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ATTENTION	Keith Hanson	**WORK ORDER**	25C1055
PO NUMBER		**RECEIVED / TEMP**	2025-03-10 11:53 / 13.1°C
PROJECT	Water Bacteriology	**REPORTED**	2025-03-25 11:35
PROJECT INFO	No Project	**COC NUMBER**	No Number

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TEST RESULTS

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Analyte	Result	Guideline	RL	Units	Analyzed	Qualifier
Lodge Station - North Well - Well 2 - WPID 19071 (WT# 8698) (25C1055-01) | Matrix: Water | Sampled: 2025-03-10 11:20						
Anions						
Chloride	**67.4**	AO ≤ 250	0.10	mg/L	2025-03-11	
Fluoride	**0.10**	MAC = 1.5	0.10	mg/L	2025-03-11	
Nitrate (as N)	**0.169**	MAC = 10	0.010	mg/L	2025-03-11	
Nitrite (as N)	< 0.010	MAC = 1	0.010	mg/L	2025-03-11	
Sulfate	**59.8**	AO ≤ 500	1.0	mg/L	2025-03-11	
Biological Activity Reaction Tests						
Iron Related Bacteria	< 1	N/A	1	CFU/mL	2025-03-10	
Calculated Parameters						
Hardness, Total (as CaCO3)	**335**	None Required	0.500	mg/L	N/A	
Solids, Total Dissolved	**443**	AO ≤ 500	2.50	mg/L	N/A	
General Parameters						
Alkalinity, Total (as CaCO3)	**247**	N/A	1.0	mg/L	2025-03-11	
Alkalinity, Phenolphthalein (as CaCO3)	< 1.0	N/A	1.0	mg/L	2025-03-11	
Alkalinity, Bicarbonate (as CaCO3)	**247**	N/A	1.0	mg/L	2025-03-11	
Alkalinity, Carbonate (as CaCO3)	< 1.0	N/A	1.0	mg/L	2025-03-11	
Alkalinity, Hydroxide (as CaCO3)	< 1.0	N/A	1.0	mg/L	2025-03-11	
Conductivity (EC)	**803**	N/A	2.0	µS/cm	2025-03-11	
Cyanide, Total	< 0.0020	MAC = 0.2	0.0020	mg/L	2025-03-11	
pH	**8.05**	7.0-10.5	0.10	pH units	2025-03-11	HT2
Turbidity	**0.88**	OG < 1	0.10	NTU	2025-03-13	
Microbiological Parameters						
Coliforms, Total	< 1	MAC = 0	1	CFU/100 mL	2025-03-10	
E. coli	< 1	MAC = 0	1	CFU/100 mL	2025-03-10	
Total Metals						
Aluminum, total	< 0.0050	OG < 0.1	0.0050	mg/L	2025-03-11	
Antimony, total	< 0.00020	MAC = 0.006	0.00020	mg/L	2025-03-11	
Arsenic, total	**0.00099**	MAC = 0.01	0.00050	mg/L	2025-03-11	
Barium, total	**0.0568**	MAC = 2	0.0050	mg/L	2025-03-11	
Boron, total	< 0.0500	MAC = 5	0.0500	mg/L	2025-03-11	
Cadmium, total	**0.000097**	MAC = 0.007	0.000010	mg/L	2025-03-11	
Calcium, total	**89.7**	None Required	0.20	mg/L	2025-03-11	
Chromium, total	< 0.00050	MAC = 0.05	0.00050	mg/L	2025-03-11	
Copper, total	**0.00132**	MAC = 2	0.00040	mg/L	2025-03-11	
Iron, total	**0.292**	AO ≤ 0.3	0.010	mg/L	2025-03-11	
Lead, total	< 0.00020	MAC = 0.005	0.00020	mg/L	2025-03-11	
Magnesium, total	**27.0**	None Required	0.010	mg/L	2025-03-11	
Manganese, total	**0.159**	MAC = 0.12	0.00020	mg/L	2025-03-11	
Potassium, total	**5.33**	N/A	0.10	mg/L	2025-03-11	
Selenium, total	**0.00117**	MAC = 0.05	0.00050	mg/L	2025-03-11	

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Total Metals, Continued						
Sodium, total	**42.6**	AO ≤ 200	0.10	mg/L	2025-03-11	
Strontium, total	**0.620**	MAC = 7	0.0010	mg/L	2025-03-11	
Uranium, total	**0.00640**	MAC = 0.02	0.000020	mg/L	2025-03-11	
Zinc, total	< 0.0040	AO ≤ 5	0.0040	mg/L	2025-03-11	

Sample Qualifiers:

HT2 The 15 minute recommended holding time (from sampling to analysis) has been exceeded - field analysis is recommended.

APPENDIX 1: SUPPORTING INFORMATION

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Analysis Description	Method Ref.	Technique	Accredited	Location
Alkalinity in Water	SM 2320 B* (2021)	Titration with H2SO4	✓	Kelowna
Anions in Water	SM 4110 B (2020)	Ion Chromatography	✓	Kelowna
Coliforms, Total in Water	SM 9222* (2015)	Membrane Filtration / Chromocult Agar	✓	Kelowna
Conductivity in Water	SM 2510 B (2021)	Conductivity Meter	✓	Kelowna
Cyanide, SAD in Water	ASTM D7511-12	Flow Injection with In-Line UV Digestion and Amperometry	✓	Kelowna
E. coli in Water	SM 9222* (2015)	Membrane Filtration / Chromocult Agar	✓	Kelowna
Hardness in Water	SM 2340 B* (2021)	Calculation: 2.497 [total Ca] + 4.118 [total Mg] (Est)	✓	N/A
Iron Reducing Bacteria in Water	DBI DBISOP06	Biological Activity Reaction Test		Kelowna
pH in Water	SM 4500-H+ B (2021)	Electrometry	✓	Kelowna
Solids, Total Dissolved in Water	SM 1030 E (2021)	SM 1030 E		N/A
Total Metals in Water	EPA 200.2 / EPA 6020B	HNO3+HCl Hot Block Digestion / Inductively Coupled Plasma-Mass Spectroscopy (ICP-MS)	✓	Richmond
Turbidity in Water	SM 2130 B (2020)	Nephelometry	✓	Kelowna

Note: An asterisk in the Method Reference indicates that the CARO method has been modified from the reference method

Glossary of Terms:

RL	Reporting Limit (default)
<	Less than the specified Reporting Limit (RL) - the actual RL may be higher than the default RL due to various factors
AO	Aesthetic Objective
CFU/100 mL	Colony Forming Units per 100 millilitres
CFU/mL	Colony Forming Units per millilitre
MAC	Maximum Acceptable Concentration (health based)
mg/L	Milligrams per litre
NTU	Nephelometric Turbidity Units
OG	Operational Guideline (treated water)
pH units	pH < 7 = acidic, ph > 7 = basic
µS/cm	Microsiemens per centimetre
ASTM	ASTM International Test Methods
DBI	Drycon Bioconcepts Inc. Biological Activity Reaction Tests
EPA	United States Environmental Protection Agency Test Methods
SM	Standard Methods for the Examination of Water and Wastewater, American Public Health Association

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