City of Detroit

Water and Sewerage Department

Laboratory Analysis of Water Samples Collected at Southwest Plant

September 12, 2011

Parameter	Formula	Units	Raw	Tap	MCL	Sec.Std	MDL
Turbidity		NTU	11.00	0.05	0.3/95% (1)		
Total Solids		mg/L	AE	132		500	10
Total Dissolved Solids		mg/L	140	109		500	10
Aluminum	Al	mg/L	0.370	<0.050		0.05-0.2	0.005
Iron	Fe	mg/L	0.191	<0.050		0.3	0.005
Copper	Cu	mg/L	0.026	<0.005	1.3		0.002
Magnesium	Mg	mg/L	8.00	7.69			0.5
Calcium	Ca	mg/L	25.7	25.9			0.1
Sodium	Na	mg/L	5.58	5.49		20 (2)	0.1
Potassium	K	mg/L	1.07	0.94			0.1
Manganese	Mn	mg/L	0.006	<0.002		0.05	0.002
Zinc	Zn	mg/L	<0.1	<0.1		5	0.1
Silica	SiO2	mg/L	0.7	0.9			0.4
Sulfate	SO4	mg/L	31.6	40.8			
Chloride	Cl-	mg/L	8.5	10.5		250	5
Phosphorus	P	mg/L	<0.05	0.33			0.05
Free Carbon Dioxide	CO2	mg/L	1.5	1.4			
Total Hardness (3), (4), (5)		mg/L	106	107			
Total Alkalinity (3)		mg/L	93	82			
Carbonate Alkalinity (3)		mg/L	0	0			
Bi-Carbonate Alkalinity (3)		mg/L	93	82			
Non-Carbonate Hardness (3)		mg/L	13	25			
Chemical Oxygen Demand		mg/L	8.4	2.0			2
Dissolved Oxygen		mg/L	7.4	7.6			
Ammonia Nitrogen	NH3-N	mg/L	0.2	0.2			0.1
Organic Nitrogen		mg/L	0.5	0.5			0.1
Nitrite Nitrogen	NO2-N	mg/L	<0.1	<0.1	1		0.1
Nitrate Nitrogen	NO3-N	mg/L	0.32	0.33	10	10	0.1
Fluoride	F	mg/L	0.16	0.86	4		0.5
pH			8.09	AE	6.5-8.5	6.5-8.5	
Specific Conductance @ 25 °C.		micromhos	226	233			
Temperature		°C	20.7	20.5			

Legend	Notes:
MCL: Maximum Contaminant Level	(1) Turbidity must not exceed 0.3 NTU in 95% of daily samples in any month
Sec.Std: Secondary Standard	(2) EPA Guidance Level
NTU: Nephelometric Turbidity Unit	(3) As Calcium Carbonate
mg/l: Milligram Per Liter	mg/l is equivalent to part per million (ppm)
MDL: Method Detection Limit	(4) By Titration
<: Less than	(5) Tap Water Hardnessin in Grains per Gallon **6.21 GPG**
AE: Analytical Error	(6) Reported results are below the low calibration standard but above the instrument
NA: Not Available	detection limit.
IV: Invalid Sample	

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