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# CITY OF Galdwell, Idaho

**IDEQ** 

Attn: Todd Crutcher Engineering Manager 1445 N. Orchard St. Boise, ID 83706

CC: James Craft Date: 03/13/2019

RE: Ammonia

To Whom It May Concern,

It has come to our attention, on March 13<sup>th</sup> 2019 that the City of Caldwell Wastewater Treatment Plant produced an analysis result of 11.9 mg/L for ammonia on March 7<sup>th</sup> 2019. The cause was found to be the shutdown of the 2 aeration basins. These were shutdown in preparation of a tie into the new filter building. Consequently, 3 valves were left in manual for the aeration basins. The loss of air in the operating basin caused an extreme oxygen loss. This discrepancy was quickly corrected and our ammonia was back in range the following day.

This letter is to comply with IPDES permit #ID0021504 requirements of written notification of said exceedance of ammonia. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact us.

3/13/19

Sincerely,

Sal Arreola, City of Caldwell

Prepared by

Roy Henson, Lab Tech, City of Caldwell

Collected By: R. HENSON Submitted By: B. MILLER

Source of Sample:

## Analytical Laboratories, Inc. 1804 N. 33rd Street



#### Laboratory Analysis Report

Sample Number: 1910159

Attn: SALVADOR ARREOLA

CALDWELL WASTEWATER

PO BOX 1179

CALDWELL, ID 83607

Time of 7:46:00

Collection: Date of 3/7/2019

Collection: Date Received: 3/7/2019

Report Date:

Test Requested

Field PH:

Ammonia Direct (as N)

Biochemical Oxygen

Total Suspended Solids

Total Phosphate, Low Level (as P)

Field Temp:

Temp in Lab: MCL

Lab PH:

15

Units Result 11.9 mg/L 8.71 mg/L 13

mg/L 2 mg/L 2

2.6

MDL Method EPA 350.1

FE-C

PWS:

0.005 EPA 365.1 3/10/2019 SMC SM 5210 B 3/12/2019 GM USGS I-37653/11/2019 BDM

Completed Analyst

3/11/2019 SMC

### **PRELIMINARY**

Thank you for choosing Analytical Laboratories for your testing needs.

If you have any questions concerning this report,

please contact:

James Hibbs