

Memo

To: Chief Administrative Officer

Subject: Water Treatment plant

Date: October 15, 2020

From: Superintendent, Public Works, and Engineering Services

- The Lake Cowichan Water Treatment Plant (WTP) is operating as originally envisioned. The Operating Permit has been issued. We intend to meet all the terms and conditions of the Operating Permit.
- We are in the process of having a cable communication line install from the Water Treatment Plant to the Raw Water Pump Station instead of the existing radio communication system .This will a provide better communication between the WTP and the Raw Water Pumps .
- The Town has purchased some more state of the art testing equipment, to provide us the most accurate water testing results.
- No water quality warnings or advisories are currently in place for the Lake Cowichan water supply. The following link is the Island Health website for up to date advisories or notices pertaining to water systems under its authority.
- https://www.healthspace.ca/Clients/VIHA/VIHA_Website.nsf/Water-List-Boil?OpenView&count=100
- The Water Treatment Plant has been classified as a Facility 3 Water Treatment Plant.

The September 2020 Operations Performance Report on the Water Treatment Plant prepared by our main Water Systems Operator is separately reported on the agenda



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