



Blyth Sewage Treatment Plant

2016 Annual Report

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Blyth STP Certificate of Approval #8687-826L6Z Issued Feb 9 2010

The Following is a summary and discussion of the 2016 Blyth Sewage treatment plant operation and summary of compliance limits as set forth in the Certificate of Approval.

The Annual Average Rated Capacity of the Treatment Unit is 730 m³/d with Peak Capacity of 2760 m³/d.

Based on Raw Sewage Flows, the 2016 annual average flows were 393m³/day which represents 54% of the annual 730 m³/day capacity. The maximum Peak Monthly average flow of 2186m³/d occurred in March 2016 represents 79% of the peak capacity.

Bypass Events

There were five bypass events for the Blyth Sewage Treatment plant in 2016, all five of the bypasses were measured secondary bypasses and all five bypasses occurred due to heavy precipitation, the longest bypass was in December with a 29 hour bypass. The total number of bypass hours for 2016 was 73.3 hours with a total volume bypassed of 7894m³.

Compliance limits

The plant consistently removed 98.4% Biological Oxygen demand, 98.4% total suspended solids, 92.8% phosphorous and 95.4% total kjeldahl nitrogen which is well within the range of removals for a tertiary sewage plant and consistent with previous yearly operations.

Operational problems

There were no major problems encountered during the 2016 operating year. Secondary bypassing took place in 2016 where the raw sewage flows during significant rain and snowmelt events exceeded the capacity of the sand filters.

Maintenance

Routine maintenance was performed throughout the year, according to the computerized maintenance program.

Quality Control Monitoring

Monitoring includes an online dissolved oxygen sensor which indicates loading and raw sewage quality, aeration basin solids content and proper operations of the aerators. Secondary clarifiers effluent is monitored for dissolved phosphorous and ammonia to determine adequate

ferric chloride dosage and nitrification in aeration basins as well as general clarity and surface debris which indicates proper solids removal. Adequate solids return to the aeration and wasting rates.

The flowmeter measures the flow out of the treatment plant and is used to base dosages and treatment plant capacity. Results of monitoring activities can be viewed on the monthly spreadsheets.

Calibration and Maintenance

The flowmeter is calibrated yearly by ICS instrumentation that certificate is stored at the PUC Office. The pH analyzer is calibrated monthly and recorded in the log books.

Efforts to meet effluent objectives

As described in the quality control monitoring section, analytic and visual parameters are used as indicators of process efficiency and should fall within the critical control points. A summary of these values was developed and is in the Blyth sewage treatment facility operations manual for reference and historically have been adequate to maintain compliance.

Biosolids Generated

A total of 398.8 cubic meters was utilized in 2016 and hauled/applied by S&S Trucking.

Complaints

There were no complaints received as results of the operation of the sewage treatment facility.

Attached in the report is a data summary, compliance summary, sludge metals summary.

Report prepared by Veolia Water Canada

2016 Data Summary

Flows	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Total	Avg Flow	Maximum	% Cap
Total Flows	12829	18040	21093	16203	9727	6818	7678	9899	8722	8511	9386	14879	143585	393	21093	53.9
Avg	407	622	680	540	314	227	248	319	291	275	313	480			680	
Max	881	1515	2186	1643	516	308	293	603	446	381	387	1488			2186	

Raw Sew ag	2017												Average		Removal Efficiency %
	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Max.		
CBOD	82	82	85	116	118	125	166	103	156	153	157	113	122.67	185.5	98.4
SS	93	84	93	120	144	158	121	145	152	159	148	126	128.36	158.5	98.4
TP	1.85	1.85	1.57	2.20	2.81	2.78	3.41	2.98	3.40	4.09	3.24	2.93	2.76	4.09	92.8
TKN	19.20	17.40	14.47	21.20	38.25	26.00	33.95	25.55	28.63	31.65	30.35	27.75	26.20	36.25	95.4
pH	7.92	7.93	8.03	8.08	7.56	7.71	7.53	7.59	6.65	7.61	7.56	8.01	7.68	8.075	

Final Effluent	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Average	Max.
CBOD	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.00	2
SS	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.00	2.000
Ammonia	0.10	0.40	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.20	0.20	0.17	0.10	0.20	0.20	0.16	0.400
TKN	2.35	0.60	0.50	0.50	1.05	0.65	1.00	3.65	1.87	0.80	0.65	0.70	1.19	3.650
TP	0.35	0.24	0.17	0.22	0.10	0.14	0.23	0.23	0.19	0.23	0.14	0.17	0.20	0.350
NO2	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.030
NO3	23.70	19.05	13.00	15.15	12.25	21.00	36.15	41.45	31.13	23.10	20.20	17.50	22.81	41.450
pH	7.19	7.52	7.56	7.58	7.17	7.23	7.08	7.04	7.18	7.36	7.31	7.48	7.31	7.580
E Coli	11	4	18	3	11	36	23	13	4	4	30	12	14	36
Tot Cl Res.	0.15	0.18	0.19	0.17	0.13	0.15	0.14	0.14	0.15	0.18	0.16	0.17	0.16	0.20

Blyth STP Compliance Summary

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Quarterly Metals Calculations Report						2016		
Parameter								
Date	Jan 20-16	Apr 13-16	Jul 20-16	Aug 31-16	Oct 12-16	Average		
Total Solids	10400	14600	30000	38900	43500	27480		
NH 3&4	6.3	6.3	486	500	379	275.52		
TKN	452	802	1540	1300	2030	1224.8		
NO2	0.2	0.3	1.3	0.2	0.2	0.44		
NO3	<	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3		
NO2+NO3	0.3	0.3	1.3	0.3	0.3	0.5		
Arsenic	<	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.2		
Cadmium	<	0.005	0.007	0.014	0.03	0.034	0.018	
Cobalt	0.05	0.04	0.22	0.32	0.36	0.198		
Chromium	0.42	0.49	2.1	3.3	3.6	1.982		
Copper	2.4	9.6	9.7	16	17	10.94		
Mercury	0.001	0.019	0.012	0.017	0.023	0.0144		
Potassium	85	60	130	140	130	109		
Molybden	<	0.06	0.14	0.21	0.37	0.34	0.224	
Sodium								
Nickel	0.17	0.28	0.8	1.1	1.2	0.71		
Phosphorous	240	310	890	1300	1400	828		
Lead	0.1	0.3	0.7	1	0.9	0.6		
Selenium	<	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1		
Zinc	3.2	5.1	13	19	21	12.26		
Ecoli DW	1125000	31507	1333	1285	10805	233986		
Ecoli /100 ml	1170000	46000	4000	5000	47000	254400		
pH								
Tank in " to Top								
Volume in m3	941	941	941	941	941			
Volume at 4%	245	344	706	915	1024	0		
Solids Kg	9788	13742	28236	36613	40942	0		

Table 1 BYPASS AND OVERFLOW EVENTS

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