



January 31, 2018

Kimberly D. Bose, Secretary
Federal Energy Regulatory Commission
888 First Street, N.E.
Washington, DC 20426

**RE: Clam River Hydroelectric Project
FERC Project Number 9185
Flambeau Hydro LLC
Final Report 2017 Water Quality Monitoring Data**

Dear Ms. Bose:

On behalf of Flambeau Hydro LLC, "Flambeau" (Licensee), Renewable World Energies, LLC (RWE) is submitting a copy of the *Final Report 2017 Water Quality Monitoring Data* for the Clam River Hydroelectric Project. The Federal Energy Regulatory Commission "FERC" issued a License to Flambeau on July 24, 2006. This report is submitted as a requirement of that License pursuant to License Article 401 WQC, Condition K. 2017 was the tenth year monitoring was conducted since the license was issued, but is the 6th year of submittal by RWE on the behalf of the Licensee.

Monitoring was conducted on April 12, July 19, and August 15, 2017. No unusual temperature or dissolved oxygen readings were observed in April or July, but in August the D.O. was below 5.0 mg/L at 25.5 feet. The draft report was sent to the agencies by an attachment to an email on November 17, 2017 for review and comment. The WI DNR did comment that they would like the new sampling location that has been used since 2012, to reflect that it changed in 2012. A note was added in Figure 1 to reflect this. The next scheduled monitoring event will be conducted in 2018.

If you have any questions concerning this submittal, please contact Brian Kreuzscher at the Renewable World Energies, LLC offices @ 855-994-9376 Ext 230. He can also be reached by e-mail at bkreuscher@rwehydro.com.

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Sincerely,
Renewable World Energies, LLC
Agent for Licensee

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jason Kreuzer".

The word "For" written in black ink, enclosed within a hand-drawn rectangular box.

Mr. Jason Kreuzer
Vice President, Operations

Attachment: Final Report 2017 Water Quality Monitoring Data
Correspondence

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Mr. Nick Utrup, USFWS
RWE, Corporate

Final Report

2017 Water Quality Monitoring Data
(Per License Article 401 WQC, Condition K)

for the

Clam River Hydroelectric Project

FERC Project #9185

Flambeau Hydro, LLC

Clam River,
Burnett County, Wisconsin

Respectfully Submitted by:

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Summary Clam River Hydroelectric Project – FERC #9185

2017 marked the tenth year of water quality sampling under FERC License issued on July 24, 2006 to Flambeau Hydro, LLC for the Clam River Hydroelectric Project – FERC Project # 9185 and specifically Appendix A Section 401 K. Monitoring was conducted on April 12, July 19, and August 15, 2017. This document contains all of the associated records for the 2017 monitoring along with summary figures and tables in five appendices: (1) Appendix A (Figs 1-4), (2) Appendix B (Tables 1-3), (3) Appendix C (sampling logs by date), (4) Appendix D (lab reports and chains of custody), and (5) Agency Comments.

A map of the Clam River Hydroelectric Project is shown in Figure 1 indicating the water quality sampling location.

Monitoring results for 2017 are shown in Table 1. No unusual Temperature (Figure 2) or Dissolved Oxygen (Figure 3) readings were observed in April or July but in August the D.O. was below 5.0 mg/L at 25.5 feet. The Secchi depths are shown in Figure 4.

In general, the weather (temperature and rainfall) during 2017 monitoring season appeared slightly warmer in May, June, and July, & August, with lower than normal precipitation in October, March, and September, and normal to high precipitation in the months of April, May, July, July, and August (Table 2).

Ice-Out occurred on the Clam River sometime during the week beginning April 3, 2017. The Ice-Out sampling event occurred on April 12, 2017. River flow, based on the Clam River Hydroelectric Project records, was approximately 229 cubic feet per second. Sampling occurred between 10:40 a.m. and 10:56 a.m. Samples were taken without incident. No unusual D.O. or Temperature readings were observed. Samples for laboratory analysis were delivered to White Water Associates, Inc. laboratory in Amasa, MI on April 13, 2017. White Water Associates, Inc. issued a laboratory report on April 27, 2017. No unusual levels of Chlorophyll *a*, True Color, or Total Phosphorus were noted in the laboratory reports.

River flow, based on the Clam River Hydroelectric Project records, was approximately 322 cubic feet per second during the July 19, 2017 sampling event. Sampling occurred between 10:12 a.m. and 10:26 a.m. Samples were taken without incident. No unusual D.O. or Temperature readings were observed. Samples for laboratory analysis were delivered to White Water Associates, Inc. laboratory in Amasa, MI on July 20, 2017. White Water Associates, Inc. issued a laboratory report on September 21, 2017. No unusual levels of Chlorophyll *a*, True Color, or Total Phosphorus were noted in the laboratory reports.

River flow, based on the Clam River Hydroelectric Project records, was approximately 184 cubic feet per second during the August 15, 2017 sampling event. Sampling occurred between 10:25 a.m. and 10:35 a.m. Samples were taken without incident. No unusual Temperature readings were observed. The D.O. went below 5.00 mg/L at 25.5 feet (4.63 mg/L). The 0.5 ft above bottom D.O. was 4.90 mg/L. Samples for laboratory analysis were delivered to White Water Associates, Inc. laboratory in Amasa, MI on

August 16, 2017. White Water Associates, Inc. issued a laboratory report on September 14, 2017. No unusual levels of Chlorophyll *a*, True Color, or Total Phosphorus were noted in the laboratory reports.

A summary of a comparison between the 2011 thru 2017 (Table 3) sampling results are as follows:

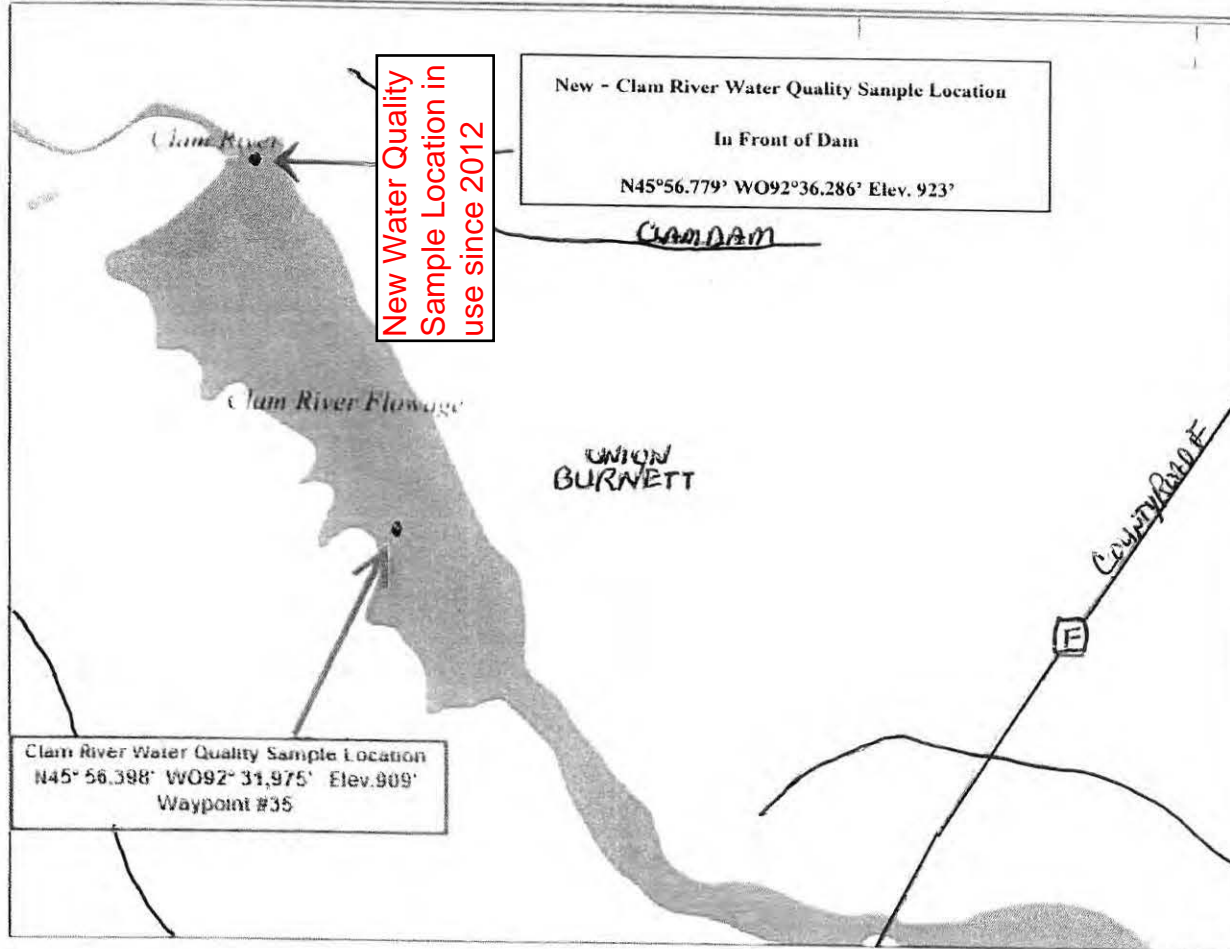
1. Water Clarity – Secchi Decreased Ice Out, Increased July and August
2. Chlorophyll *a* – Increased Ice Out, Decreased July and August
3. Color – Decreased Ice Out, July & August
4. Total Phosphorus – Decreased Ice Out, July & August
5. Overall, D.O. – Decreased Ice Out, July & August
6. Water Temperatures – Increased Ice Out, Decreased July & August

The next scheduled Water Quality Monitoring at the Clam River Hydroelectric Project is set to take place in 2018 beginning with the Ice-Out sampling event.

Appendix A – Clam River Hydroelectric Project Figures

Figure 1. Clam River Hydroelectric Project Map (next page)

**Clam River Hydroelectric Project
Water Quality Sampling Location Map
FERC Project #9185**



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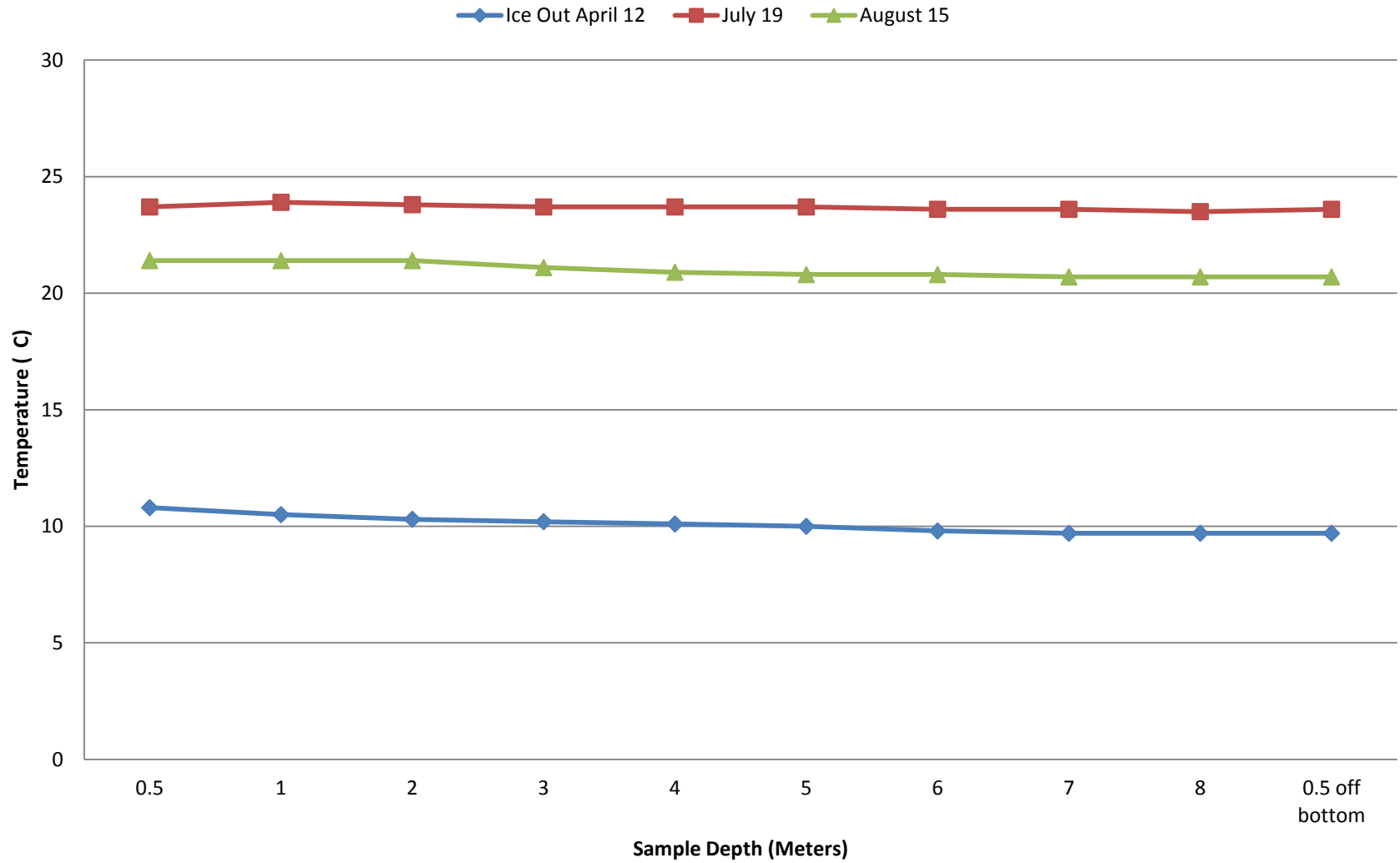
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- 24K Rivers and Shorelines
- Cities and Villages
- Village
- City

0 850 1700 2550 ft.

Scale: 1:8,967

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**Figure 2. Clam River Impoundment - FERC #9185
2017 Temperature Samples**



**Figure 3. Clam River Impoundment- FERC #9185
2017 Dissolved Oxygen Samples**

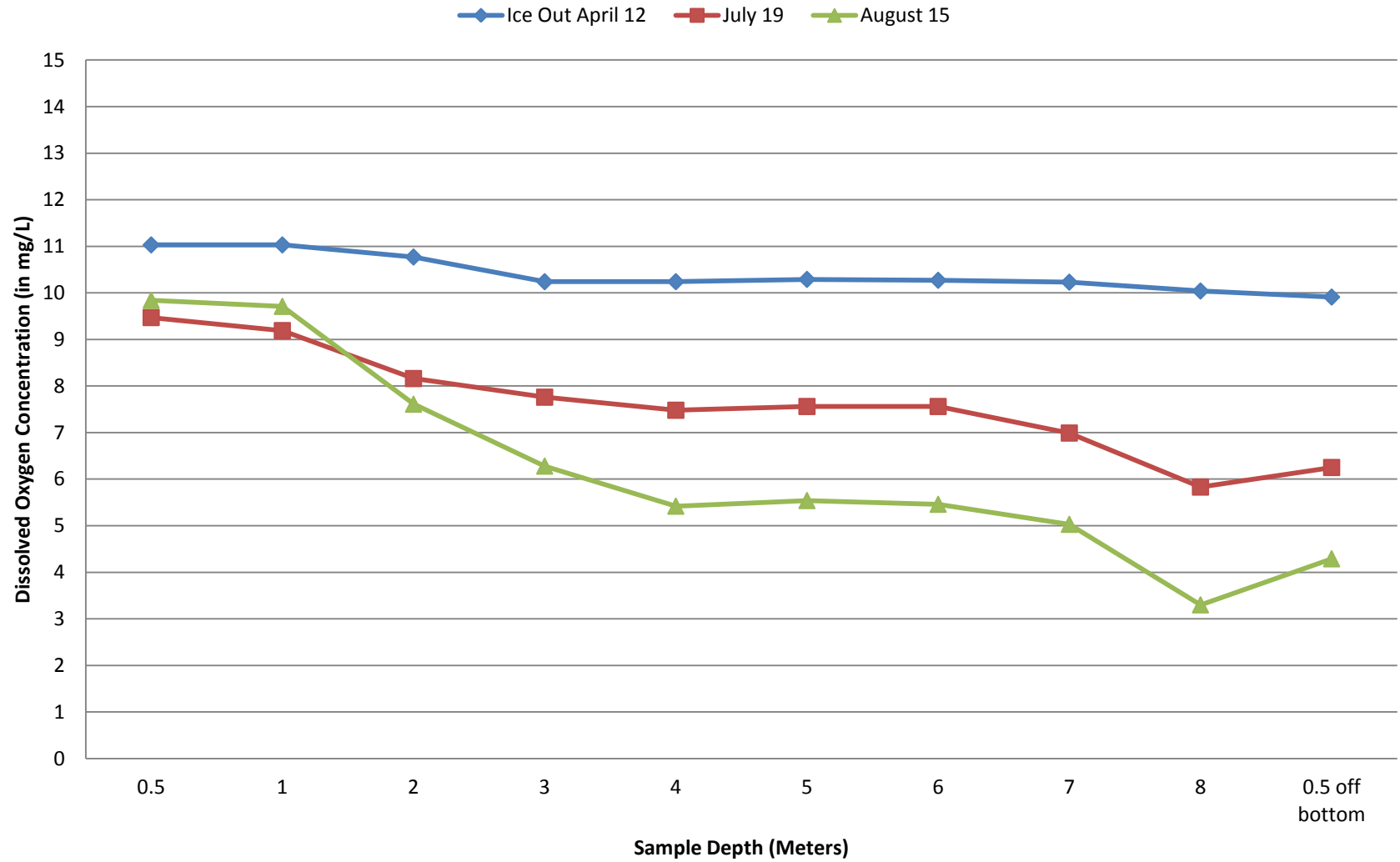
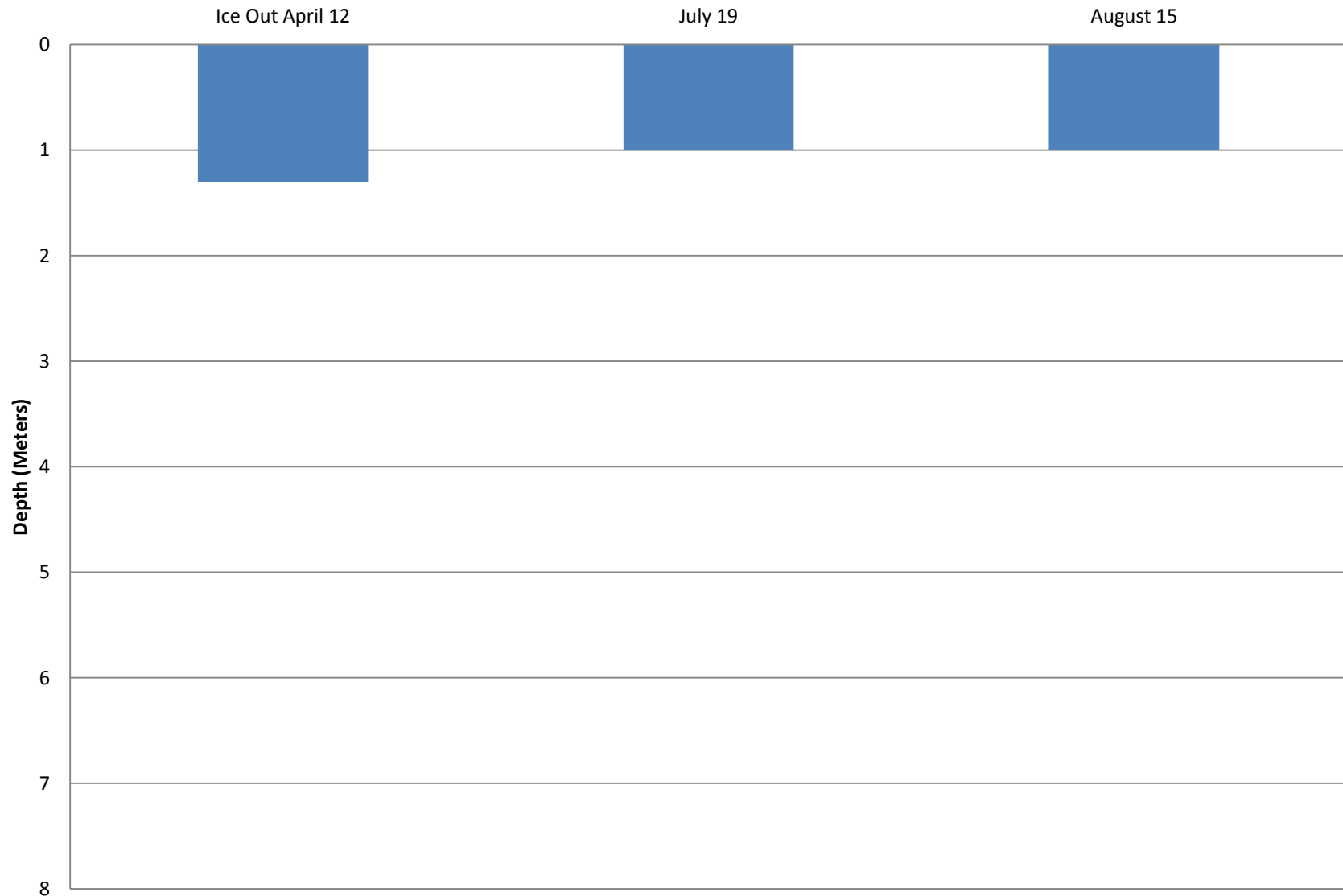


Figure 4. Clam River Impoundment - FERC #9185 Secchi Depths 2017



Appendix B – Clam River Hydroelectric Project Tables

Table 1. Clam River Hydroelectric Project – FERC Project # 9185: 2017 Water Quality Sampling Data

	Ice Out April 12, 2017			July 19, 2017			August 15, 2017		
Project Flow (c.f.s)	229			322			184		
Dissolved Oxygen	Time	D.O. (mg/L)	Water Temp. (°C)	Time	D.O. (mg/L)	Water Temp. (°C)	Time	D.O. (mg/L)	Water Temp. (°C)
0.5 meter below surface	10:40:52	11.03	10.8	10:14:23	9.47	23.7	10:26:43	9.84	21.4
1 meter below surface	10:41:32	11.03	10.5	10:15:34	9.19	23.9	10:27:29	9.71	21.4
2 meter below surface	10:42:27	10.77	10.3	10:17:04	8.16	23.8	10:28:23	7.61	21.4
3 meter below surface	10:43:27	10.24	10.2	10:18:22	7.76	23.7	10:30:42	6.28	21.1
4 meter below surface	10:44:08	10.24	10.1	10:19:04	7.48	23.7	10:31:39	5.42	20.9
5 meter below surface	10:45:12	10.29	10.0	10:19:45	7.56	23.7	10:32:35	5.54	20.8
6 meter below surface	10:46:33	10.27	9.8	10:20:18	7.56	23.6	10:33:10	5.46	20.8
7 meter below surface	10:47:09	10.23	9.7	10:20:57	6.99	23.6	10:33:51	5.03	20.7
8 meter below surface	10:48:09	10.04	9.7	10:22:05	5.83	23.5	10:34:46	3.30	20.7
0.5 meter above bottom	10:49:34	9.91	9.7	10:23:57	6.25	23.6	10:35:40	4.29	20.7
Secchi Disk	Time	Depth (m)		Time	Depth (m)		Time	Depth (m)	
Meters below surface	10:56	1.3		10:26	1		10:34	1	
Chlorophyll <i>a</i>	Time	µg/L		Time	µg/L		Time	µg/L	
1 meter below surface	10:46	15		10:15	15		10:28	11	
Color (True)	Time	C.P.U. Units	LOD	Time	C.P.U. Units	LOD	Time	C.P.U. Units	LOD
1 meter below surface	10:48	10	5*	10:15	25	5*	10:28	20	5*
Total Phosphorus	Time	mg/L	LOD	Time	mg/L	LOD	Time	mg/L	LOD
1 meter below surface	10:48	0.024	0.008*	10:15	0.046	0.008*	10:28	0.034	0.008*
1 meter above bottom	10:43	0.025	0.008*	10:18	0.032	0.008*	10:26	0.034	0.008*
*Considered Method Detection Limit N/A = Not Applicable									

Table 2. 2016/17 Water Year Monthly Temperature and Precipitation for Danbury, Wisconsin

Month	Highest Temp.	Lowest Temp.	Average Temp.	Departure From Normal	Heating Degree Days	Normal Degree Days	Total Precip.	Total Snowfall	Normal Precip.	% of Normal Precipitation
October - 16	74	30	47.6	4.4	531	678	1.55	Trace	2.85	75
November - 16	70	10	40.2	11.4	735	1088	2.60	8.1	2.09	78
December - 16	39	-21	15.9	1.1	1512	1556	2.07	21.3	1.21	79
January - 17	45	-22	16.0	5.8	1511	1699	1.16	15.5	0.96	78
February - 17	52	-11	22.5	7.4	1185	1399	1.80	14.1	0.81	73
March - 17	59	-29	26.3	0.4	1193	1210	1.05	5.3	1.49	67
April - 17	70	23	42.2	2.6	678	762	3.02	1.9	2.43	68
May - 17	75	32	50.3	-1.1	446	426	4.11	0.8	3.23	68
June - 17	88	18	60.9	0.8	131	179	5.21	0.00	4.23	71
July - 17	86	48	65.3	-0.5	53	63	4.11	0.00	3.85	77
August - 17	82	46	61.5	-2.8	117	86	7.23	0.00	3.70	79
September - 17	83	37	58.6	3.0	212	298	3.55	0.00	4.11	81

Source: NOAA/Duluth, MN

Table 3. Clam River Project Sampling Comparison Table: 2011 Thru Current Year

Year	Month	Secchi Depth	Chlorophyll <i>a</i>	Color (True)	Total Phosphorus	Total Phosphorus	Low D.O.	High D.O.	Low Water Temp.	High Water Temp.
		meters	µg/L	C.P.U. Units	Below Surface mg/L	Above Bottom mg/L	mg/L	mg/L	° C	° C
2011	April	0.87	17.00	40.00	0.073	0.066	11.58	11.88	9.30	9.40
2012	April	0.80	13.00	55.00	0.031	*	11.72	15.68	9.60	10.90
2013	May	1.00	17.00	70.00	0.069	0.069	10.91	12.16	10.10	14.20
2014	June	1.10	8.60	70.00	0.041	0.042	9.14	9.40	11.50	12.70
2015	April	1.50	13.00	25.00	0.049	0.039	8.45	11.93	9.90	14.40
2016	March	1.19	11.00	15.00	0.040	0.040	10.91	12.09	3.90	4.80
2017	April	1.30	15.00	10.00	0.024	0.025	9.91	11.03	9.70	10.80
Minimum	March/April/June	0.80	8.60	10.00	0.024	0.025	8.45	9.40	3.90	4.80
Maximum	March/April/June	1.50	17.00	70.00	0.073	0.069	11.72	15.68	11.50	14.40
Average	March/April/June	1.11	13.51	40.71	0.047	0.047	10.37	12.02	9.14	11.03
2011	July	0.70	62.00	80.00	0.110	0.083	5.11	14.32	25.20	27.10
2012	July	1.10	13.00	50.00	0.042	0.050	0.04	12.33	24.80	28.70
2013	July	1.20	23.00	70.00	0.064	0.067	0.97	7.22	23.70	24.10
2014	July	0.80	18.00	50.00	0.056	0.055	7.06	12.44	20.40	22.50
2015	July	1.10	12.00	35.00	0.061	0.043	7.48	9.77	22.00	23.10
2016	July	0.88	44.00	30.00	0.043	0.043	0.70	11.31	24.40	26.60
2017	July	1.00	15.00	25.00	0.033	0.075	5.83	9.47	23.50	23.90
Minimum	July	0.70	12.00	25.00	0.033	0.043	0.04	7.22	20.40	22.50
Maximum	July	1.20	62.00	80.00	0.110	0.083	7.48	14.32	25.20	28.70
Average	July	0.97	26.71	48.57	0.058	0.059	3.88	10.98	23.43	25.14
2011	August	0.90	34.00	100.00	0.061	0.066	2.13	10.35	21.60	22.90
2012	August	0.70	43.00	70.00	0.067	0.066	5.01	12.77	21.20	22.40
2013	August	0.50	48.00	100.00	0.110	0.098	3.78	12.47	20.40	21.90
2014	August	0.60	34.00	50.00	0.081	0.075	4.91	10.13	22.70	24.20
2015	August	0.50	120.00	40.00	0.076	0.043	5.50	16.91	22.60	24.70
2016	August	0.70	61.00	25.00	0.050	0.053	0.16	14.89	22.80	25.30
2017	August	1.00	11.00	20.00	0.034	0.034	3.30	9.84	20.70	21.40
Minimum	August	0.50	11.00	20.00	0.110	0.034	0.16	9.84	20.40	21.40
Maximum	August	1.00	120.00	100.00	0.110	0.098	5.50	16.91	22.80	25.30
Average	August	0.70	50.14	57.86	0.068	0.062	3.54	12.48	21.71	23.26

*no sample taken

Appendix C – Clam River Impoundment Project Sampling Logs

IMPOUNDMENT SAMPLING LOG

Water Quality Study Location Clam River

Hydroelectric Project - FERC # 9185

Date: 4-12-2017

Pre-Sampling Data:

HWL 898.68 TWL 863.80 CFS 229

Sample Location: 1102

N45° 26.779' W 092° 36.281'

Performed by: A. Stine T Plummer

Time: 10:40 Barometer: 30.3

Air Temp: 47° Wind Speed: SE 4 mph

Sky Conditions: 90 clouds

Precipitation within Last 24 Hours: 0

D.O. Meter Calibration:

Instrument Model Used: HQ40D

Were the batteries changed? Yes No

If yes, when were they changed: _____

Battery Status: 95 % Charge

Calibration Method: Factory

Sampling Depth Profile: Measured depth to bottom of impoundment: 8.5 Meters

Secchi Depth (+ 0.1)	
Time <u>10:56</u>	<u>9.4</u> Feet <u>1.3</u> Meters

Comments:

- 2 Loons
- 3 Eagles
- 5 Common Nighthawks
- 2 wood ducks

Chlorophyll a [*]		
(1 Meter below surface horizontal sampler)		
Time <u>10:48</u>	Quantity (ml) <u>1000</u>	Filtered <u>In Lab</u>
Preservative		MgCO ₃

True Color	
(1 Meter below surface horizontal sampler)	
Time <u>10:48</u>	

Total Phosphorus	
(1 Meter below surface horizontal sampler)	
Time <u>10:48</u>	Preservative <u>H₂SO₄</u>

Total Phosphorus	
(1 Meter above bottom horizontal sampler)	
Time <u>10:43</u>	Preservative <u>H₂SO₄</u>

D.O. and Temperature Profile			
Depth (Meters)	Time	D.O. (mg/L)	Temperature °C
0.5 below surface	<u>10:40:52</u>	<u>11.03</u>	<u>10.8</u>
1	<u>10:41:32</u>	<u>11.03</u>	<u>10.5</u>
2	<u>10:42:27</u>	<u>10.77</u>	<u>10.3</u>
3	<u>10:43:27</u>	<u>10.24</u>	<u>10.2</u>
4	<u>10:44:08</u>	<u>10.24</u>	<u>10.1</u>
5	<u>10:45:12</u>	<u>10.29</u>	<u>10.0</u>
6	<u>10:46:33</u>	<u>10.27</u>	<u>9.8</u>
7	<u>10:47:09</u>	<u>10.23</u>	<u>9.7</u>
8	<u>10:48:09</u>	<u>10.04</u>	<u>9.7</u>
0.5 above bottom	<u>10:49:34</u>	<u>9.91</u>	<u>9.7</u>

*If D.O. is below 5.0 mg/L notify agency and measure D.O. at 1.0 foot intervals if <5.0 mg/L.



IMPOUNDMENT SAMPLING LOG

Water Quality Study Location Clam River

Hydroelectric Project – FERC # 9185

Date: 7-19-17

Pre-Sampling Data:

HWL 898.68 TW 864.20 CFS 322

Sample Location: N45° 56.779'

W 092° 36.286'

Performed by: Stine Haag

Time: 10:12 Barometer: 30.1

Air Temp: 79 °F Wind Speed: SE 5 mph

Sky Conditions: Clear

Precipitation within Last 24 Hours: yes

D.O. Meter Calibration:

Instrument Model Used: HQ40D

Were the batteries changed? Yes No

If yes, when were they changed: _____

Battery Status: 75% % Charge

Calibration Method: Factory

Sampling Depth Profile: Measured depth to bottom of impoundment: 7.5 Meters

Secchi Depth (+ 0.1)	
Time	Feet
<u>10:26</u>	<u>1</u> Meters

Comments:

Chlorophyll <i>a</i> *		
(1 Meter below surface horizontal sampler)		
Time	Quantity (ml)	Filtered
<u>10:15</u>	1000	In Lab
Preservative		MgCO ₃

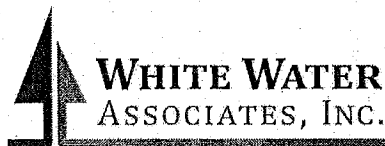
True Color	
(1 Meter below surface horizontal sampler)	
Time	
<u>10:15</u>	

Total Phosphorus	
(1 Meter below surface horizontal sampler)	
Time	Preservative
<u>10:15</u>	H ₂ SO ₄

Total Phosphorus	
(1 Meter above bottom horizontal sampler)	
Time	Preservative
<u>10:18</u>	H ₂ SO ₄

D.O. and Temperature Profile			
Depth (Meters)	Time	D.O. (mg/L)	Temperature °C
0.5 below surface	<u>10:14.23</u>	<u>9.47</u>	<u>23.7</u>
1	<u>10:15.34</u>	<u>9.19</u>	<u>23.9</u>
2	<u>10:17.04</u>	<u>8.16</u>	<u>23.8</u>
3	<u>10:18.22</u>	<u>7.76</u>	<u>23.7</u>
4	<u>10:19.04</u>	<u>7.48</u>	<u>23.7</u>
5	<u>10:19.45</u>	<u>7.56</u>	<u>23.7</u>
6	<u>10:20.18</u>	<u>7.56</u>	<u>23.6</u>
7	<u>10:20.57</u>	<u>6.99</u>	<u>23.6</u>
<u>8.5</u>	<u>10:22.05</u>	<u>5.83</u>	<u>23.5</u>
0.5 above bottom	<u>10:23.57</u>	<u>6.25</u>	<u>23.6</u>

*If D.O. is below 5.0 mg/L notify agency and measure D.O. at 1.0 foot intervals if <5.0 mg/L.



IMPOUNDMENT SAMPLING LOG

Water Quality Study Location Clam River

Hydroelectric Project - FERC # 9185

Date: 8-15-17

Pre-Sampling Data:

HWL 898.70 TWL 863.40 CFS 184

Sample Location: N45° 2.779
W 092° 36.286

Performed by: Stine Haag

Time: 10:25 Barometer: 30

Air Temp 64 °F Wind Speed: 0 mph

Sky Conditions: 100 Clouds

Precipitation within Last 24 Hours: yes

D.O. Meter Calibration:

Instrument Model Used: HQ40D

Were the batteries changed? Yes No

If yes, when were they changed: _____

Battery Status: 75 % Charge

Calibration Method: Factory

Sampling Depth Profile: Measured depth to bottom of impoundment: 7.5 Meters

Secchi Depth (± 0.1)		
Time	Feet	Meters
<u>10:34</u>		

Comments:

One Bald Eagle, Blue Heron, Bald eagle perched tree
Red Tail Fox at Landing
One painted turtle



WHITE WATER ASSOCIATES, INC.

Chlorophyll a * (1 Meter below surface horizontal sampler)		
Time <u>10:28</u>	Quantity (ml)	Filtered
	<u>1000</u>	In Lab
Preservative	MgCO ₃	

True Color (1 Meter below surface horizontal sampler)	
Time <u>10:28</u>	

Total Phosphorus (1 Meter below surface horizontal sampler)	
Time <u>10:28</u>	Preservative
	H ₂ SO ₄

Total Phosphorus (1 Meter above bottom horizontal sampler)	
Time <u>10:26</u>	Preservative
	H ₂ SO ₄ ✓

D.O. and Temperature Profile			
Depth (Meters)	Time	D.O. (mg/L)	Temperature °C
0.5 below surface	<u>10:26:43</u>	<u>9.89</u>	<u>21.4</u>
1	<u>10:27:29</u>	<u>9.91</u>	<u>21.4</u>
2	<u>10:28:23</u>	<u>9.61</u>	<u>21.4</u>
3	<u>10:30:42</u>	<u>6.28</u>	<u>21.1</u>
4	<u>10:31:39</u>	<u>5.42</u>	<u>20.9</u>
5	<u>10:32:35</u>	<u>5.54</u>	<u>20.8</u>
6	<u>10:33:10</u>	<u>5.46</u>	<u>20.8</u>
7	<u>10:33:51</u>	<u>5.03</u>	<u>20.7</u>
<u>87.5</u>	<u>10:34:46</u>	<u>3.30</u>	<u>20.7</u>
0.5 above bottom	<u>10:35:40</u>	<u>4.29</u>	<u>20.7</u>

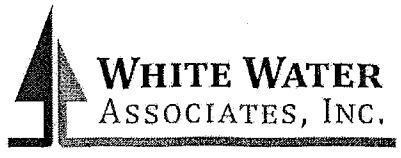
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Clam River
8-15-2017

*D.O. and Temperature Profile			
Depth (Feet)	Time	D.O. (mg/L)	Temperature °C
0.5 below surface	10:37.08	9.72	21.7
1	10:37.52	9.89	21.6
2	10:38.18	9.86	21.6
3	10:38.42	9.78	21.6
4	10:39.50	8.27	21.5
5	10:40.19	8.34	21.5
6	10:41.08	8.53	21.5
7	10:42.39	7.15	21.4
8	10:43.16	7.39	21.5
9	10:44.58	6.31	21.4
10	10:46.20	5.53	21.2
11	10:46.44	5.78	21.0
12	10:47.25	5.78	21.0
13	10:48.05	5.07	20.9
14	10:48.29	5.13	20.9
15	10:49.06	5.20	20.4
16	10:49.40	5.06	20.2
17	10:50.37	5.02	20.8
18	10:51.13	5.16	20.8
19	10:51.47	5.31	20.8
20	10:52.08	5.34	20.7
21	10:52.35	5.24	20.7
22	10:53.17	5.15	20.7
23	10:53.42	5.09	20.7
24	10:54.04	5.12	20.7
25	10:54.29	5.05	20.7
0.5 above bottom	10:55.58	4.63	20.7

25.5 feet

a little above bottom 10:56.32 4.90 20.7



**Appendix D – Clam River Hydroelectric Project Lab Reports and Chains
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Client: RWE

WWA Job #: 68748

Project: Monitoring

Date Received: 4/14/2017

Date Reported: 4/27/2017

Sample Number	Client Sample ID	Date Sampled	Sample Matrix
68748-001	Clam River	04/12/17	Water
68748-002	Clam River	04/12/17	Water
68748-003	Danbury	04/12/17	Water
68748-004	Danbury	04/12/17	Water



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WWA Job #: 68748

Project: Monitoring

Date Received: 4/14/2017

Date Reported: 5/5/2017

Sample Results

Sample No. / ID / Description / Matrix	Result	Flags	Units	Date	Method	MDL	MQL
68748-001 / Clam River / Surface / Water							
General Chemistry Parameters							
chlorophyll a	15		mg/m3	4/20/2017	10200H	NA	NA
Color	10		CU	4/14/2017	2120B	5	5
Total Phosphorus LL (t)	0.024	J	mg/L	4/19/2017	365.4	0.008	0.050
68748-002 / Clam River / Bottom / Water							
General Chemistry Parameters							
Total Phosphorus LL (t)	0.025	J	mg/L	4/19/2017	365.4	0.008	0.050
68748-003 / Danbury / Surface / Water							
General Chemistry Parameters							
chlorophyll a	7.1		mg/m3	4/20/2017	10200H	NA	NA
Color	10		CU	4/14/2017	2120B	5	5
Total Phosphorus LL (t)	0.010	J	mg/L	4/19/2017	365.4	0.008	0.050
68748-004 / Danbury / Bottom / Water							
General Chemistry Parameters							
Total Phosphorus LL (t)	0.012	J	mg/L	4/19/2017	365.4	0.008	0.050

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ADDRESS			TELEPHONE		
CITY	STATE	ZIP	CONTRACT / PO / PROJECT NAME / WSSN# Monitoring		

SAMPLER NAME (print first/last name) Angie Strie		COUNTY OF LOCATION	PAGE 1 OF 1	Indicate if more than one page of COC records used
SAMPLER'S SIGNATURE <i>[Signature]</i>		Check off preservatives for each bottle upon arrival and indicate total number of bottles. WWA database contains bottle preservation details.		

SAMPLE ID AND LOCATION Containers for each sample may be combined on one line.	DATE	TIME	SAMPLE MATRIX											Total Number of Containers			
			Drinking water	Aqueous	Sed.	Soil	Other:	None	H2SO4	HNO3	HCl	NaOH	ZnAc/NaOH		Na Thio		
1 Clam River Surface	4-12-17	10:46		X					X	X							3
2 Clam River Bottom	4-12-17	10:43							no								1
3 Danbury Surface	4-12-17	12:48							X								3
4 Danbury Bottom	4-12-17	12:42							no								1

ANALYSIS TYPE REQUESTED (Attach list if needed)											
Chl a (mg/L)											
T Phos											
Color											

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Relinquished by:	Date:	Time:	Received by:	Date:	Time:	Comments/Sample temp. on receipt:	Packing: Ice <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Cooler <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<i>[Signature]</i>	4-13-17	5:34 pm	<i>[Signature]</i>	4-4-17	1052	2.7	



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Client: RWE

WWA Job #: 70827

Project: Monitoring

Date Received: 7/21/2017

Date Reported: 9/21/2017

Sample Number	Client Sample ID	Date Sampled	Sample Matrix
70827-001	Clam River	07/19/17	Water
70827-002	Clam River	07/19/17	Water
70827-003	Danbury	07/19/17	Water
70827-004	Danbury	07/19/17	Water



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Sample Types:

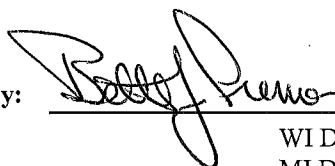
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WWA Job #: 70827

Project: Monitoring

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Date Reported: 9/21/2017

Sample Results

Sample No. / ID / Description / Matrix	Result	Flags	Units	Date/Time	Method	MDL	MQL	Analyst
70827-001 / Clam River / Surface / Water								
General Chemistry Parameters								
chlorophyll a	15		mg/m3	8/10/2017 14:30	10200H	NA	NA	WS
Color	25		CU	7/21/2017 14:00	2120B	5	5	AH
Total Phosphorus LL (t)	0.033	J	mg/L	8/1/2017 10:28	365.4	0.008	0.050	NK
70827-002 / Clam River / Bottom / Water								
General Chemistry Parameters								
Total Phosphorus LL (t)	0.075		mg/L	8/1/2017 10:29	365.4	0.008	0.050	NK
70827-003 / Danbury / Surface / Water								
General Chemistry Parameters								
chlorophyll a	6.3		mg/m3	8/10/2017 14:30	10200H	NA	NA	WS
Color	20		CU	7/21/2017 14:00	2120B	5	5	AH
Total Phosphorus LL (t)	0.046	J	mg/L	8/1/2017 10:30	365.4	0.008	0.050	NK
70827-004 / Danbury / Bottom / Water								
General Chemistry Parameters								
Total Phosphorus LL (t)	0.032	J	mg/L	8/1/2017 10:30	365.4	0.008	0.050	NK

Job # (WWA office use): **70827**

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SAMPLER NAME (print first/last name) Ami Stri	COUNTY OF LOCATION	PAGE 101 OF 105 <small>Indicate if more than one page of COC records used</small>
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SAMPLER'S SIGNATURE 	Check off preservatives for each bottle upon arrival and indicate total number of bottles. WWA database contains bottle preservation details.
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SAMPLE ID AND LOCATION <small>Containers for each sample may be combined on one line.</small>	DATE	TIME	SAMPLE MATRIX					CONTAINERS / PRESERVATIVES							Total Number of Containers
			Drinking water	Aqueous	Sed.	Soil	Other:	None	H2SO4	HNO3	HCl	NaOH	ZnAc/NaOH	Na Thio	

1 Clam River Surface	7-19-17	10:15		X					X	X							3	X	X	X
2 Clam River Bottom	"	10:18															1		X	
3 Danbury Surface	"	12:43							X								3	X	X	X
4 Danbury Bottom	"	12:44															1		X	

ANALYSIS TYPE REQUESTED (Attach list if needed)

Chloride (Cl ₂)	T Phos	Color																		

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Relinquished by: 	Date: 7-20-17	Time: 5:03pm	Received by:	Date:	Time:	Comments/Sample temp. on receipt: 3.5	Packing: Ice Cooler <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Relinquished by:	Date:	Time:	Received by: Ami Stri	Date: 7-21-17	Time: 10:48		



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Client: RWE

WWA Job #: 71380

Project: Monitoring

Date Received: 8/17/2017

Date Reported: 9/14/2017

Sample Number	Client Sample ID	Date Sampled	Sample Matrix
71380-001	Clam River	08/15/17	Water
71380-002	Clam River	08/15/17	Water
71380-003	Danbury	08/15/17	Water
71380-004	Danbury	08/15/17	Water



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Date Received: 8/17/2017

Date Reported: 9/14/2017

Sample Results

Sample No. / ID / Description / Matrix	Result	Flags	Units	Date/Time	Method	MDL	MLQ	Analyst
71380-001 / Clam River / Surface / Water								
General Chemistry Parameters								
chlorophyll a	11		mg/m3	9/7/2017 10:00	10200H	NA	NA	WS
Color	20	H	CU	8/17/2017 11:40	2120B	5	5	AH
Total Phosphorus LL (t)	0.034	J	mg/L	8/18/2017 11:48	365.4	0.008	0.050	NK
71380-002 / Clam River / Bottom / Water								
General Chemistry Parameters								
Total Phosphorus LL (t)	0.034	J	mg/L	8/18/2017 11:49	365.4	0.008	0.050	NK
71380-003 / Danbury / Surface / Water								
General Chemistry Parameters								
chlorophyll a	3.8		mg/m3	9/7/2017 10:00	10200H	NA	NA	WS
Color	15		CU	8/17/2017 11:40	2120B	5	5	AH
Total Phosphorus LL (t)	0.029	J	mg/L	8/18/2017 11:50	365.4	0.008	0.050	NK
71380-004 / Danbury / Bottom / Water								
General Chemistry Parameters								
Total Phosphorus LL (t)	0.027	J	mg/L	8/18/2017 11:50	365.4	0.008	0.050	NK

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SAMPLER'S SIGNATURE <i>Angie Stine</i>			<small>Check off preservatives for each bottle upon arrival and indicate total number of bottles. WWA database contains bottle preservation details.</small>											
SAMPLE ID AND LOCATION <small>Containers for each sample may be combined on one line.</small>	DATE	TIME	SAMPLE MATRIX					CONTAINERS / PRESERVATIVES					Total Number of Containers	
			Drinking water	Aqueous	Sed.	Soil	Other:	None	H2SO4	HNO3	HCl	NaOH		ZnAc/NaOH

ANALYSIS TYPE REQUESTED (Attach list if needed)

chl a	TANOS	color																				
X	X	X																				
X	X	X																				
X	X	X																				

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1 Clam River Surface	8-15-17	10:28		X				X	X							3	X	X	X											
2 " Bottom	"	10:26						X								1		X												
3 Dabury Surface	"	12:54						X								3	X	X	X											
4 " Bottom	"	12:56		X				X								1		X												

Relinquished by:	Date:	Time:	Received by:	Date:	Time:	Comments/Sample temp. on receipt:		Packing: Ice <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Cooler <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<i>Angie Stine</i>	8-16-17	16:47	<i>Cheryl</i>	8-17-17	8:30				

Appendix E – Agency Comments

From: [Laatsch, Cheryl - DNR](#)
To: [Brian Kreuzer;](#)
Subject: FW: Danbury (P-9184) Clam River (P-9185) Draft Water Quality Reports
Date: Tuesday, December 05, 2017 3:55:23 PM
Attachments: [image001.gif](#)
[image002.gif](#)
[image003.gif](#)
[image004.gif](#)
[image005.gif](#)
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See the comments below.

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From: Roesler, Craig P - DNR
Sent: Friday, December 01, 2017 3:11 PM
To: Laatsch, Cheryl - DNR <Cheryl.Laatsch@wisconsin.gov>; Toshner, Pamela J - DNR <Pamela.Toshner@wisconsin.gov>
Subject: RE: Danbury (P-9184) Clam River (P-9185) Draft Water Quality Reports

In the Clam River document, figure 1 shows a “new” sampling location and a second sampling location (the old one). The sampling location was changed a few years ago at our request. It would be good to indicate in figure 1 the year that sampling switched over to the new station.

From: Laatsch, Cheryl - DNR
Sent: Monday, November 27, 2017 12:33 PM

To: Roesler, Craig P - DNR <Craig.Roesler@wisconsin.gov>; Toshner, Pamela J - DNR <Pamela.Toshner@wisconsin.gov>

Subject: FW: Danbury (P-9184) Clam River (P-9185) Draft Water Quality Reports

Hi folks – here are the draft WQ reports for Danbury and Clam River FERC projects. Please review and let me know if you have any questions, concerns, or recommendations for changes to sampling. The final reports will be sent to CO for entry into the SWIMS database.

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From: Brian Kreuzscher [<mailto:bkreuscher@rwehydro.com>]

Sent: Friday, November 17, 2017 8:53 AM

To: Laatsch, Cheryl - DNR <Cheryl.Laatsch@wisconsin.gov>; Nick Utrup <nick_utrup@fws.gov>

Subject: Danbury (P-9184) Clam River (P-9185) Draft Water Quality Reports

Cheryl and Nick,

Attached are the Draft Water Quality Reports for Danbury and Clam River. Please review and provide any comments you may have to me within 30 days for FERC submittal.

Thanks

Brian Kreuzscher

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Brian Kreuscher

From: Brian Kreuscher
Sent: Friday, November 17, 2017 8:53 AM
To: Cheryl Laatsch; Nick Utrup
Subject: Danbury (P-9184) Clam River (P-9185) Draft Water Quality Reports
Attachments: Draft Report 2017 Danbury Final WQ-Complete.pdf; Draft Report 2017 Clam River Final WQ-Complete.pdf

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From: Brian Kreuscher
Sent: Friday, November 17, 2017 3:59 PM
To: Cheryl Laatsch; Nick Utrup; Sue Reinecke; Paul Strong; Dale Higgins
Subject: 2017 Draft Water Quality Report
Attachments: Draft Report 2017 Danbury Final WQ-Complete.pdf; Draft Report 2017 Flambeau Lower Final WQ-Complete.pdf; Draft Report 2017 Flambeau Upper Final WQ-Complete.pdf; Draft Report 2017 Pixley Final WQ-Complete.pdf; Draft Report 2017 Winter Final WQ-Complete.pdf; Draft Report 2017 Clam River Final WQ-Complete.pdf; Draft Report 2017 Crowley Final WQ-Complete.pdf

All,
In previous emails I said we need comments within 30 days for the FERC submittal. Correction, we are to allow 60 days for you to comment on the Water Quality Reports before the FERC submittal is required on these projects:

Winter (P-2064)

Clam River (P-9185)

Danbury (P-9184)

Flambeau Upper (P-2640)

Flambeau Lower (P-2421)

Pixley (P-2395)

Crowley (P-2473)

Sorry for the confusion, I have re-attached all reports noted for ease.

Thanks

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