

Sustainable Development

The Drinking Water Safety Act Self Assessment or Qualified Person Checklist

Revised: September 18, 2018

Section 1: Owner Information

Owner Water System	
Operator Water Syster	
Owner Mailing Address	
Town/ City	Province Postal Code
Email	Phone/ Cell
Section 2: Water Sy	
Public Water	System (PWS) PWS Code # (i.e. 123.00)
Semi-Public Water	System (SPWS) SPWS Code # (i.e. 1000.00)
Operating License #	Seasonal? Yes No N/
Section 3: Assesso	Information (please fill this out even if Self Assessment)
Name	
Company	
Email	Phone/ Cell
Section 4: Certificat	<u>ion</u>
The information contain	ed in this report is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge.
Signature of Owner of	r Owner's Representative Date

Personal information is collected under the authority of *The Drinking Water Safety Act* and its pursuant regulations, and is used to issue permits and licenses, and for enforcement purposes. Information collected is protected by the privacy provisions of *The Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act*. If you have any questions, contact the Access & Privacy Coordinator, 200 Saulteaux Crescent, Box 85, Winnipeg MB, R3J 3W3.

Section 5: System Supplying Hauled Water

Provide the water system code # of the syst	tem s	supplying the hauled water.	
Public Water System (PWS)		PWS Code # (i.e. 123.00)	
Semi-Public Water System (SPWS)		SPWS Code # (i.e. 1000.00)	
			Attachments
Section 6: Suggestions or Recomme	nda	<u>itions for Improvements</u> (<i>ple</i>	ease don't leave blank)

Section 7: HAUL System - Description

•		•	
Type of Water System Co	nnections:	☐ Hospital/ Health Care Centre	Apartments/ Condos
☐ Year-round Residentia	ıl	Restaurant/ Food Establish.	□ Day Care Facility
☐ Seasonal Cottages		☐ School	☐ Rec./ Community Centre
RV Hook-ups		Personal Care Home	Other:
Open Campsites/ Star	ndpipes	☐ Seniors Manor/ Apartments	
Average # People Served	per Day		
Peak # People Served pe	r Day		
# Building or Service Con	nections (i	nclude standpipes)	
WATER USE: PROVID	DE UNITS!	(volume water/ time) i.e. Liters, cub	c meters, US or Imperial gallons.
Average Day Demand			Don't just write "gallons".
o ,	☐ Meter	ed	── 1 US gallon = 3.785 L
			1 Imp gallon = 4.546 L
Peak/ Max Day Demand			Note: This is not the same
	☐ Meter	ed Estimated	information sent to the Groundwater section
Peak Hourly Flow			for the Manitoba Government
	☐ Meter	ed Estimated	for annual water usage.
Additional comments:			
I			

Section 8: HAUL System - General Information

Is your system currently under a drinking water advisory?	☐ Yes	☐ No	□ N/A
If yes, what type of advisory? (i.e. Boil Water, Water Quality - Arsenic). Type:			
If was when was it is an all Date.	<u> </u>		
If yes, when was it issued? Date:			
If the system is under an advisory, are water users notified and public areas posted with the advisory notice?	☐ Yes	☐ No	□ N/A
Are all water system components adequately protected from vandalism?	☐ Yes	☐ No	□ N/A
Does the system experience frequent $\underline{\text{water}}$ outages due to equipment failures or water supply capacity issues?	☐ Yes	☐ No	□ N/A
Is the water system equipped with flow meters to monitor total water use for the system as a whole?	☐ Yes	☐ No	□ N/A
System able to meet peak water demands with adequate at-tap pressures?	☐ Yes	☐ No	□ N/A
Does the system receive frequent or repeated complaints from water users about water quality?	☐ Yes	☐ No	□ N/A
Was the system designed by a Professional Engineer?	☐ Yes	☐ No	□ N/A
Was the system approved by the Office of Drinking Water?	☐ Yes	☐ No	□ N/A
Owner/ operator aware of the need to obtain approval (i.e. permit) before significant alterations to the system? This includes watermain extensions.	☐ Yes	☐ No	□ N/A
Any changes, upgrades, or expansions to the system since the last assessment	? 🗌 Yes	☐ No	□ N/A
If yes, explain:			
What is the average age (years) of the following components of the system?			
Distribution			
At inspection time, were all water system components in good working order?	☐ Yes	☐ No	□ N/A
If no, explain:			
Additional comments:			

Section 9: HAUL System - Specific only to HAUL Systems

Is the hauled water from a licensed system and approved by the	☐ Yes ☐ No	□ N/A
Drinking Water Officer?		
Does the water carry a disinfectant (chlorine) residual at the time of delivery?	☐ Yes ☐ No	□ N/A
If yes, is the disinfectant (chlorine) residual tested and recorded at the time of delivery?	☐ Yes ☐ No	□ N/A
Is rechlorination required for the hauled water by the Office of Drinking Water?	☐ Yes ☐ No	□ N/A
Name company/ organization delivering water:		
How often are the tank/s re-filled?		
Is the fill connection hose located within a locked building or locked box, or is the connection locked to prevent/ limit access?	☐ Yes ☐ No	□ N/A
When the hauled water tank/s are being filled, is the fill supervised with health and safety procedures to prevent accidents?	☐ Yes ☐ No	□ N/A

Section 10: HAUL System - Treated Water Storage in Aboveground Tank(s)

☐ Section is Not Applicable to this System.	
What is the total volume of the tank/s? Units.	
How many tanks? List # and each volume.	
What is the total volume of the tank/s based on the lowest operating level? Units.	
Are the tanks in series (flow through one to another) or parallel (separate flows)?	
single (1) tank multiple tanks tanks in series tanks in parallel N/A	
What is the tank material?	
☐ epoxy-coated steel ☐ other:	
Is the tank material or interior tank coating certified or approved for use in a potable water system? (i.e. NSF 61 or FDA approved)	□ N/A
What is the purpose of the water storage? to meet peak demands	
Check all that apply. ☐ fire protection ☐ other	
Storage tanks sized to meet peak demands?	☐ N/A
What is the peak hourly flow rate? Units.	
What is the <u>hydraulic retention time</u> at the estimated <u>peak hourly flow rate</u> when the tanks are at their <u>lowest operating level</u> (atmospheric tanks) or at their normal full volume (pressurized tanks)? (Divide the volume from above by the peak hourly flow rate from above. Convert to same units.)	
Retention time: (i.e. 2.50 hours or 150 minutes)	
Are the tanks equipped with level sensors for pump operation?	□ N/A
$\ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ $	
Are the tanks accessible for visual inspection?	□ N/A
Are the tanks equipped with access or inspection hatches? $\ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \$	□ N/A
Are the tanks regularly <u>inspected</u> ?	□ N/A
Last inspected or inspection frequency:	
Are the tanks regularly <u>cleaned</u> and <u>disinfected</u> ?	□ N/A
Last cleaned or cleaning frequency:	

Section 10: HAUL System - Treated Water Storage in Aboveground Tank(s)

☐ Section is Not Applicable to this System.		
Are the inlet and outlet pipes located to minimize the chance of water short-circuiting through the tanks and leading to water stagnation?	Yes No	□ N/A
Is the pump intake line properly sealed and located at least 150 mm (6 inches) above the bottom of the tank?	Yes No	□ N/A
Can individual tanks be isolated for inspection or maintenance?; without interrupting water service or interrupting chlorine contact time.	Yes No	□ N/A
Are pumps connected to multiple tanks to allow for isolation?	☐ Yes ☐ No	□ N/A
Are all openings sealed watertight?	☐ Yes ☐ No	□ N/A
Are all vents, overflows, and drain lines equipped with screens?	Yes No	□ N/A
Are all vents, overflows, and drain lines located to avoid backflow or run-off?	Yes No	□ N/A
If the tanks are located outside the building:		
Are the tanks protected from vandalism (fenced area or locked hatches)?	Yes No	□ N/A
Are the tanks protected from direct sunlight (opaque or covered?)	Yes No	□ N/A
What is the average age (years) of the storage equipment?		
Storage		
What is the general condition of the storage equipment?		
☐ Fair - nearing e	nd of useful life	
☐ Fair - nearing e ☐ Poor - replacem		
☐ Poor - replacem		
		
☐ Poor - replacem		

Section 11: HAUL System - Treated Water Storage Inground Reservoir or Buried Tank(s) ☐ Section is Not Applicable to this System. What type of storage system is used to store treated water before it is distributed? other: inground concrete reservoir buried tank/s What is the total volume of the reservoir/s or tank/s? Units. How many reservoir cells or tanks? List # and each volume. What is the total storage volume based on the lowest operating level? Units. Are the cells or tanks in series (flow through one to another) or parallel (separate flows)? □ N/A single (1) cell multiple cells cells in series cells in parallel What is the reservoir or tank material? fibreglass (FRP) concrete polyethylene (PE) other: Is the reservoir or interior tank coating certified or approved for use in a ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ N/A potable water system? (i.e. NSF 61 or FDA approved) What is the purpose of the water storage? to meet peak demands Check all that apply. ☐ other fire protection Reservoir or tanks sized to meet peak demands? ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ N/A What is the peak hourly flow rate? Units. What is the hydraulic retention time at the estimated peak hourly flow rate when the cells/ tanks are at their lowest operating level? (Divide the volume from above by the peak hourly flow rate from above. Convert to same units.)

ultrasonic sensing system

☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ N/A

☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ N/A

□ N/A

☐ Yes ☐ No

other (contact probes)

Retention time: (i.e. 2.50 hours or 150 minutes)

pressure sensors

pump operation?

floats

Is the reservoir or tanks equipped with level sensors for

Are the cells or tanks accessible for visual inspection?

Are the cells or tanks equipped with access or inspection hatches?

Section 11: HAUL System - Treated Water Storage Inground Reservoir or Buried Tank(s)

☐ Section is Not Applicable to this Sy	stem.			
Are the cells or tanks regularly inspected?		☐ Yes	☐ No	□ N/A
Last inspected or inspection frequency:				
Are the cells or tanks regularly <u>cleaned</u> and	d disinfected?	☐ Yes	☐ No	□ N/A
Last cleaned or cleaning frequency:				
Are the inlet and outlet pipes located to min short-circuiting through the cells or tanks a		☐ Yes	☐ No	□ N/A
Are there at least two isolatable cells or tar	nks with a valved interconnection?	☐ Yes	☐ No	□ N/A
Can individual cells or tanks be isolated for without interrupting water service or interru	•	☐ Yes	☐ No	□ N/A
Is pumping capacity available in at least tw water supply to be maintained when cleani		☐ Yes	☐ No	□ N/A
Are access hatches curbed and sealed wa	tertight?	☐ Yes	☐ No	□ N/A
Are all openings sealed watertight?		Yes	☐ No	□ N/A
Are pipe entries into the reservoir or tanks contamination? (i.e. LinkSeal or cast-in-pla		☐ Yes	☐ No	□ N/A
Do any floor drains or wastewater pipes pa	ss over or through the reservoir?	☐ Yes	☐ No	□ N/A
☐ Yes - floor drain ☐ Yes - wastewate	r 🔲 Yes - other			
If yes, are these pipes encased in concrete	??	☐ Yes	☐ No	□ N/A
Are pipes through walls protected from diffe (i.e. flexible joints/ ball-and-socket joints)	erential settling?	☐ Yes	☐ No	□ N/A
Are all vents, overflows, and drain lines eq	uipped with screens?	Yes	☐ No	□ N/A
Is the reservoir or tank equipped with a scr (i.e. gooseneck or inverted J-pipe)	eened air vent?	☐ Yes	☐ No	□ N/A
Is the reservoir or tank equipped with an act that discharges to the ground?	dequately sized screened overflow	☐ Yes	☐ No	□ N/A
Are all vents, overflows, and drain lines loc	ated to avoid backflow or run-off?	Yes	☐ No	□ N/A
Is the reservoir or tank protected from cont into the building?	amination from run-off or spills	☐ Yes	☐ No	□ N/A
Is the reservoir or tank located at least 15 r components such as sewer lines or holding	•	☐ Yes	☐ No	□ N/A
If the reservoir extends beyond the footprir is the reservoir roof adequately sloped and	O .	☐ Yes	☐ No	□ N/A
Is the reservoir or tank site graded to drain	away?	☐ Yes	☐ No	□ N/A
If the cells or tanks are located outside the	building:			
Are the cells or tanks protected from vanda	alism (fenced area or locked hatches)?	☐ Yes	☐ No	□ N/A

Section 11: HAUL System - Treated Water Storage Inground Reservoir or Buried Tank(s)

☐ Section is Not Applicable to this System.				
What is the average age (years) of the storage equipment?				
Storage				
What is the general condition of the storage equipment?		dition of the storage equipment?	Good	
			☐ Fair - nearing end of useful life	
☐ Poor - replacement required				
Additional commo	ents:			

Section 12: HAUL System - Chlorination (Rechlorination)

☐ Section is Not Applicable to this System.		
What type of chlorine solution is used? Sodium hypochlorite fed directly fr	om container	
☐ Diluted sodium hypochlorite		
☐ Solution from calcium hypochlorite	e powders or tablet	S
☐ Unscented household bleach		
☐ On-site sodium hypochlorite gener	ration ("analyte")	
What is the make-model-brand name of the chlorine or generator used? (i.e. supplier label)		
Does the chlorine solution, or powder/ tablets, or salt carry NSF 60 certification	n? Yes No	□ N/A
Does the on-site sodium hypochlorite generator carry NSF 60 certification?	☐ Yes ☐ No	□ N/A
Does the on-site sodium hypochlorite generator carry NSF 61 certification?	☐ Yes ☐ No	□ N/A
Is an adequate amount of chlorine chemical kept on-hand at all times? (i.e. 30 days minimum)	Yes No	□ N/A
Is the chlorine solution stored away from sunlight?	☐ Yes ☐ No	□ N/A
Is the sodium hypochlorite solution used within 3 months of purchase?	☐ Yes ☐ No	□ N/A
Are chlorine tanks stored over a spill tray?	Yes No	□ N/A
Is the chlorine stored in a separate chemical storage room?	☐ Yes ☐ No	□ N/A
Is the system equipped with duty-standby chlorine pumps with automatic switchover in the case of pump failure?	Yes No	□ N/A
Is there only a single feed chlorine pump?	☐ Yes ☐ No	□ N/A
Is there a spare feed chlorine pump? (i.e. "shelf spare")	☐ Yes ☐ No	□ N/A
Are critical spare parts kept on-hand to maintain the feed pump?	☐ Yes ☐ No	□ N/A
What triggers operation of the chlorine feed? (i.e. reservoir level, etc)		
Is operation of the feed pump controlled by the distribution pump (fixed injection by a flow meter (flow-paced injection rate)?	n rate) or	
☐ N/A ☐ Distribution pump ☐ Flow meter ☐ Other		
Do feed pump settings suggest a properly sized feed pump?	☐ Yes ☐ No	□ N/A
What type of chlorine residual test kit is used?		
□ N/A □ Digital DPD colorimeter □ Colour wheel □ Unapproved unit ((i.e. pool kit)	
Is the system equipped with an online chlorine residual analyzer?	☐ Yes ☐ No	□ N/A
Explain where the analyzer sample draw water goes:		
Normally, what is the free chlorine residual (mg/L) of the outgoing water?		

Section 12: HAUL System - Chlorination (Rechlorination)

☐ Section is No	ot App	licable to this System.		
What is the average	ge age	(years) of the chlorination eq	quipment?	
Chlorination				
What is the gener	al cond	dition of the chlorination equip	oment? Good	
			Fair - nearing end of useful life	
			Poor - replacement required	
Additional comme	ents:			

Section 13: HAUL System - Distribution System (not intended for a building plumbing system)

Are there up-to-date maps of the distribution system indicating locations of: service connections, valves, flush-outs, hydrants, etc	☐ Yes	☐ No	□ N/A
What types of watermain materials exist in the distribution system? Check all that	t apply.		
☐ PVC (polyvinyl chloride) ☐ AC (asbestos cement) ☐ iron - cast			
☐ HDPE (high-density polyethylene) ☐ other ☐ iron - duct	tile		
Are watermains adequately sized? (i.e. 50 mm (2 inch) if no fire protection, 150 mm (6 inch) if fire protection)	☐ Yes	☐ No	□ N/A
Are watermains adequate pressure rating? (i.e. minimum 100 psi or 690 kPa)	☐ Yes	☐ No	□ N/A
Is adequate at-tap pressure of 30-to-60 psi (200-to-400 kPa) maintained in the distribution system at all times?	☐ Yes	☐ No	□ N/A
Does the system have a watermain replacement or renewal strategy?	☐ Yes	☐ No	□ N/A
Are a set of standards available for new construction?; reference to Manitoba Water Services Board (MWSB) or City of Winnipeg standard construction specifications or similar, to ensure proper materials and construction procedures are followed?	☐ Yes	□ No	□ N/A
Have minimum design and construction standards been established for new service connections?	☐ Yes	☐ No	□ N/A
Is all <u>new</u> construction inspected to meet these requirements?	☐ Yes	☐ No	□ N/A
Are all <u>new</u> watermains, service lines, and related equipment CSA or NSF certified for use in potable water systems?	☐ Yes	☐ No	□ N/A
Are all <u>new</u> watermains and water lines disinfected as per AWWA, MWSB, or City of Winnipeg disinfection standards including confirmatory bacterial testing before placed into service?	☐ Yes	□ No	□ N/A
If piped sewer is present, is there at least 3 m (10 feet) horizontal distance separation between watermains and sewer mains, where they run parallel?	☐ Yes	☐ No	□ N/A
If watermains are closer than 3 m (10 feet) from sewer mains are the watermains vertically above the sewer mains?	☐ Yes	□ No	□ N/A
If yes, do the watermains have a vertical distance separation at least 0.45 m (18 inches)?	☐ Yes	☐ No	□ N/A
If watermains cross: sewer mains, raw or other non-potable water lines, oil or gas pipelines, etc is the watermain above at least 0.45 m (18 inches)?	☐ Yes	☐ No	□ N/A
Are watermains protected from damage by being buried with at least 2.4 m (8 feet) cover for year-round systems or 0.45 m (18 inches) for seasonal?	☐ Yes	□ No	□ N/A
Has the distribution system had any issues with frozen service lines?	☐ Yes	☐ No	□ N/A
Are "bleeder" lines or valves used to prevent frozen service lines? (These are used in some northern communities.)	☐ Yes	□ No	□ N/A

Section 13: HAUL System - Distribution System (not intended for a building plumbing system)

Are water service connections metered?	Yes No	N/A
	some conn	ections
Are water losses kept under 15% to reduce water production requirements?	☐ Yes ☐ No	N/A
	☐ dc	n't know
What is the estimated % of water loss for this water system? %	do	n't know
Are dead ends supplied with hydrants or flush-outs?	Yes No	N/A
Are valves and hydrants regularly inspected and exercised?	☐ Yes ☐ No	N/A
Are there adequate number of valves, hydrants, and flush-outs to isolate and flush the system? Drain the system if seasonal.	Yes No	N/A
Are watermains and distribution lines flushed at least annually?	☐ Yes ☐ No	N/A
Flushing frequency:		
Are there any known lead service lines present in the system?	Yes No	N/A
	don't know	,
If found, has a strategy been developed to remove lead service lines?	☐ Yes ☐ No	N/A
Is there a cross connection and backflow prevention program?	Yes No	N/A
Are connections where there is potential for backflow of hazardous materials protected by backflow prevention assembly or air gap? (i.e. potential locations include agricultural operations, wastewater treatment plants, etc.)	Yes No	N/A
Are connections from heat exchangers prohibited from being connected to the water supply? (i.e. prohibited from returning water to the potable water line)	Yes No	N/A
Is there equipment within the distribution system with a high water table or potential to be flooded?	Yes No	N/A
Includes: manholes with potable water equipment, underground meter/ valve pits		
Are all manholes with potable water equipment or underground meter/ valve pits or similar installations, watertight and free from non-potable water intrusion?	Yes No	N/A
Are air relief valves within the distribution system located aboveground?	☐ Yes ☐ No	N/A

Section 13: HAUL System - Distribution System (not intended for a building plumbing system)

	•			· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	•
Are there periodic changes in treated water quality in the distribution system?			☐ Yes ☐ No	□ N/A	
Do the distribution system <u>bacterial</u> records suggest it is well operated and well maintained? Do the distribution system <u>chlorine residual</u> records suggest it is well operated and well maintained?				☐ Yes ☐ No	□ N/A
				☐ Yes ☐ No	□ N/A
Do the records suggest any specific water quality issues?			☐ Yes ☐ No	□ N/A	
If yes, please explain:					
What is the average	ge age	(years) of the distribution system?			
Distribution					
What is the gener	al con	dition of the distribution system?	☐ Good		
			☐ Fair - nearing €	end of useful life	
			Poor - replacer	nent required	
Additional comme	ents:				

Section 14: HAUL System - Operation and Maintenance (O&M)

Is the water system checked on a daily basis when it is operating?	☐ Yes	☐ No	□ N/A
Has the water distribution system been classified under the operator certification program?	☐ Yes	☐ No	□ N/A
water distribution system: small system 1 2 3 4			
Have any operators been classified under the operator certification program?	Yes	☐ No	□ N/A
Is there a back-up operator for the water system?	Yes	☐ No	☐ N/A
How many hours per day does the operator spend on the water system?			
Is there an up-to-date emergency contact list?	Yes	☐ No	□ N/A
Is there a list of critical water users (i.e. hospitals, personal care homes, schools) to be contacted during an emergency?	☐ Yes	☐ No	□ N/A
Is there a procedure for emergency notification of water users if there is a supply interruption or water quality issue or an advisory?	☐ Yes	☐ No	□ N/A
Is there a plan for obtaining water on an emergency basis?	☐ Yes	☐ No	□ N/A
If the system is operated on a seasonal basis, are Office of Drinking Water procedures followed for start-up and shut-down of the water system?	☐ Yes	☐ No	□ N/A
Have written procedures been developed for key activities such as: watermain repairs, flushing, etc?	Yes	☐ No	□ N/A
Is there an up-to-date water system drawing available?	☐ Yes	☐ No	□ N/A
Is there a maintenance log for recording preventive maintenance, repairs, etc?	☐ Yes	☐ No	□ N/A
Are water system records kept for a minimum of 2 years?	☐ Yes	☐ No	□ N/A
Are instruments regularly calibrated, in particular, water testing equipment to ensure reliable test results?	☐ Yes	☐ No	□ N/A
Are extra bacterial sample bottles kept on-hand for emergency purposes?	☐ Yes	☐ No	□ N/A
Is the system in compliance with the sampling parameters and frequency listed in the Operating Licence?	Yes	☐ No	□ N/A
Additional comments:			