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YM-YWCA of Greater Victoria
CAMP THUNDERBIRD WATER SYSTEM
5040 Glinz Lake Road
Sooke, BC V9Z 0E3

Dear Water Supplier:

Re: Annual Reports For Drinking Water Systems

The 2008 Ombudsman's report, **Challenges in Providing Safe Drinking Water In British Columbia**, issued recommendations to the regional health authorities on how they can improve the processes that ensure the safety of drinking water. Many of the recommendations involve improving public awareness of their drinking water as well as ensuring access and direction for individuals who may have concerns regarding their drinking water.

Section 15 of the *Drinking Water Protection Act* and Section 11 of the Drinking Water Protection Regulation require all water suppliers to provide annual reports to their users. The Ombudsman's report reiterates the importance of these reports.

Attached you will find a sample template that you may wish to use for your annual reports. You may use any other format you choose provided the quality and content of information is acceptable to this office. Delivery of your report may be via a posting on your web site, email to all water users, or by paper insert with your water notice, or other method acceptable to the Drinking Water Officer.

Included with this letter is a summary of your sample results for 2009. This will assist you with preparation of your Annual Report. Please ensure that you have forwarded a copy of your report to this office by June 30, 2010. Also indicate the delivery mode you have selected to inform users of your water system.

Please contact your Drinking Water Officer, Michael Riefman, at 250.475.5110 if you have any questions, concerns, or if you want an electronic copy of the annual report template.

Yours truly,

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Water Sample Range Report

Vancouver Island Health Authority

Facility Name: CAMP THUNDERBIRD WATER SYSTEM
Facility Type: DWS
Date Range: Jan 1 2009 to Dec 31 2009
Date Created: Jan 27 2010

Sampling Site	Date Collected	Total Coliform	E. Coli	Fecal Coliform
<u>Glintz Lake Road, Sooke, B.C., Camp</u>	06-Apr-2009	L1	L1	
<u>Thunderbird/Kitchen, Source site, Monthly</u>	05-May-2009	L1	L1	
	01-Jun-2009	L1	L1	
	06-Jul-2009	L1	L1	
	04-Aug-2009	L1	L1	
	23-Sep-2009	<u>L1</u>	<u>L1</u>	
	Total Positive:	0	0	0

Result Values: E - estimated L - less than G - greater than

Samples that contain total coliform:	0	0.00% of total
Samples that contain e. coli:	0	0.00% of total
Samples that contain fecal coliform:	0	0.00% of total
Number of positive samples in last 30 days:	0/0	
Total number of samples:	6	

Comments:



Environmental Health Officer

Jan 27 2010

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION PLEASE CALL: Riefman, Michael (250) 475-1858 Gateway - Saanich Office

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