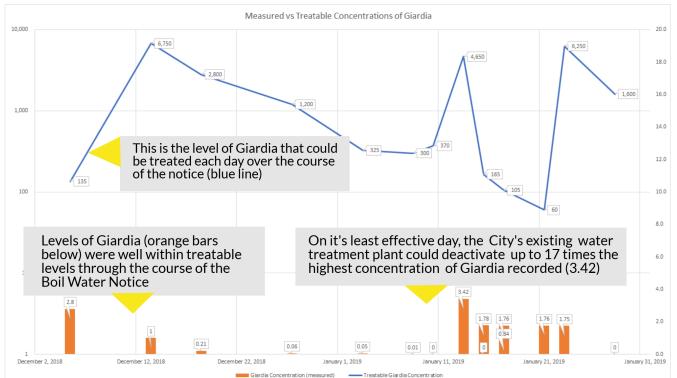
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MRL	Method Reporting Limit
<	Less than the reported detection limit (RDL)
mg/L	Milligrams per Litre
MAC	Maximum Acceptable Concentration. Values above MAC are formatted with red text and solid outline.
MAC AO OG	Aesthetic Objective (not health related). Values above AO are formatted with a dashed outline.
OG	Operational guideline (for treated water)

#### Standards / Guidelines Referenced

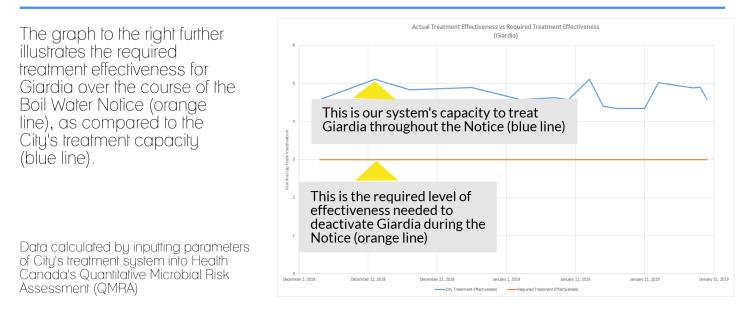


# WATER TEST RESULTS

# Giardia Results



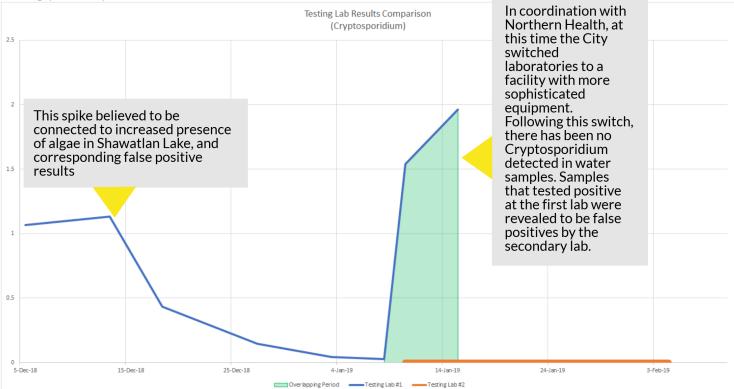
The above graph describes measured levels of Giardia as compared to treatment capacity of City's chlorination system. Effectiveness of treatment (shown in the blue line) depends on a number of factors which the City tracked during the Boil Water Notice, including temperature, pH, concentration of chlorine, and the water's contact time with chlorine. Over the entire course of the notice, the City's water treatment system was well within its ability to treat (render harmless) the amounts of Giardia detected (as shown in the orange bars).





# WATER TEST RESULTS

# Cryptosporidium Results



Our chlorination system can treat Giardia, but it is not fully effective in deactivating Cryptosporidium, which was the primary motivation for the Boil Water Notice. The above graph describes <u>perceived</u> levels of Cryptosporidium in the City's water supply over the course of the Boil Water Notice. However, as noted in the After-Incident Report, the City now believes that the initial test result for Cryptosporidium was a false positive.

This is due to a number of factors:

- Cryptosporidium is easy to misidentify without sophisticated equipment, which is why additional tests were done when a small amount of Cryptosporidium was detected in November.
- The City switched to a more sophisticated lab after it was revealed that the testing designation for the original lab had lapsed after a change in ownership.
- As observed in the graph above, testing at a secondary, more sophisticated lab has not confirmed the presence of Cryptosporidium in any test result.
- Water sample's tested by both labs showed that Lab #1 misidentified algae as Cryptosporidium in a sample taken January 11th.
- An aerial photograph and patrol of Shawatlan Lake conducted in late December revealed an algal bloom present in the lake.

Unfortunately, there is no way to confirm whether the initial tests were false positives, as the slides were discarded by the first lab. Given the result provided, the regulator (Northern Health) and the City acted in the best interests of public health by putting a Boil Water Notice into effect.