



Regional District of Nanaimo - Water Services Department

Surfside Water Analysis - 2011 Monthly Report



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		E.coli *	Total Coliform *	E.coli *	Total Coliform *	Temp. (°C)	pH	Free Chlorine Residual (mg/L)	Total Dissolved Solids (mg/L)	Salinity (%)	Conductivity (µS/cm)	Total Iron (mg/L)	Manganese (mg/L)
04-Jan-11	962 Surfside			0	2		6.8	0.03	80	0.1	171	0.01	0.011
04-Jan-11	1081 Surfside	0	1	0	0								
05-Jan-11	962 Surfside			0	0								
11-Jan-11	962 Surfside	0	0	0	0		7.0	0.06	75	0.1	161		
17-Jan-11	927 McFeely			0	0		6.8	0.02	84	0.1	180.1		
25-Jan-11	962 Surfside			0	0	6	6.8	0.02	75	0.1	160.6		
	Average	0	0.5	0	0.3	6.0	6.9	0.03	78.5	0.1	168.2	0.01	0.011
	Maximum	0	1	0	2	6	7	0.06	84	0.1	180.1	0.01	0.011
	Minimum	0	0	0	0	6	6.8	0.02	75	0.1	160.6	0.01	0.011

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Comments:

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01-Feb-11	962 Surfside	0	1	0	0	7	7.0	0.02	71.0	0.1	150.0	0.02	0.005
09-Feb-11	1081 Surfside	0	0	0	0	6	6.6	n/a	77.0	0.1	161.2		
14-Feb-11	927 McFeely			0	0	7	6.6	n/a	75.0	0.0	157.4		
21-Feb-11	1081 Surfside			0	0	6	7.0	n/a	77.0	0.1	163.3		
	Average	0	0.5	0	0	6.5	6.8	0.02	75.0	0.1	158.0	0.02	0.005
	Maximum	0	1	0	0	7	7.0	0.02	77.0	0.1	163.3	0.02	0.005
	Minimum	0	0	0	0	6	6.6	0.02	71.0	0	150.0	0.02	0.005

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01-Mar-11	962 Surfside	0	0	0	0	7	6.1	n/a	70.0	0.0	147.7	0.02	0.005
08-Mar-11	1081 Surfside	0	0	0	0	5	6.7	n/a	75.0	0.1	157.6		
15-Mar-11	923 McFeely			0	0	7	6.5	n/a	70.0	0.1	149.2		
23-Mar-11	962 Surfside			0	0	7	6.4	n/a	70.0	0.1	146.6		
28-Mar-11	1081 Surfside			0	0	7	6.3	n/a	75.0	0.1	159.4		
	Average	0	0	0	0	6.6	6.4		72.0	0.1	152.1	0.02	0.005
	Maximum	0	0	0	0	7	6.7		75.0	0.1	159.4	0.02	0.005
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05-Apr-11	962 Surfside	0	0	0	0	8	6.90	n/a	65.9	0.07	141.9	0.03	0.002
11-Apr-11	1081 Surfside	0	0	0	0	8	7.15	n/a	72.2	0.07	150.9		
18-Apr-11	923 McFeely			0	0	8	6.69	n/a	69.2	0.07	143.5		
27-Apr-11	962 Surfside			0	0	10	7.30	n/a	82.0	0.10	174.0		
	Average	0	0	0	0	8.5	7.01		72.3	0.08	152.6	0.03	0.002
	Maximum	0	0	0	0	10	7.30		82.0	0.10	174.0	0.03	0.002
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03-May-11	1081 Surfside	0	1	0	0	10	6.65	n/a	97.0	0.09	191.2	0.02	0.005
10-May-11	1081 Surfside			0	0	11	7.00	n/a	73.0	0.00	120.0		
17-May-11	962 Surfside	0	0	0	0	12	7.10	n/a	70.0	0.10	119.5		
24-May-11	923 McFeely			0	0	12	7.10	n/a	70.0	0.10	123.6		
31-May-11	1081 Surfside			0	0	12	7.13	n/a	70.0	0.07	145.9		
	Average	0	0.5	0	0	11.4	7.00		76.0	0.07	140.0	0.02	0.005
	Maximum	0	1	0	0	12	7.13		97.0	0.10	191.2	0.02	0.005
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06-Jun-11	962 Surfside Dr	0	0	0	12	12	7.20	n/a	69.0	0.10	126.0	0.02	0.005
07-Jun-11	962 Surfside Dr			0	0			n/a					
15-Jun-11	1081 Surfside	0	0	0	0	14	7.40	n/a	72.0	0.10	120.0		
22-Jun-11	923 McFeely			0	0	15	6.97	n/a	68.8	0.07	145.0		
27-Jun-11	962 Surfside Dr					14	7.60	n/a	68.0	0.10	129.7		
	Average	0	0	0	3	13.8	7.29		69.5	0.09	130.2	0.02	0.005
	Maximum	0	0	0	12	15	7.60		72.0	0.10	145.0	0.02	0.005
	Minimum	0	0	0	0	12	6.97		68.0	0.07	120.0	0.02	0.005

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04-Jul-11	1081 Surfside Dr	0	0	0	3	13	6.85	n/a	68.6	0.07	142.2		
07-Jul-11	1081 Surfside Dr			0	0			n/a					
12-Jul-11	962 Surfside Dr	0	0	0	0	14	6.68	n/a	73.4	0.07	154.6	0.02	0.013
19-Jul-11	923 Mc Feely			0	4	15	6.72	n/a	70.6	0.07	148.6		
26-Jul-11	962 Surfside Dr			0	0	13	7.10	n/a	73.0	0.10	153.6		
	Average	0	0	0	1.4	13.8	6.84		71.4	0.08	149.8	0.02	0.013
	Maximum	0	0	0	4	15	7.10		73.4	0.10	154.6	0.02	0.013
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03-Aug-11	1081 Surfside	0	0	0	0	14	7.15	n/a	73.3	0.07	145.1	0.02	0.01
08-Aug-11	962 Surfside	0	0	0	0	12	6.64	n/a	73.0	0.07	154.2		
16-Aug-11	923 McFeely			0	0	14	6.76	n/a	75.7	0.07	142.9		
23-Aug-11	962 Surfside			0	0	14	7.21	n/a	75.5	0.07	145.2		
30-Aug-11	1081 Surfside			0	0	16	6.74	n/a	81.0	0.08	152.7		
	Average	0	0	0	0	14.0	6.90		75.7	0.07	148.0	0.02	0.01
	Maximum	0	0	0	0	16	7.21		81.0	0.08	154.2	0.02	0.01
	Minimum	0	0	0	0	12	6.64		73.0	0.07	142.9	0.02	0.01

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14-Sep-11	1081 Surfside	0	0	0	0								
14-Sep-11	962 Surfside	0	7	0	0								
20-Sep-11	962 Surfside	0	0	0	0	17	6.62	0.40	81.5	0.08	171.9		
28-Sep-11	1081 Surfside			0	0	15	6.80	0.20	81.9	0.08	152.2		
	Average	0.1	1	0	0	15.7	6.65	0.30	81.0	0.08	164.0	0.01	0.003
	Maximum	1	7	0	0	17	6.80	0.4	81.9	0.08	171.9	0.01	0.003
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11-Oct-11	1081 Surfside	0	0	0	0	15	6.68	0.15	77.4	0.08	163.3		
18-Oct-11	923 McFeely			0	0	14	6.62	0.01	76.7	0.08	162.2		
24-Oct-11	1081 Surfside			0	0	14	7.18	0.07	76.0	0.08	159.8		
	Average	0	0	0	0	14.5	6.79	0.14	77.2	0.08	162.9	0.03	0.001
	Maximum	0	0	0	0	15	7.18	0.33	78.8	0.08	166.3	0.03	0.001
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15-Nov-11	1081 McFeely	0	0	0	0	10	6.53	0.49	68	0.07	143.3	0.004	0.001
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28-Nov-11	1081 Surfside Dr			0	0	8	7.00	0.24	80.2	0.08	169.0		
	Average	0	0	0	0	10.0	6.8	0.37	72.2	0.1	147.1	0.01	0.002
	Maximum	0	0	0	0	12	7.1	0.49	80.2	0.08	169	0.01	0.003
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