

July 11, 2023

Via Electronic Filing

Ms. A. Shonta Dunston, Chief Clerk North Carolina Utilities Commission 4325 Mail Service Center Raleigh, North Carolina 27699-4325

Re: Docket No. W-218, Sub 526A

Second Quarter 2023 Notice of Deficiency Reports Provided to the

North Carolina Department of Environmental Quality

Dear Ms. Dunston:

Attached for filing please find Aqua North Carolina, Inc.'s Second Quarter 2023 Notice of Deficiency Reports; these were provided to the North Carolina Department of Environmental Quality and the Public Staff on July 10, 2023.

I hereby certify that I have served a copy of this filing on all parties of record in the docket.

If there are any questions regarding this filing, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

Robyn E. Lambeth Senior Executive Assistant

c: Parties of Record



July 10, 2023

Mr. Shawn F. Guyer, P.E. Engineering Supervisor Public Water Supply Section Raleigh Regional Office, NCDEQ 1628 Mail Service Center Raleigh, NC 27699-1628

> Re Notice of Deficiency – Quarterly Update Iron and Manganese Concentration

Dear Mr. Guyer:

Attached are the remaining secondary water quality Notice of Deficiencies. Aqua respectfully requests that these remaining systems be removed from quarterly reporting.

- Barton Creek Bluffs well #10
- Hawthorne well #1 and #2

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at (919)-653-6982.

Sincerely,

Robert Krueger

Robert Krueger Area Manager Aqua North Carolina, Inc.

cc: Joseph Pearce
Amanda Berger
Shannon Becker
State of North Carolina
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UPDATED QUARTERL Y STATUS REPORT

Table 1 – Well Information, Completed Activities and Planned Activities

Well Name and No.	Completed Activities	Planned Activities
Hawthorne Well #1 & #2	• February 2016 -Started	
	Using SeaQuest	
(P76)	• Jan - Apr 2016 -	• Continued investigation of well #1
	Flushed system	and #2 production and water quality

• February 2017 -

• June 2017 - Installed

Flushed system

cartridge filter

• September 2017 –
Started Distribution and POE total and soluble sampling
• December 2017 Added raw sample data

•Evaluate alternative options (drilling new well, cleaning, etc.) to remediate the supply loss

•Well 1 has been offline (not actively

feeding distribution) since May 1,

2022

Avg. Quarterly Runtime (0)

Comments:

July 2018 - Adjusted Seaquest feed rateQ4- 2018 performed

• March 2018 - Storage tank was cleaned

• Q2-2018 system

flushed

• Q4- 2018 performed jar testing at well #1 and adjusted sequestration feeds

Aqua keep these wells offline as much as possible. When peak demands exceed 14 hours, well #1 is utilized as it is the only source on a 5,000-gallon ground storage tank. Aqua is currently investigating multiple options to address the source water quality issues. Well #1 is currently only producing an average of 7 gpm which does not warrant filter installation. Aqua is evaluating well #2 water quality and the possibility of putting it back in-service. Well 1 has been offline (not actively feeding distribution) since May 1, 2022. Aqua will evaluate alternative options (drilling new well, cleaning, etc.) to remediate the supply loss to the Bayleaf master system. Aqua respectfully asks for this well be removed from quarterly reporting with the understanding that any use of this well will require the quarterly reporting to continue.

UPDATED QUARTERL Y STATUS REPORT

Table 1 – Well Information, Completed Activities and Planned Activities			
Well Name and No.	Completed Activities	Planned Activities	
Barton Creek Bluffs Well	•March 2016 – Started using SeaQuest • February 2017 – Flushed	• Continue to monitor the effectiveness of sequestration	
#10 (67)	 system September 2017 – Took soluble and insoluble well head and distribution samples 		
Approved GPM (15)	• December 2017 – Added raw sample data distribution soluble and insoluble iron		
Avg. Quarterly Runtime (6.5)	• Q2 – 2018 Flushed system		
	• Q4- 2018 performed jar testing at this well and adjusted sequestration feeds.		

Aqua has received zero customer complaints in the last year of quarterly reporting for this well and respectfully requests that this system be removed from quarterly reporting.

Aqua is committed to providing water to its customers that meets their expectations at a reasonable cost. If you have any questions or comments, please contact me at (919) 653-6982.

Sincerely,

Robert Krueger

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