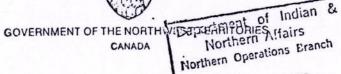
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Mr. Bob Hale, Controller, N.W.T. Water Board, P.O. Box 1500, YELLOWKNIFE, N.W.T. X1A 2R3.

Dear Mr. Hale:

Re: Application for Water Licence Hamlet of Aklavik

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The following information is presented as an update to the original water licence application dated January 25, 1977. Please consider this application as being jointly submitted by the Hamlet and by the G.N.W.T. since the latter is responsible for the capital cost and the O/M of the water/sewer infrastructure. The Water Licence should reflect the joint nature of this application.

Water Supply:

and the planned changes to this system is included in the enclosed report entitled "Aklavik Water Supply" dated February, 1979 (only one copy is available at this time). Briefly, the planned changes entail the installation of a permanent intake to the Peel Channel of the Mackenzie River, a package "water boy" treatment plant and a flocculator/tube settler. The "Water Boy" unit has already been installed and is operating satisfactorily. Scheduled completion date for installation of the permanent intake and the flocculator/tube settler is late September of this year. Hamlet approval of this system, which enables year round pumping from the River, is shown in the attached Council minutes dated February 6, 1979. Continued use of the summer distribution lines is being considered.

A copy of the engineering drawings entitled "Modifications to Water Treatment Plant and Intake Installation, Project No. 77-038" dated April, 1979 is also included for your use. Sepias of these drawings will be forwarded within one week.

Waste Disposal:

Sewage pumpout and honeybags are disposed of at the

dump located just northwest of the end of the airstrip on the west side of the road. Current plans are for the construction of improved sewage treatment/disposal facilities during 1981 and 1982, subject to availability of funding. Studies regarding these improvements will be forwarded to you when available.

Please contact this office if presentation to either the Technical Committee or the Water Board is required in support of the application. Any other response by your offices concerning this application should also be directed to the Water and Sanitation Section. The one exception to this is that Ron Yaworski, D.P.W., should be contacted regarding any further technical information required. His phone number is 873-7835.

Yours truly,

V. Christensen,

Head,

Water & Sanitation Section, Town Planning & Lands Division, Department of Local Government.

Attachment

Mr. Ron Yaworski, c.c.: Department of Public Works.

Secretary Manager, c.c.: Hamlet of Aklavik, AKLAVIK, N.W.T.

REGULAR MEETING

Tuesday, February 6; 1979

resent: Mayor Tornow, Councillors McLeod, T. Arey, B. Storr, RI Arey F. Elanik.

Absent: Deputy Mayor Hansen and Councillor Carmichael

Minutes: Moved by Councillor McLeod that the minutes of meeting #3/79 be adopted as circulated.

Seconded by Councillor R. Arey

Carried

#21/79

Requests, Complaints & Delegations:

Fred James from D.P.W. talked with Council on the water system in Aklavik. The present summer lake is contaminated and definately cannot be used this summer.

Ways were studied on the best summer water system. The most economical way was to put in a filtering system in the new treatment plant and pump from the river year round. Council were all in favor of pumping from the river year round.

The next problem will be to get the filtering system to Inuvik. Here was mentioned then from Inuvik to Aklavik was no problem as the winter road could be used. The filtering system will have to be in before spring as the river plant will have to be used.

Fred James said that a letter should be in in about 10 days with an answer on wether or not the filtering system will be able to get to Inuvik.

Joan Woodside addressed Council on behalf of the alcohol committee. There is funding available for a member on the committee to take training on alcohol councilling. She requested a letter be written supporting the proposal also she asked for office space for this person.

Moved by Councillor T. Arey that a letter be written to Al Wilson to support the proposal of the Aklavik Alcohol committee to send someone for trainging to be an alcohol councillor.

Seconded by Councillor Storr

Carried

#22/79

Moved by Councillor McLeod that a letter be written to D.P.W. asking for the use of the old court worker's office.

Seconded by Councillor Storr

Carried

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ports Recreation Directors report was reviewed by Council.

Letters Letter from school prinicipal on damages caused by people using the gym on sports nights. Council decided that the Drop In Centre person help the recreation director to watch the school.

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Department of Indian & Northern Affairs
Northern Operations Branch

JUL 30 1979

WATER MANAGEMENT.
YELLOWKNIFE, N.W.T.



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SUPPLY

PROJECT 77-038

MSL 40500

R.A. Yaworsky
Engineering Division
Dept. of Public Works
Government of the N.W.T.
February 1979

INTRODUCTION

Aklavik, located at the junction of the Enock, Pokiak and Petl Channels of the Mackenzie River, is approximately 180 km north of the Arctic Circle and 80 km south of Mackenzie Bay on the Beaufort Sea. As such, the settlement is in the west central portion of the Mackenzie Delta which is one of the largest deltas in the world extending 230 km from its head at Point Separation to its mouth at the Arctic Ocean, and at its widest point measuring some 160 km. The delta itself is a maze of river channels, islands and lakes. On one side the Mackenzie is bordered by a range of hills and on the other side the Richardson Mountains.

The settlement of Aklavik is approximately 80 km north of Fort McPherson and 55 km west of Inuvik, extending about 1.8 km along the bank of the Peel Channel

POPULATION

During the 1920's and 1930's Aklavik was the main centre of activity north of the Arctic Circle and experienced its greatest growth during this period of time. During the 1950's government decision created the new Town of Inuvik to act as the governmental and transportation centre for this area of the Mackenzie Delta. Since people in Aklavik were paid to relocate elsewhere the population decreased slightly during this period. The population in 1958 was 700 and by 1961 was 670. Since 1962 there has been a slow increase in population, partly due to natural increase and partly to the return of families from the new Town of Inuvik. There has been a general trend of native population returning to Aklavik as they became disenchanted and unhappy in the larger, faster moving Town of Inuvik with its urban problems of growth. Present population (Jan. 1979) is 797. Future population and water demand forecasts are listed in Table 1 and 1 (a); also refer to Figure 2.

New development is slated to follow the southwest bank of the Peel Channel. (See Figure 1) 72 new lots have been planned in this area; this should be sufficient for 8 - 10 years.

SOILS

The townsite of Aklavik is about 3.5 m above summer water level and 10 m above sea level which has resulted in occasional flooding of the Hamlet. The townsite is composed of relatively recent alluvial deposit. This material consists of silts and fine sands of considerable thickness. Permafrost is continuous throughout the settlement at a depth of .31 m to .92 m depending upon the location and combines with the alluvial soils to present drainage, building and erosion problems.

TABLE 1: Present and Future: Population & Demand

Year	Population	Fully Trucked		Capita Demand L/day Piped/Trucked (c)	(a) Fully Piped (d)
1978	797	35			
1983	891	90	,.	136	454
1988	996	114		149	454
1993	1113	117		153	454
1998	1245	120		156	454
2003	1392	123		160	454
2008	1557	126		167	454
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NOTES: (a) from Local Government guidelines

(b) trucked water delivery and sewage disposal

(c) piped water services and trucked sewage disposal

(d) piped water delivery and sewage disposal

TABLE 1 (a): Total Daily Demand

	Per Car	pita Demand L/day	
Year	Fully Trucked (a)	Piped/Trucked (b)	Fully Piped (b)
1978	34,500		
1983	103,100	121,200	404,500
1988	144,400	148,900	452,200
1993	165,300	169,800	505,300
1998	189,800	194,300	565,200
2003	217,900	222,900	632,000
2008	250,200	260,100	706,900

NOTES: (a) calculated by taking the total weekly consumption and dividing by 5.5 - the number of days per week water is delivered.

(b) strictly daily demand. Since water is delivery by piped 7 days per week.

CLIMATE

The climate of Aklavik is characterized by long cold winters (late September to end of May) and short cool summers (mid June to end of August). Spring and autumm are very short. Winter temperatures are quite cold, with monthly mean temperatures of below 0°C for eight months, with December to February being extremely cold months. Monthly mean temperatures drop to -25°C to -26°C. The monthly mean temperatures rise to 4°C from the months of June, July and August, however, only in July and August does the mean reach 10°C.

The low level of precipitation of 23 cm per year does not prohibit vegetation due to the slow thawing out period and light evaporation. Precipitation is quite seasonal and usually results from an influx of warm moist southern air. The months with the highest precipitation are July, August, October and November.

VEGETATION

The northern portion of the Mackenzie Delta is north of the tree line of the boreal forest and although Aklavik is within the boreal forest, the areas inland of the tree-lined channel banks are covered by a marshy vegetation or muskeg. The chief species are white spruce on higher ground with willows and alder occupying the low lying areas. The southern portion of the delta has balsam, poplar and some black spruce on high ground, and willow and alder tickets in lowland meadows.

PRESENT WATER SYSTEM

The Hamlet of Aklavik is presently serviced by a winter intake from the Peel Channel and summer intake from Pump Lake. A new water treatment building (7.6 m square) was constructed in 1977. Complaints have been voiced by residents regarding the summer water quality - i.e. foreign debris has been findings its way into the drinking water system (fish,etc.). Two tanks, each with a capacity of 227,000 L are present by the new treatment building. The existing water system is shown on Figure 3. The Council has written and described the problem, in their view. See Appendix III.

During spring and summer months the Peel Channel has a high silt content; however, in the winter the water quality is generally good. Pump Lake becomes turbid in spring months when it is flooded from the river. Results from water analysis from Pump Lake indicate very high iron, at all times of the year, as well as high Manganese, Calcium and Magnesium. High color and turbidity becomes a problem in spring and summer months, from both the Peel Channel and Pump Lake. The water is also some what hard. Complete analysis results are presented in Appendix I.

PRESENT WATER SYSTEM cont'd

Data from the report "Mackenzie River Input to the Beaufort Sea" is also presented in Appendix I. This includes sediment loading and grain size analysis of the Peel Channel.

INSTALLATION OF PACKAGE TREATMENT PLANT

In orer to meet water quality standards, and future demand levels, an upgrading of the present temporary arrangement of a dual source must be considered. In addition, the existing facilities (winter/summer intake and distribution system) are nearing the end of their useful life. In order to adequately treat high levels of turbidity, iron and other minerals present at certain times of the year; a package treatment plant would be installed in the new water treatment building by the river. This would be used in conjunction with the 13,600 L storage tank (backwash) and the two exterior 227,000 L tanks (total of 454,000 L exterior storage). A properly sized and operated "Water Boy" type treatment plant would be able to handle river water at all times of the year. (Reference Appendix II, letter from Neptune Microfloc.) In fact, more problems would be encountered treating the lake water. Thus, a package plant and permanent intake into the river would enable a year round supply source. In terms of high silt content, increased alum treatment is recommended. The new treatment plant building is quite close to the water's edge; hence the intake would be about 200 m in length.

One or both of the 227,000 L storage tanks could act as settlement tanks and reduce the alum required. However, the problem of tube settlers should be investigated; they would no doubt be much more effective. They could also provide emergency storage in case the plant was inoperative as well as community fire protection storage. It is reported that one of the tanks leak. This, combined with their age, may make insulating the tanks unadvisable.

There are several alternatives to the sizing of the package plant itself. Presently there are available several models of Water Boy plants. They are: WB-133 (375 L/min, capacity), WB-82 (225L/min. capacity) and WB-27 (75 L/min. capacity). Normally, approximately 2% of the daily flow is used for filter, however, up to 30% of the flow may be required for backwash in times of high turbidity.

If one WB-133 was installed, this would be adequate to meet 30 year trucked and piped - trucked demands.

INSTALLATION OF PACKAGE TREATMENT PLANT cont'd

If one WB-82 was installed, in conjunction with the existing 18,000 L storage tank, this would be adequate to meet 1985 demands (fully trucked). If one of the 227,000 L tanks were insulated and heated, 30 year demands could be met for trouked and piped/trucked systems. The plant would then be running constantly; running at night to provide water for peak day periods. If, at a future date, a fully piped system was constructed, the only way demand could be met would be by installation of a WB-133 and provision of a 370,000 L storage.

Presently, during periods of high silt content in the river (spring break-up), and in summer months, a temporary intake and supply line from Pump Lake is utilized. However, the quality of water is not acceptable from this shource in several categories: excessive hardness, iron, manganese, colour, turbidity, and perhaps most alarming, coliform counts. There have also been reports from users as to organic matter present in the drinking water. Treatment is most certainly recommended.

If Pump Lake is utilized for a supply source, there are several alternatives for improving the quality of this source:

a) Construction of a dyke across the narrows of the lake. This would prevent the high silt content from the Peel Channel from entering the lake. However, the lake would have to be recharged via pumping or some type of control structure. The lake would be recharged in fall months once water quality has improved. An access road would be required to the dyke site of approximately 440 m in length. Unfortunately, no soils or detailed topographical information exists of the area. It is estimated the dyke would be approximately 2.5 m high by 60 m in length. A timber control structure would regulate the water inflow.

A permanent intake, wet well and summer line to the treatment plant could be considered. Presently, only a fire hose is used, with pumps suspended on a tripod. This would require about 50 m of intake, a pumphouse building, and approximately 510 m of supply line. In addition, about 310 m of new smaller diameter line would be required to run back to the old treatment plant and tie into an existing summer pressure distribution system.

The above alternatives, i.e. the dyke and permanent intake and pumping facilities, were discussed in reference to Pump Lake. These same options could be applied to the lake west of Pump Lake.

A dyke could also be constructed across the narrows of the west lake. This would impound less water than a Pump Lake dyke, however, it may be slightly easier to construct, although again no soils or topographic information exists. It appears the dyke would be about 3 m high by

INSTALLATION OF PACKAGE TREATMENT PLANT cont'd

60 m long. An access road of approximately 460 m in length would be required. Replenishment would be via control structure, flooding the lake in fall months, or pumping. Water quality is unknown, but, since the lake is flooded from the Peel Channel floods, it is expected to be similar to Pump Lake. This lake has the advantage of being further from town, from a contamination standpoint, but also further to run pipelines. Again, a permanent intake, wet well, and pipeline could be constructed at the west lake. An 1160 m supply line to the treatment plant would be required, as well as a 310 m long small diameter line to the summer distribution system.

ESTIMATED COSTS

Alternative A

Installation of one WB-133 package plant and permanent intake.

Purchase of WB-133			\$ 40,000.00
Freight			2,050.00
Installation	*		25,000.00
			86,200.00
Outfall line (see below)			102,000.00
Intake (see below)			
			\$255,250.00
Engineering and contingency	25%		63,750.00
		TOTAL	\$319,000.00

Alternative B

Installation of one WB-82 package plant, insulation of one tank, and permanent intake.

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Intake detailed costs:

River intake	200m x \$250.00/m		\$ 50,000.00
Wetwell, pumps,			50,000.00
Supply line	20 m x \$100.00/m		2,000.00
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NOTE: Riprap from outfall costs utilized for intake construction also.

Outfall detail costs:

200 m - 200 mm pipe @ \$250/m Plant connection and piping Riprap (1500 m ³ @ 19.50/m ³)		\$ 50,000.00 6,200.00 30,000.00
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Should the treatment plant prove unable to handle high silted spring river water, then the summer lake source should be improved. This will involve the following expenditures:

ALTERNATIVE 1 Pump Lake Improvements

Dyke construction 150 m ³ x \$15.00/m ³ Control structure Road 440 m x \$100.00/m Intake 50 m x \$250.00/m Pumphouse building, pumps, etc. Summer supply line 510 m x \$50.00/m Summer distribution line 310 m x \$50.00/m	\$ 2,250.00 15,000.00 44,000.00 12,500.00 75,000.00 30,000.00 15,500.00 \$194,850.00 48,700.00
Engineering and contingencies 25% TOTAL	\$243,550.00

ALTERNATIVE II West Lake Improvements

Dyke 180 m ³ x \$15.00/m ³ Control structure Road 460 m x \$100.00/m Intake 50 m x \$250.00/m Pumphouse Summer supply line 1160 m x \$60.00/m Summer distribution line 310 m x \$50.00/m	\$ 2,700.00 15,000.00 46,000.00 12,500.00 75,000.00 69,600.00 15,500.00
Engineering and contingencies 25%	\$236,300.00
TOTAL .	\$295,375.00

DISCUSSION

Thus, it can be seen that in order to utilize either of the two lakes as a supply source, it will require a minimum expenditure of \$243,550.00. This would be in addition to the treatment plant work. The disadvantages of the lakes include poor water quality, and with the possibility of town encroachment, the water quality could deteriorate further.

Since the supplier recommends treatment of river water year round, it is suggested that this approach be pursued.

The recommended alternative is the installation of a package treatment plant and year round intake into the Mackenzie River. With proper plant operation, year round operation should be feasible. However, pre-settling the river water in the spring months would aid in the operation of the plant, thus, tube settlers should be investigated. The condition of the tanks should also be carefully assessed, and, if reasonable life could be expected, then it should be insulated. It is also recommended that water samples be obtained this spring from the river, these analysis would aid in the plant set up and determining optimum chemical dosages. Applications should also be made for water board approval of the plant effluent discharge (backwash waste) outfall line.

The 1978/79 budget of \$10,000.00 with the addition of the 1979/80 budget of \$275,000.00 is not quite sufficient for Alternative B. However, it is within 10%, and it is recommended Alternative B be pursued - the total estimated costs of \$299,600.00.

If design is undertaken immediately; tender documents could be ready by late March. Barge dates for Aklavik are June 1, June 27, July 26 and final sailing August 28 (from Hay River).

Therefore the recommended schedule is:

mid February - engage consultant

- tender documents complete late March

- advertise tender mid April - contract award late May

- water boy from Ft. Simpson on barge to Aklavik late June

- contractor should be able to demobilize equipment via early Sept.

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SUMMARY OF RECOMMENDATIONS

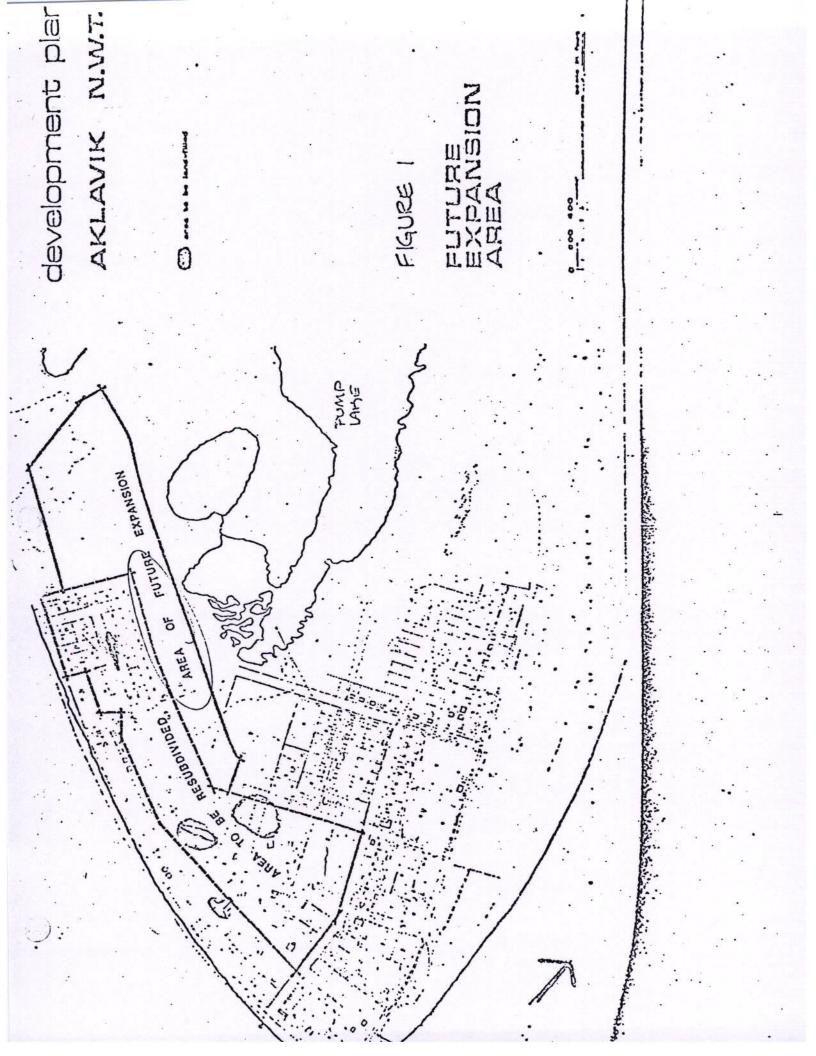
It is recommended Alternative B be implimented - i.e. installation of the WB-82, from Fort Simpson; installation of intake/outfall and provision of storage. Specifically the project is as follows (for a guide to consultants):

Preliminary Sitework & Engineering

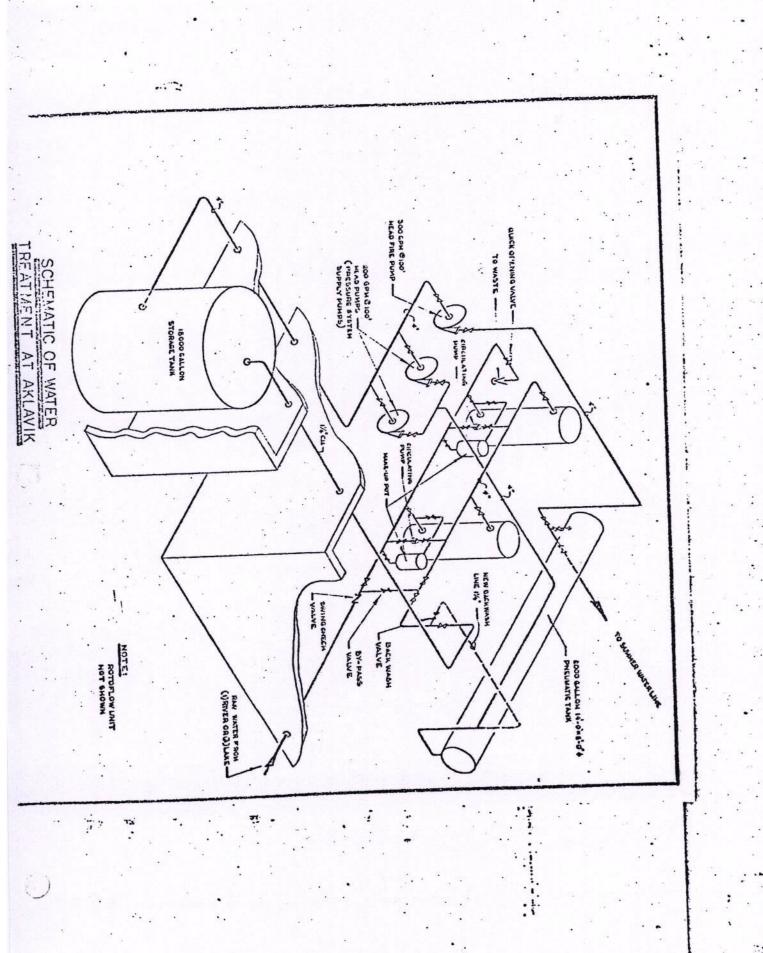
This phase will involve at least one site visit to gather design information as river depth profiles at intake/outfall location; water sampling at spring breakup and water temperature measurement at intake depth. The existing tanks should be evaluated for useful life. Tube settling devices should be investigated and assessed.

Design & Tender Documents

- a) Intake/outfall: An inclined shaft type intake is preferred. All required piping and electrical work. Intake/outfall to be protected from ice damage; perhaps by running them through culverts covered with riprap. 1500 m³ of riprap will be stockpiled during the winter of 1979; for use in this project.
- b) Installation of WB-82: The plant is to be shipped from Fort Simpson; all mechanical and electrical work as required. The existing tanks should be piped so as to use for storage. If feasible, the one tank should be insulated and used for active storage. A hook-up for the summer distribution system is required. Tube settlers, if practical and economic, to be installed.
- c) Services during construction: This phase would include periodic advice from designers during construction, site visits if required, preparation of as-built drawings and 0 & M manuals.
- d) Resident Supervision: It is doubtfull whether a job of this magnitude would warrant a full time resident inspector.



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APPENDIX II
WATER BOY INFORMATION

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November 29, 1978

Government of the Northwest Territories Project Management, Eng. Division Department of Public Works Yellowknife, N.W.T. XIA 2L9

Attention: Mr.R. Yaworsky Project Officer

Dear Sir:



RE: Aklavik Water Analysis

We have reviewed the water analysis forwarded to us with your letter of October 27, 1978, and would advise as follows.

For the Mackenzie River water we would recommend the use of a Microfloc Water Boy rated at normal capacity. Although we have no direct experience with the treatment of Mackenzic River water, after reviewing the water analysis submitted, we are sure that it will offer no resistence to conventional chemical treatment and mixed media filtration.

for the water supply lake for which the water analysis was submitted, we would recommend the use of a Microfloc SWB unit. This unit is recommended due to the high colour referenced in the analysis. The SWB offers greater retention time and higher solids handling capabilities which, we feel, is required for this water. The SWB is available in packaged plant sizes ranging from nominal flow handling capabilities of 25,000 - 250,000 U.S. gallons per day.

I am enclosing some information in reference to the Recla-Mate SWB unit and trust you will find this of some value. We would be pleased to review appropriate equipment selection for this project at your earliest convenience. Our representative in your area is Mr.Ray McManus of B & D Engineering Sales, 70th Avenue S.E., Calgary, telephone 259-5358 (Area Code 403). Mr.McManus may be contacted should you require additional information, or, you may contact me directly.

I trust this information will help you in your review for equipment selection on this project.

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Yours truly,

NEPTUNE MICROFLOC LIMITED

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1-240 daily flow backward. - backward once /day.

Treat silt with Alum.

Technical Data Sheet

WATER BOY WB-82

CORVALLIS, OREGON 97330 Telephone (503) 752-5501

General Data

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Nominal Flow: 60 gpm. Maximum Flow: 70 gpm.

Inlet Pressure Required @ Shutoff: 10 psig.

Effluent Pressure Available @ Rated Flow: 10 ft. of water (from base of unit).

Overall Shipping Dimensions:

Length: 8 ft. 9 in. Width: 7 ft. 10 in. Height: 6 ft. 10 in.

Weights:

Operating weight: 24,000 lbs. Shipping weight: 8,000 lbs.

Equipment Included with Basic Unit (See Drawing M-292)

Influent Rate Set Valve: 2 in. Rapid Mix Chamber: 24 ft3 volume.

80 ft3 volume. Drive: 1/4 hp, 12 rpm. Flocculator:

81 ft3 volume. Overflow Rate: 300 gpd/ft2. Tube Settler:

12 ft2. Media Type: MF-162. Underdrain: Header and Lateral. Filter Area:

Pumps: Effluent - 1-1/2 hp, 60 gpm.

Backwash - 5 hp, 216 gpm; flooded suction required.

Controls:

Plant flow rate is set manually by an adjustable influent float valve. Another float valve on the effluent pump discharge maintains constant filter level to match incoming flow. A low filter level protection switch is provided for effluent pump protection. The control panel provides automatic backwash initiated by preset filter headloss or by manual pushbutton. Return to service is automatic. Load center and motor starters for pumps also provided and mounted

on unit. Interior - 6 mils dry film thickness vinyl. Color: Aqua. Exterior - 4.5 mils dry film thickness vinyl. Color: Aqua.

Chemical Feed:

Alum - 50 gal. tank, 60 gpd pump, max. feed 100 ppm.

Hypochlorite - 50 gal. tank, 60 gpd pump, max. feed 4 ppm.

Polyelectrolyte - 50 gal. tank, 24 gpd pump, max. feed 1 ppm, 1/3 hp mixer.

Soda Ash (optional) - 50 gal. tank, 60 gpd pump, max. feed 35 ppm.

Installation Data

WATER BOY is designed for indoor installation...

Base Pad Design: 600 lbs. per ft2.

Electrical Supply (to load center on unit): 120/240 V, 3 phase, 30 amp circuit.

Pipe Connections:

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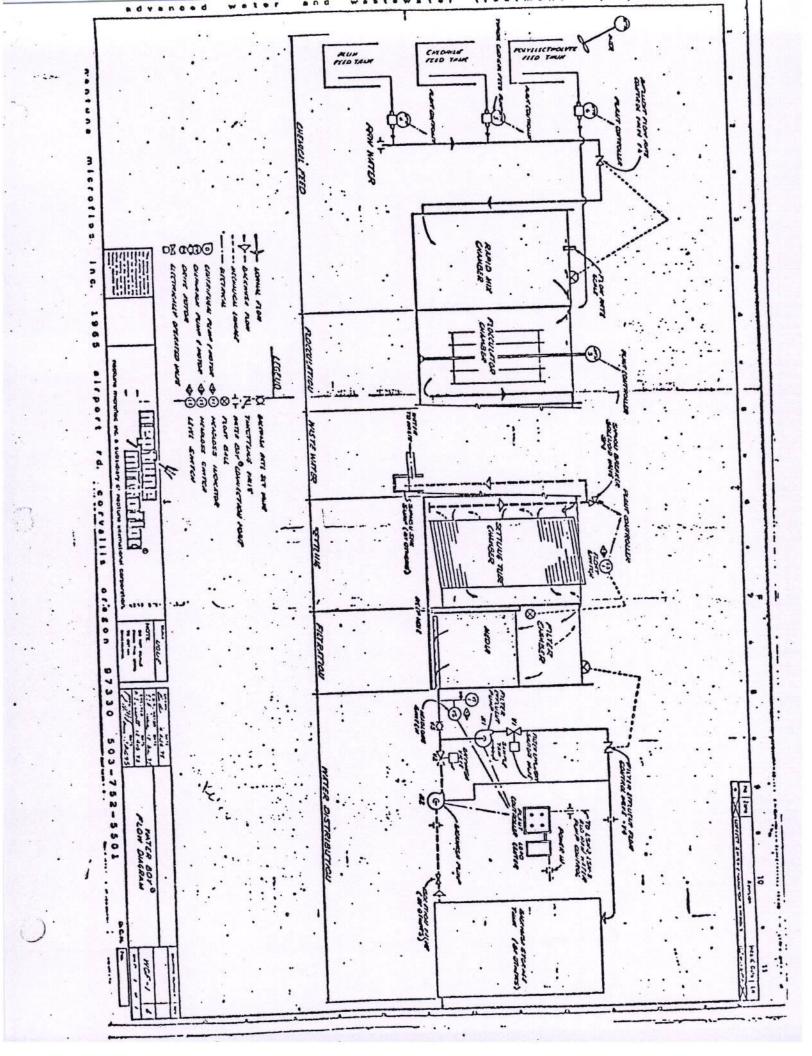
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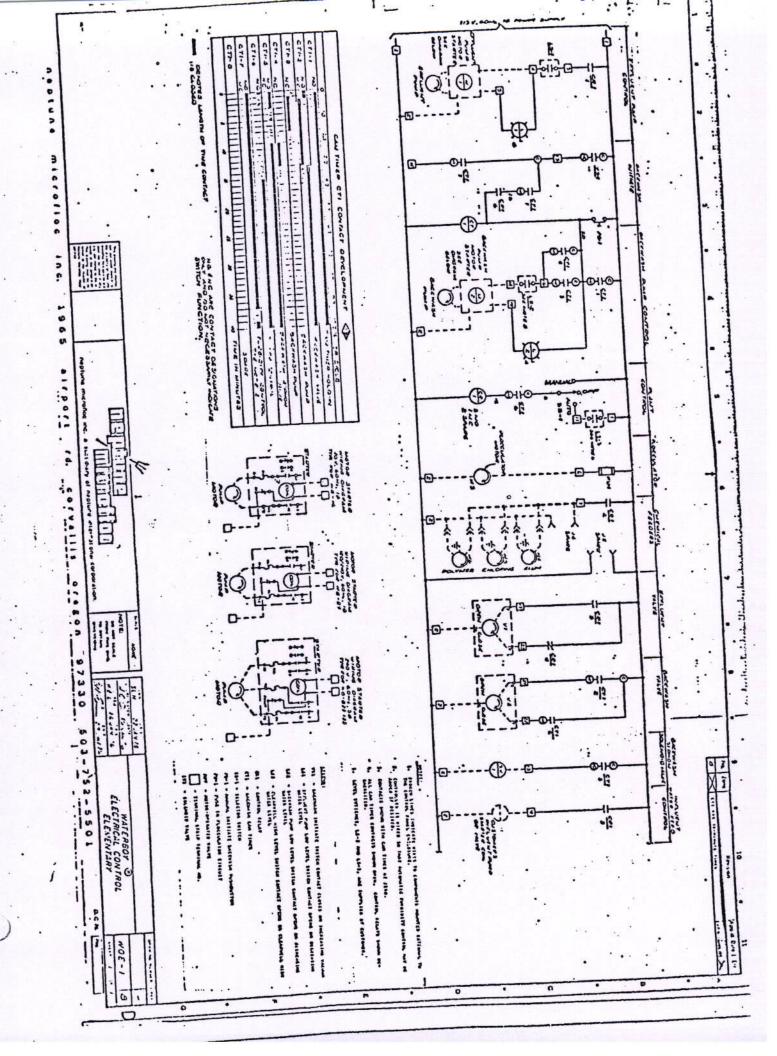
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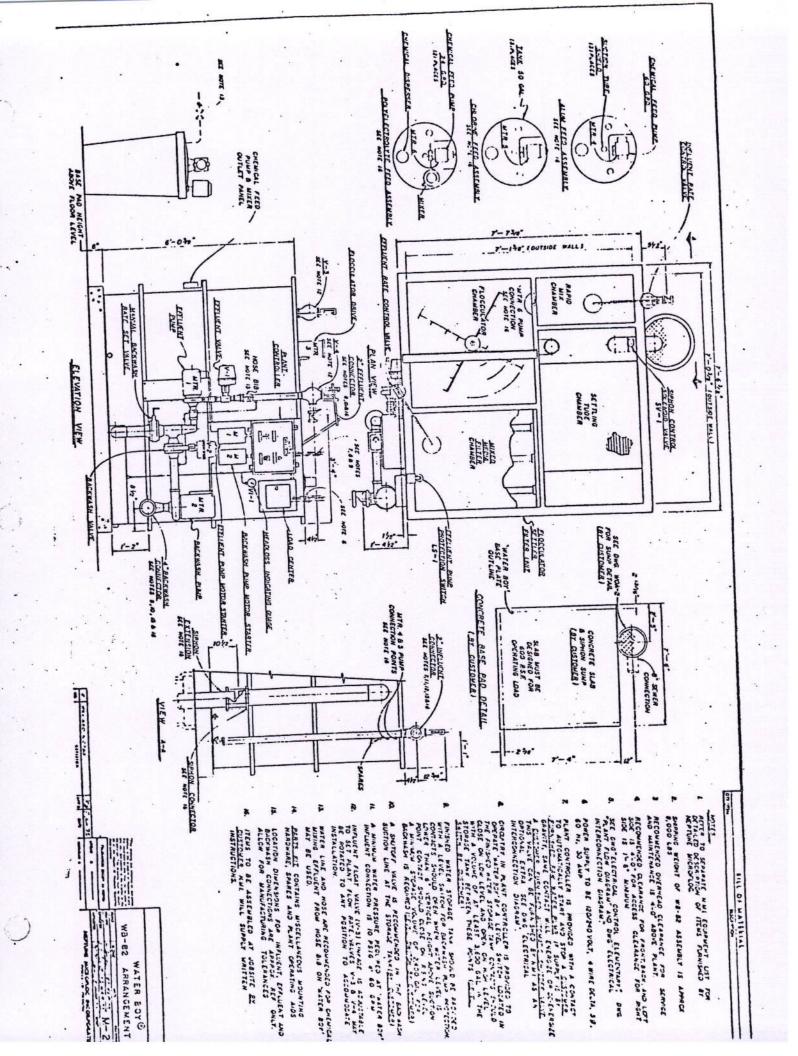
Minimum Backwash Water Storage Required: 2,400 gallons.

Overhead Clearance Required: 4 ft. 0 in.

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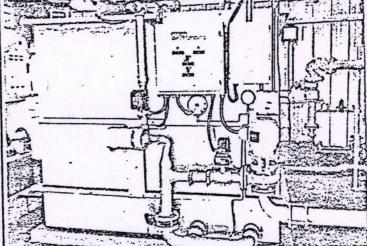
Easy Installation

Compact Design

WATER BOY is a compact, complete factory-built water reatment plant. The complete water treatment processcoagulation, flocculation, clarification, and filtration-has been integrated into one small steel package designed to mit either permanent or portable installation. WATER Y requires a minimum of operation skill and attention,

yet provides optimum trouble-free service. WATER BOY is applied on surface supplies, for removal of turbidity, color, and associated suspended matter, and on groundwaters for removal of iron and manganese. The raw water source is always a prime consideration. Raw water temperature and the amounts of suspended matter, color, etc., to be removed are important. At design flow, the WATER BOY will handle 400 units of turbidity at temperatures of 50 degrees or more. Higher applied turbidities and/ or lower temperatures suggest derating the plant in proportion to the amount of turbidity. Similarly, favorable raw water conditions and temperatures would allow the operation of these package units at maximum hydraulic capacity.

WATER BOY generally will use alum (aluminum sulfate) for coagulation, a polymer as a coagulant aid, and chlorine for disinfection. In some cases, pH correction may be re-



This 60 GPM Water Boy 82 provides water for an oil company campsite in Alaska. Ten, 20, and 100 GPM units are also available.

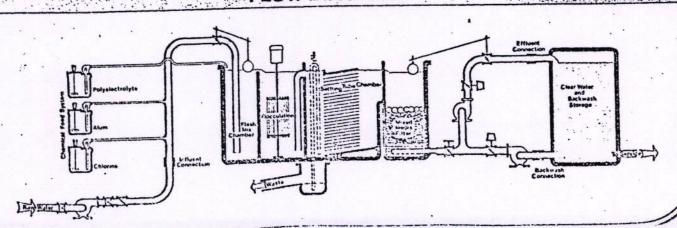
quired. This can be done by adding soda ash or lime. For taste and odor problems, WATER BOY can utilize either powdered activated carbon or a strong oxidant such as potassium permanganate. For iron and manganese removal, chlorine and/or potassium permanganate and a polymer coagulation aid would be suggested.

Generally, highest quality effluent must be maintained for both industrial and municipal services. Usually, this means effluent turbidity of less than 0.5 JTU, and often 0.1-0.2 JTU. This quality is the norm-not the exception-for the

WATER BOY.

Here's how WATER BOY works. The required chemicals are introduced as raw water enters the plant. The chemically dosed water then enters the flash mix chamber. Next, the treated water flows over a calibrated weir to a mechanical flocculator, and on to the unique Microfloc tube clarifier.

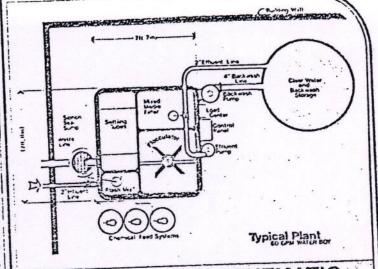
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fied water enters the mixed-media filter chamber and passes through the filter bed to the underdrain system where it's pumped to the combination clearwell and back-

Filter backwash is automatic, initiated on headloss. Posiwash tank. live sludge removal from the tube clarifier is integrated in the backwash, and final backwash water refills the settling chamber, cutting plant downtime and wasted water. All pumps, motors, and controls are mounted integrally. Only load center electrical connections and influent, effluent, backwash and waste pipelines are needed to place the unit in service.



TYPICAL PLANT SCHEMATIC

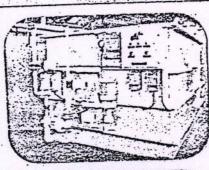
TYPICAL INSTALLATIONS

WATER BOY is utilized to provide water for small communities of from 50 to 2000, and serve the domestic water needs of parks and resorts, schools, and various industries. Additional uses are for construction water, tertiary sewage treatment, and water research.

COMMUNITIES

LAKESIDE UTILITIES, OHIO. Two 20 GPM WATER BOYS provide water for a housing development in northern Ohio. A lake provides the raw water source.

ELK CITY, IDAHO. A 100 GPM unit with turbidity monitoring option. The plant provides water for the community of Elk City, Idaho. A river supply is treated.

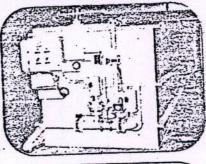


INDUSTRIES

MILL, ALABAMA. A water supply for pulp mill personnel is provided by a 100 WATER BOY. The water source is a river.

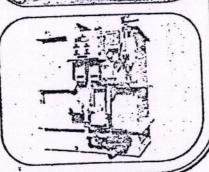
AIR FORCE, THAILAND. SIX 100 GPM WATER BOY units purchased for an Air Force base in Thailand. The units were transported by air to a remote installation.

POWER PLANT, PENNSYLVANIA. The water supply for power plant personnel is provided by a 100 GPM WATER BOY. Raw water source is a river high in manganese as well as other contaminants.



MEMALOOSE STATE PARK, OREGON. A campground operated by the State of Oregon located on the Columbia River utilizes a 20 GPM WATER BOY.

DALE HOLLOW RESERVOIR, TENNESSEE. This Corps of Engineers project uses WATER BOYS for serving the recreation areas.





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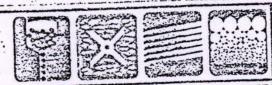
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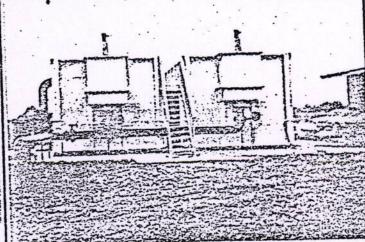
Compact Design

Easy Installation

Low Costs

Neptune Microfloc's Modular Aquarius is a unique water treatment plant for communities of 1,000 to 50,000 people and for industry. Modular Aquarius provides complete water treatment — flocculation, settling and filtration — in a compact, economical design which absolutely minimizes capitand operating costs. Five standard models in steel construction are offered: 200, 350, 560, 700 and 1000 gpm. Designs in concrete are available for capacities of 2 to 5 MGD. The advantages offered by Modular Aquarius have made it the choice of consulting engineers, communities and industry in over 100 installations ranging from the United States to South America, Canada, the Caribbean and Australia.

Modular Aquarius offers several unique and important advantages over conventional equipment. Most importantly, Modular Aquarius includes complete water treatment capability. Modular Aquarius provides full mechanical flocculation, tube settling, and Mixed Media filtration. Complete treatment is imperative in the smaller applications where full time, well trained operators are seldom available. Modular Aquarius also offers simple, automatic operation. Constant rate operation based on water level in the filter cham-

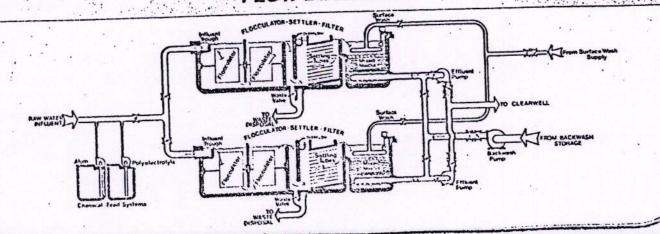


AQ 300 treats 2 MGD.

ber, automatic sludge removal and automatic backwash initiated on high headloss make the operator's task less complicated, leaving more time for running chemical tests and monitoring treated water quality. A fail-safe turbidity monitoring package which shuts the plant down on high finished water turbidity is also available.

A typical flow schematic for a Modular Aquarius plant, either in concrete or steel, is illustrated. The raw water is either pumped or flows by gravity to the treatment system. Influent flow is set at a fixed, but adjustable, rate with the flow started or stopped by clearwell level. Coagulating and sterilizing chemicals are added upstream of the influent flow control system. The chemically treated water then passes to a mechanical flocculator designed to rapidly form a highly settleable floc. The flocculated water flows

FLOW DIAGRAM



to sedimentation chambers equipped with Neptune Microfloc's unique settling tubes. The overflow rate based on the surface area of the settling tubes is less than 100 gpd per square foot. The tube settlers remove and store sedi-

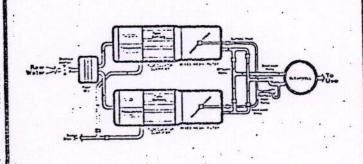
ment for later wasting from the system.

The clarified water passes over a submerged weir to the Mixed Media filter chamber. The Mixed-Media filter is composed of three materials, each of different size and density. The water passes through the Mixed-Media filter, collects in the pipe lateral underdrain system, and is passed to the clearwell. Backwash of a settler/filter unit is initiated by a pressure switch on the effluent line or by a manual initiation switch on the control panel. The settler/filter is operated as a unit. Each time the filter backwashes, the tube settling section dumps to waste, providing positive sludge removal. The free-falling water surface scours the settling tubes clean.

Modular Aquarius features a compact modular design which lowers capital cost and facilitates future expansion. A complete Modular Aquarius plant fits into the space required for conventional clarification equipment alone, saving 1/3 to 1/2 of the total plant space required for other systems. Low profile minimizes building height. Installation costs are kept low with easily handled, factory assembled modules shipped directly to the jobsite. Expansion is easily

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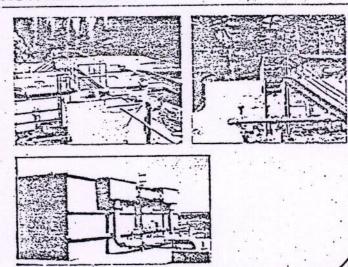
Modular Aquarius can be applied to either surface supplies or ground water for removal of turbidity, color, iron and manganese, and for partial softening. Generally, alum, polymer (as a coagulant aid), and chlorine are used, with powdered activated carbon and potassium permanganate being applied for taste and odor control.

COMPLETE DESIGN PACKAGE

A pre-engineered design package including drawings and specifications is available to consulting engineers. The package covers the steel Modular Aquarius plants in a nofrills, yet complete, steel building with all essential internal equipment and facilities. Layout, mechanical and electrical drawings, and recommended specifications are included in the design package.

SOME TYPICAL INSTALLATIONS

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Tertiary Treatment for Small Communities, Industry, and Parks and Recreational Areas



Automatic Operation

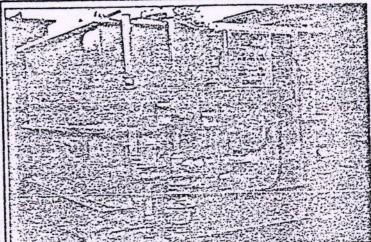
Efficient Performance

Advanced Microfloc Technology

Compact Layout

Easy Installation

Neptune Microfloc's Recla-Mate SWB provides a solid answer for those wastewater treatment plant operators today who face unreliable plant processes and rising state and egional discharge standards. Recla-Mate SWB is a compact tertiary treatment system specifically designed to fill he gap-to supplement new or existing secondary treatment cilities and provide an economic way to gain consistent informance and upgrade effluent quality. The SWB can reat a wide range of domestic and industrial effluents aerated lagoon, activated sludge, tricking filter-to consistent tertiary levels. Chemical coagulation, in combination with mechanical flocculation, tube clarification and Mixed Media filtration, form the basic SWB process. Lime, alum or other coagulants can be used to achieve high levels of phosphate reduction and removal of BOD and suspended solids at reasonable cost. With proper chemical dosage, the SWB can treat secondary effluents with less than 40 mg/l BOD and 100 mg/l suspended solids to final BOD and suspended solids levels of less than 5 mg/l and turbidity to less than 1.0 JTU. In special cases, where high concentrations of soluble organic contaminants must be removed, powdered carbon can be injected ahead of the filter chamber to improve BOD removal

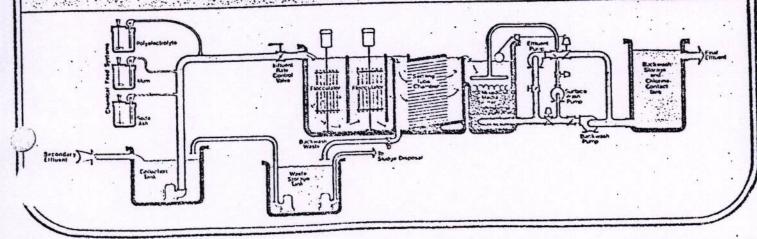


This Recla-Mate SV/B-50 is currently in service in a resort area in Pennsylvania. It is used to polish effluent from an extended aeration secondary plant, and treat an average daily flow of 30,000 gpd to a tertiary level.

Recla-Mate SWB can be operated without chemicals if improved reduction of solids only is required and phosphale removal is not necessary. The efficiency of simple settling and filtration without chemicals, of course, will vary with the degree of biological flocculation in the secondary treatment process. When solids in the secondary effluent are not filterable due to excess carry-over or biological upset, chemical treatment can be initiated to maintain a continuously high effluent quality. The amount of chemical treatment can be adjusted to meet the required effluent standard.

Simplicity of operation, low maintenance requirements, and compact size are features of Recla-Mate SWB, as is the fact that its physical-chemical process allows intermittent operation with no sacrifice in efficiency. All plant functions are automatic except for setting the chemical feed rates.

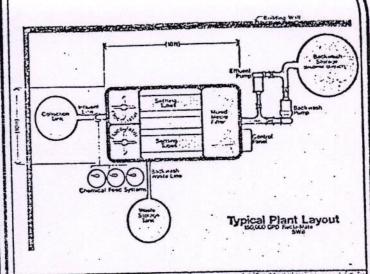
FLOW DIAGRAM



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stallation is easy, with connection of inlet, effluent, drain backwash piping and power hook-up the only require-

s. The SWB process operates as follows: Secondary ent enters the SWB at a constant flow rate, receiving remical treatment before flowing into the two-cell floccutor. The flocculated wastewater is next settled in the tube attlers and filtered through the Mixed Media filter. Filtered ater is then pumped to the backwash storage/chlorine ontact tank from which the final effluent is discharged. he SWB backwashes automatically on headloss across ne filter. The tube settler chamber is drained, automatically emoving settled sludge, and flow through the filter is reersed. Solids from the tube settler and the filter are drained a waste storage tank. The Recla-Mate SWB is available 1 factory-assembled models in capacities ranging from 2,000 to 75,000 gpd and in modular designs from 100,000 o 500,000 gpd. The SWB can be skid-mounted if required.



TYPICAL PLANT LAY

TYPICAL INSTALLATIONS

ILL VALLEY ADAR STATION, CALIFORNIA

TWO SWB-50's

Twin plants treat domestic secondary effluent at this alifornia Air Force Station. SWB effluent is sprayed on djacent land.

AKE MEAD FISH HATCHERY, NEVADA

Modular SWB treats hatchery rearing pond effluent genwhen the ponds are cleaned. System features skid ed pumps, valves and controls.

ANDOVER MALL, MARYLAND

restic wastewater from a suburban Washington, D.C. ng center is treated by extended aeration followed by

RICHFIELD SPRINGS, NEW YORK

TWO SWB-150's

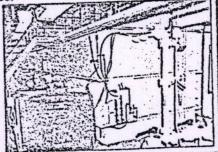
SWB treats the effluent from an aerated lagoon. System consistently meets effluent requirements of 5 mg/I BOD and uspended solids and 5 mg/l phosphate.

JANSEMOND COUNTY, VIRGINIA

TWO SWB-250's

SWB treats 500,000 gpd of secondary effluent from a conact stabilization process





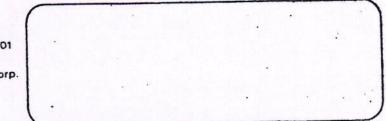
SWB PERFORMANCE

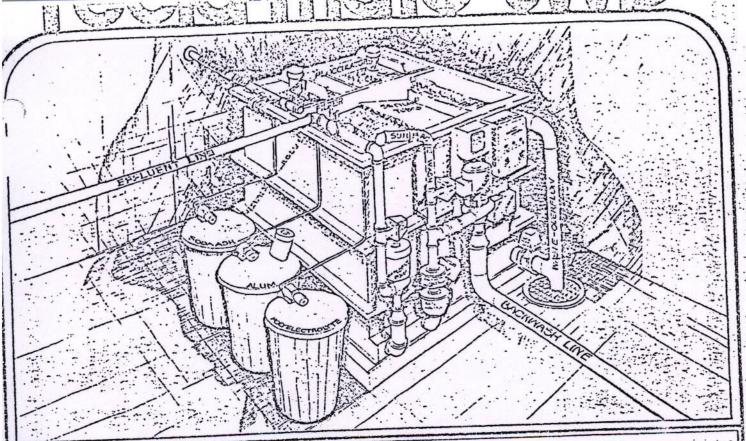
Quality Parameter	Raw Waste- water Influent		Recla-Mata SWB Effluent
COD (Chemical Oxygen Demand) mg/l	200-500	20-60	14-20
BOD (Biological Oxygen Demand) mg/l	250-300	20-40	14
Suspended Solids, mg/I	225	60-80	14
Phosphorus, mg/l as P	10-15	5.7 20-50	0.1-1.0 0.1-1.0
Turbidity, JTU Color, units	High	High	10-30

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IMENSIONS		HEIGHT		6 ft. 9 in	8,500 lbs.	10,500 los.	13,000 lbs.	· 20,000 lbs.
	S	HIPPING		6,200 lbs.	28.500 lbs.	39,000 les.	100,000 lbs.	165,000 lbs.
· WEIGHTS :	0	PERATING	3	15,000 lbs.	600	623	800	. 800
ASE PAD DESIGN	PO	UNDS/FT	.2	600		2750	6000	9000
BACKWASH VOL.	-	GALLONS		900	2100		4	4
OVERHD, CLEAR.		FEET		. 4		2 inches	4 inches	6 inches
OVERIB. OCC.		INLET		· 1½ inches	2 inches	212 inches	3 inches · ·	4 inches
:	E	FFLUEN		11/2 inches	2 inches	4 inches	6 inches	. 8 inches
PIPE	В	ACKWAS	H	2 inches	4 inches	6 inches	6 inches	- 8 inches
CONNECTIONS		WASTE		3 inches	4 inches	- 1	6 inches	8 inches
		VERFLO	·V	-		. 125	- 317	584
		OC. VOL.		46	115	200 GPD -tt.2	200 GPD/ft.2	200 GPD/IL2.
		SETTLER OVE		200 GPD. ft.2	200 GPD/ft.2	12 11.2	31.5 ft.2	50 ft.2
	FILTER MEDIA AREA			4 ft.2	· 6 lf's	1 HP. 60 GPM	3 HP, 125 GPM	5 HP, 220 GPM
1/2 // 27			LUENT	V₂·HP, 20 GPM	₩ HP, 40 GPM	5 HP, 230 GPM	10 HP, 630 GPM	. 15 HP, 850 GPM
	PUM	PS BAC	KWASH	1 HP. 76 GPM	3 HP, 175 GPM	5 HP, 233 GF.	1 HP, 60 GPM	3 HP. 55 GPM
			CE WASH	-			Automatic	Automatic -
		CONTROLS		Automatic	Automatic	Automatic	200 Gallon	400 Gallon '-
	T	-	TANK	50 Gallon ·	50 Gallon	100 Gallon	22 GPH	22 GPH
PROCESS		ALUM	PUMP	. 38.5 GPD	120 GPD	120 GPD (1/4 HP, 115V, 1 Ø	15 HP, 115V, 15
COMPONENTS	FEED		MIXER	15 HP, 115V, 1 Ø	1/2 HP, 115V, 1 Ø	1/4 HP, 115V, 1 Ø	100 Gallon	200 Gallen
	LE -		TANK	30 Gallon	. 50 Gallon -	. 100 Ga':on	- 22 GPH	22 GPH :
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SPECIFICATIONS

this section of the specification, the contraster shall furnish and install MERAL god in capacity similar -built steel tertiary treatment plant,

terqual to the Rich-Mate model SWB- manufactured by Neptune thee, Incurrented, 1965 Airport Boart, Corvallis Oregon, treatment plant shall include chemical treatment, froculation, settling, treatment plant shall include chemical treatment, flocculation, settling, a process through automatic process valves, and controls for automatic in and backwash. The equipment and materials shall be furnished by a sampler, and that supplier's experience must include no less than few locate plants utilizing the consents described herein in operation for 1 year more. Suppliers other than the above-named company wishing to quote on iterials and equipment in this section shall submit suitable evidence of experiterials and equipment in this section shall submit suitable evidence of experiterials and equipment to days prior to bid opening. The contractor shall pay royally or license tees for use of patented devices or systems and shall prot the owner from patent infringement litigation thereon.

ANT AUTOMATION The treatment plant shall be simple to operate and maintain. All functions of a plant shall be automated with the exception of establishing flow rate, mixing emicals, and adjusting chemical feed rates.

ANT CONSTRUCTION

The major components shall be of the size and shape as shown on the plans, mbined in a single tank and labricated of start plates suitably braced and sup-itled. Pipe littings necessary for connection to external pipe work shall be corporated on clant tankage. The arrangement of the major components, ailing devices, and equipment shall provide ready access for maintenance.

Surface preparation and painting shall be performed at the manufacturer's plant Surface preparation and painting shall be performed at the manufacturer's plant strict accordance with the paint manufacturer's instructions. Inside surfaces all be provided with both prime and finish coats. A minimum of four coats of int shall be provided on inside surfaces. The outside surfaces shall include the prime coat, ready for finish painting in the field. The outside surface shall ceive one linish coat of paint, compatible with the prime coat used by the antimanufacturer, which shall be applied in the field by the contractor in activations with the treatment plant manufacturer's instructions.

ECHANICAL FLOCCULATOR

The llocculator shall be a two-chamber unit properly ballled to maximize vol-netric efficiency. The flocculator drive shall provide for variable speed opera-in to premate optimum flocculation under variable treatment conditions. Speed in to premate optimum Rocculation under variable treatment co-lettions, deed left be variable over a 3.1 range, and maximum paddle tip velocities shall not coded 2 feet not second, Mechanical equipment furnished for the floculator impartment for installation by contractor shall include flocculator blades and left, bearings, drive mechanism, and drive motor.

ETTLING CHAMBER The settling system provided shall have an everflow design rate of less than 9 gpd per aquain foot of available settling area. Automatic sludge wasting from e settling system shall also be included.

square feet. A pipe lateral underdrain

all also be provided. r media shall be of the mixed-media separation bed type composed of me materials, each of a different specific gravity and providing a und-distribution from coarse to fine in the direction of flew with particle

Tistribution from coarse to line with the coarse to line in the coarse to line in the coarse to line in the coarse in depth. Sufficient media support gravel designed for the underdrain system shall be provided. The materials will be furnished by the treatment plant manufacturer and shall be shipped in job for installation by the contractor. Both media and gravel shall be installed identified the technical direction of the treatment plant manufacturer's representative.

LANT PROCESS PUMPS
The treatment plant manufacturer shall furnish one elituent pump, one backash pump, and one surface wash pump. The elituent pump shall be rated at

com, ____ hpr the backwash pump shall be rated at

op. Pumps to be installed by contractor for SWB-150 and SWB-250,

after units.

PLANT PROCESS VALVES

fine maintent plant manufacturer shall provide the process control valves shall provide for filter utilizent rate control tarreach waste, and surface wash. esh waste, and surface wash. PLANT CONTHOL

The treatment plant supplier shall furnish a control panel containing all nocessor, timers solenoids, contact switches, and internal wiring completely assumded and mounted in a NEMA 12 enclosure. The control panel shall provide for externatically starting and stopping the plant influent pump and chamical feeders, based on water level in the collection tank, or by manual override. The contractor shall mount the control panel on the Recla-Male unit and provide all

electrics' wiring and connections external to the panel.

The control system shall provide means for automatically initiating backwash

The control system shall provide means for automatically initiating backwash of the filter by a preset litter headloss sensor. Override of the automatic backwash of the litter by pushbution. The system shall provide for automatically draining the settling system contents to the backwash waste storage tank and control of the studge and decent ourself the at-med interval.

For the SWB-150 and SWB-250, the plant manufacturer shall furnish for instillation by the contractor control devices and equipment as follows: one backwash into the switch with indicating gauge; one liquid level switch for effluent purposed to switch with indicating gauge; one liquid level witch for effluent those control valve; one effluent flow indicator for local mounting; and one effluent if two fice with flanges.

CHEMICAL FEED EQUIPMENT CHEMICAL FEED EQUIPMENT

The plant manufacturer shall provide equipment for mixing and feeding of aluminum sulfate, a polyelectrolyte coagulant aid, and soda ash, as shown on the drawings. This chemical feed equipment shall include mix tank, pump, and mirer. The polyelectrolyte system shall include a disperser mounted on the mix

ELECTRICAL REQUIREVENTS

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The piert control canel shall be provided with a 120 volt, 60 hz, single phase power, 50 and circuit.

Pump maters shall be open drip-proof, either 120 volt, 60 hz, single phase or 220 volt, 60 hz, three phase, with 40 degree rise rating. Chemical feed pump motors shall be 120 volt, 60 hz, single phase. Motor starters, as required, shall be provided by the contractor and mounted as shown on the plans.

All electrical connections between components shall be provided and installed with a contractor.

by the contractor.

VALVES AND PIPING

The contractor shall furnish and install all interconnecting plping and wiring and valves not furnished by the plant supplier as shown on the plans. This section to include couplings, check valves, isolation valves, and all other manual to include couplings. nives for one amotic or hydraulic service for plant control.

PREUMATIC REQUIREMENTS (SWB-150, SWB-250 ONLY)

The convector shall provide a dry instrument air compressor system capable of providing 3 scrim at 50 psig. Equipment to include compressor, receiver, and dryer. The system shall be located as shown on the plans. All pneumatic connections their be provided and installed by the contractor.
PLANT STARTUP AND CPERATOR THAINING

The treatment plant manufacturer shall provide for 5 days of plant startup and operator training to include placement direction of the filter media, plant check-out, and operator instruction.

OPERATOR'S MANUAL

There shall be furnished with the plant two manuals which shall provide complete instructions for installation, startup, operation, and maintenance.

DRAWINGS

Two sets of crawings shall be provided by the treatment plant manufacturer showing the ormensions of all interconnecting piping and plant flow scheme for the contractor s use

Case Histories

HCHFIELD SPRINGS, NEW YORK

PLANT SIZE:

0.3 MGD

ENGINEER:

Standard Engineering

Albany, New York

STARTUP:

February, 1973

Two Recla-Mate SWB-250's EQUIPMENT:

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COMMENTS: Richfield Springs is a ski resort area which experiences wide variations in waste stream flow and strength due to seasonal population growth. The processes selected for treatment of this variable stream are a two-stage lagoon treatment using diffused aeration followed by two SWB-150's. The second stage lagoon accomplishes nitrification in the system.

The two SWB's operate at a constant rate of 110 gpm and incorporate coagulation, flocculation, tube settling, and mixed-media filtration. Alum and polyelectrolyle are used as coagulants. The mixed-media filters operate at 5 gpm per square foot. All plant functions are automatic.

Plant operating data are given below: Waste Quality Characteristics

	Lagoon Effluent mg/l	Filter Effluent m: 1	Filter Performance Run Length	4-5 hours
COD BOD SS Total P	54-94 15-29 31-46 1.26-2.34	23 34 4.2 4.5 7.5 14 0.31 0.54 0.04 3.5	Filter Rate Backwash Usage Settled Sludge Dewatered Sludge	4 gpm/It ² 11-17 percent 1-2 percent 13 percent
Turbidity	34-61 31,000 34,000 MPN	201 11,100 MPN		