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PO NUMBER

PROJECT Water comprehensive

PROJECT INFO Well 2 - North Well Comprehensive

WORK ORDER 2513059

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TEST RESULTS

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Analyte	Result	Guideline	RL Units	Analyzed	Qualifier
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Well 2 - North Well (2513059-01) | Matrix: Potable Water | Sampled: 2025-09-22 10:30

Anions

Chloride	49.0	AO ≤ 250	0.10 mg/L	2025-09-23	
Fluoride	0.21	MAC = 1.5	0.10 mg/L	2025-09-23	
Nitrate (as N)	< 0.010	MAC = 10	0.010 mg/L	2025-09-23	
Nitrite (as N)	< 0.010	MAC = 1	0.010 mg/L	2025-09-23	
Sulfate	48.6	AO ≤ 500	1.0 mg/L	2025-09-23	

Biological Activity Reaction Tests

Iron Related Bacteria	9000	N/A	1 CFU/mL	2025-09-22	
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Calculated Parameters

Hardness, Total (as CaCO ₃)	286	None Required	0.500 mg/L	N/A	
Solids, Total Dissolved	384	AO ≤ 500	1.00 mg/L	N/A	

General Parameters

Alkalinity, Total (as CaCO ₃)	247	N/A	1.0 mg/L	2025-09-26	
Alkalinity, Phenolphthalein (as CaCO ₃)	< 1.0	N/A	1.0 mg/L	2025-09-26	
Alkalinity, Bicarbonate (as CaCO ₃)	247	N/A	1.0 mg/L	2025-09-26	
Alkalinity, Carbonate (as CaCO ₃)	< 1.0	N/A	1.0 mg/L	2025-09-26	
Alkalinity, Hydroxide (as CaCO ₃)	< 1.0	N/A	1.0 mg/L	2025-09-26	
Conductivity (EC)	704	N/A	2.0 µS/cm	2025-09-26	
Cyanide, Total	< 0.0020	MAC = 0.2	0.0020 mg/L	2025-09-26	
pH	8.13	7.0-10.5	0.10 pH units	2025-09-26	HT2
Turbidity	0.53	OG < 1	0.10 NTU	2025-09-25	

Microbiological Parameters

Coliforms, Total	< 1	MAC = 0	1 CFU/100 mL	2025-09-22	
E. coli	< 1	MAC = 0	1 CFU/100 mL	2025-09-22	

Total Metals

Aluminum, total	< 0.0050	OG < 0.1	0.0050 mg/L	2025-09-25	
Antimony, total	< 0.00020	MAC = 0.006	0.00020 mg/L	2025-09-25	
Arsenic, total	0.00093	MAC = 0.01	0.00050 mg/L	2025-09-25	
Barium, total	0.0510	MAC = 2	0.0050 mg/L	2025-09-25	
Boron, total	< 0.0500	MAC = 5	0.0500 mg/L	2025-09-25	
Cadmium, total	0.000069	MAC = 0.007	0.000010 mg/L	2025-09-25	
Calcium, total	77.2	None Required	0.20 mg/L	2025-09-25	
Chromium, total	< 0.00050	MAC = 0.05	0.00050 mg/L	2025-09-25	
Copper, total	0.00072	MAC = 2	0.00040 mg/L	2025-09-25	
Iron, total	0.144	AO ≤ 0.1	0.010 mg/L	2025-09-25	
Lead, total	< 0.00020	MAC = 0.005	0.00020 mg/L	2025-09-25	
Magnesium, total	22.7	None Required	0.010 mg/L	2025-09-25	
Manganese, total	0.151	MAC = 0.12	0.00020 mg/L	2025-09-25	
Potassium, total	4.73	N/A	0.10 mg/L	2025-09-25	
Selenium, total	< 0.00050	MAC = 0.05	0.00050 mg/L	2025-09-25	
Sodium, total	31.8	AO ≤ 200	0.10 mg/L	2025-09-25	



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Well 2 - North Well (25I3059-01) | Matrix: Potable Water | Sampled: 2025-09-22 10:30, Continued

Total Metals, Continued

Strontium, total	0.497	MAC = 7	0.0010	mg/L	2025-09-25	
Uranium, total	0.00422	MAC = 0.02	0.000020	mg/L	2025-09-25	
Zinc, total	< 0.0040	AO ≤ 5	0.0040	mg/L	2025-09-25	

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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