

# **Delcliffe Water Utility - Water Quality Report for June 2020**

The following is the water quality summary for the Delcliffe Water Utility.

### 1. Source

The Delcliffe water utility pumps raw water from Okanagan Lake through a screened intake line to a covered reservoir. The water is chlorinated with sodium hypochlorite as it enters the baffled reservoir. The reservoir provides chlorine contact time and the system is then fed from a booster station located at the reservoir. A raw (untreated) water sample is taken at the lake pump station at least once a month. Table 1 summarize the results for bacterial and turbidity for the untreated water.

**Table 1 Delcliffe Lake Pump Station (untreated)** 

Parameter	Laboratory		# of Samples	# of Deviations	Reading
E.coli	Caro	CFU/100 ML	1		1
E.coli	GVW	MPN/100 MI	1		<1
Total Coliform	Caro	CFU/100 MI	1		29.5
Total Coliform	GVW	MPN/100 mL	1		4.2
Turbidity <sup>1</sup>	Operator Grab Sample	NTU	1		1.48

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Operation Guideline: As outlined in Deviation Response Plan, turbidity < 1 NTU

#### 2. Treatment Plant

The Delcliffe water utility utilizes chlorine disinfection only. Table 2 summarizes chlorine and turbidity levels at the point the water enters the distribution system.

**Table 2 Delcliffe Water Treatment** 

Parameter	Laboratory		# of Samples	# of Deviations	Min	Max	Average
Free Chlorine <sup>2</sup>	SCADA <sup>1</sup> Daily Average	mg/L	30 Days		1.19	1.99	1.60
Turbidity <sup>2</sup>	SCADA <sup>1</sup> Daily Average	NTU	30 Days	22 <sup>3</sup>	0.82	1.43	1.08

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>SCADA: Supervisory Control and Data Acquisition

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>Drinking Water Treatment Objectives\_ BC (Sec 4.3): Determine number of raw water samples with E. coli >20 CFU. The number of E. coli in raw water does not exceed 20/100 mL in at least 90% of the weekly samples from the previous six months.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>WQ Deviation Response Plan - Free Chlorine <0.20 mg/L or >2.20 mg/L; Turbidity <1.0 NTU

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup>Delcliffe Water Utility was put on a Water Quality Advisory on May 13, 2020 due to continuous high turbidity and the advisory remained on through the rest of June.

# 3. Distribution

The Delcliffe water utility provides potable water to 30 residential connections. The majority of connected residents are seasonally occupied, with approximately 11 connections considered year-round or permanent. The population increases to an estimated one hundred and eighty (180) persons during peak summer months. Table 3 summarize the results for chlorine, turbidity, and bacteria for the distribution system. Table 4 summarizes the daily flow rates for this month.

**Table 3 Delcliffe Distribution Parameters** 

Parameter	Laboratory		# of Samples	# of Deviations	Min	Max	Average
Free Chlorine <sup>1</sup>	Operator Grab Sample	mg/L	5		1.12	1.68	1.37
Total Chlorine¹	Operator Grab Sample	mg/L	5		1.29	1.90	1.56
E.coli	Caro	CFU/100 mL	5		<1	<1	<1
Total Coliform	Caro	CFU/100 mL	5		<1	<1	<1
Turbidity <sup>1</sup>	Operator Grab Sample	NTU	5		0.90	1.40	1.14

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>WQ Deviation Response Plan - Free Chlorine <0.20 mg/L Turbidity < 1.0 NTU

**Table 4 Monthly Flows for Delcliffe Distribution System** 

Flow Statistics	Min (ML/Day)	Max (ML/Day)	Average (ML/Day)	Monthly Total (ML)
Delcliffe	0.06	0.11	0.08	2.38

## 4. Customer Calls

Customer calls within the Delcliffe service area are tracked and recorded. There were no customer calls in June.