



February 4, 2016

The Corporation of the Municipality of Huron East  
72 Main St. S  
P.O. Box 610  
Seaforth, ON  
N0K 1W0

**Attention: Brad Knight, Administrator, Clerk-Treasurer**

**RE: Seaforth Well Supply System  
2015 Annual Report**

Dear Brad,

Please find attached the 2015 Annual Operations Report for the Seaforth Water System, in accordance with Section 11(1) of O. Reg. 170/03. This report covers the period from January 1 to December 31 and meets the requirement of being prepared by February 28 of this year.

Please ensure that a copy of this report is given, without charge, to every person who requests a copy. In addition, please make certain that effective steps are taken to advise residents that copies of the report are available, and of how a copy can be obtained.

As per Schedule 22 of O. Reg. 170/03, please ensure that at least a copy of the Summary Report is given to the members of municipal council no later than March 31, 2016.

Finally, please ensure that a letter is sent to OMI Canada Inc verifying that this report has been received and accepted by Council.

If you have any questions regarding the report, we would be pleased to address them and you should contact the undersigned accordingly.

Sincerely,

OMI Canada Inc.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Joe Arnold".

Joe Arnold  
Project Manager  
Huron East  
Project  
519 490 5586

cc. B. Mills, Municipality of Huron East;

## 2015 ANNUAL REPORT FOR WATER SYSTEMS

### Part 1 – ANNUAL REPORT (as required by O. Reg. 170/03, Section 11)

<b>Drinking-Water System Number:</b>	220001511
<b>Drinking-Water System Name:</b>	Seaforth Well Supply System
<b>Drinking-Water System Owner:</b>	The Corporation of the Municipality of Huron East
<b>Drinking-Water System Category:</b>	Large Municipal Residential
<b>Period being reported:</b>	January 1-December 31, 2015

Complete if your Category is Large Municipal Residential or Small Municipal Residential	Complete for all other Categories
Does your Drinking-Water System serve more than 10,000 people? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	Number of Designated Facilities served:
Is your annual report available to the public at no charge on a web site on the Internet? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Did you provide a copy of your annual report to all Designated Facilities you serve? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Location where Summary Report required under O. Reg. 170/03 Schedule 22 will be available for inspection. <b>Town Office</b> <b>72 Main St. S.</b> <b>Seaforth, ON</b>	Number of Designated Facilities served: Did you provide a copy of your annual report to all Interested Authorities you report to for each Designated Facility? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

#### List all Drinking-Water Systems (if any), which receive all of their drinking water from your system:

Drinking Water System Name	Drinking Water System Number

#### Did you provide a copy of your annual report to all Drinking-Water System owners that are connected to you and to whom you provide all of its drinking water?

n/a

#### Indicate how you notified system users that your annual report is available, and is free of charge.

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Public access/notice via the web	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Public access/notice via Government Office	<input type="checkbox"/> Public access/notice via a newspaper
<input type="checkbox"/> Public access/notice via Public Request	<input type="checkbox"/> Public access/notice via a Public Library	<input type="checkbox"/> Public access/notice via a Public Library

#### Describe your Drinking Water System

As of mid-April 2009, the town of Seaforth draws its water supply from three groundwater wells. All wells are located at 40 Welsh St. The Welsh Street facility consists of an above ground pump house with three groundwater wells each located north of the pump house. TW1 (Test Well #1; but is to be considered to be a production well) is a 150mm diameter, 85m deep groundwater well located at 48m north of the new pump house. It is equipped with a submersible turbine pump rated

at 6.4L/s. PW1 (Production Well #1) is a 300mm diameter, 105m deep drilled groundwater well located 43m north of the pump house. It is equipped with a variable speed submersible turbine pump rated at 35/Ls. PW2 has the same dimensions as PW1 and is located 18m north of the pump house. It contains a variable speed submersible turbine pump rated at 40/Ls. Three vertical turbine high lift pumps (one rated at 26L/s and two rated at 44L/s at 48m TDH) convey the water to the distribution system.

Treatment for the Welsh St. well consists of a chlorination system that includes two sodium hypochlorite metering pumps (one main and one backup) and one 200 L day tank for sodium hypochlorite. Sodium Silicate is also added to the system (three pumps available, 1 dedicated to each well) as well as a 200L day tank. A continuous online chlorine analyzer equipped with alarms monitor the chlorine residual in treated water just prior to the point of entry into the distribution system.

Water in excess of demand in the distribution system is pumped to the elevated storage tank. When a predetermined level in the tower is reached, the distribution pump(s) shut down.

The 1930 m<sup>3</sup> elevated storage tank was constructed in 1998 and is located at 85 Daly Street. The elevated tank water level cycles based on demand and provides emergency storage, fire protection and peak demand storage for the Seaforth water supply system.

The distribution system supplies water to the entire Town of Seaforth and the Village of Egmondville. The system is composed of cast iron, ductile iron and PVC pipe with 110 hydrants. One automatic blow-off and seven manual blow-offs are connected throughout the distribution system. The elevated storage tank and the underground reservoir are used as a supplementary supply for emergencies.

The Municipality of Huron East operates and maintains the distribution system with the exception of flushing, which is contracted to Operations Management International Canada Inc.

**List all water treatment chemicals used over this reporting period**

12% Sodium hypochlorite solution  
Sodium silicate

**Please provide a brief description and a breakdown of monetary expenses incurred**

Provide details on the notices submitted in accordance with subsection 18(1) of the Safe Drinking-Water Act or section 16-4 of Schedule 16 of O.Reg.170/03 and reported to Spills Action Centre					
Incident Date	Parameter	Result	Units	Corrective Action	Corrective Action Date
NONE					N/A
NONE					N/A

Microbiological testing done under the Schedule 10, 11 or 12 of Regulation 170/03, during this reporting period					
	Number of Samples	Range of E.Coli Results (min #) - (max #)	Range of Total Coliform Results (min #) - (max #)	Number of HPC Samples	Range of HPC Results (min #) - (max #)
Raw (TW1)	52	0	0	N/A	-
Raw (PW1)	52	0	0	N/A	-
Raw (PW2)	52	0	0	N/A	-
Treated (40 Welsh)	52	0	0	52	<10-2000
Distribution	208	0	0	104	<10-60

Operational testing done under Schedule 7, 8 or 9 of Regulation 170/03 during the period covered by this Annual Report			
	Number of Grab Samples	Range of Results (min #) – (max #)	Units
Turbidity (TW1)	50	0.15-0.93	NTU
Turbidity (PW1)	50	0.16-0.83	NTU
Turbidity (PW2)	50	0.14-0.53	NTU
Chlorine (Tower)	8760	0.32-2.70	mg/L
Chlorine (40 Welsh)	8760	0.79-3.23	mg/L
Fluoride (If the DWS provides fluoridation)	n/a		

Summary of additional testing and sampling carried out in accordance with the requirement of an approval, order or other legal instrument				
Date of legal instrument issued	Parameter	Date Sampled	Result	Unit of Measure

**Summary of Inorganic parameters tested during this reporting period or the most recent sample results**

Parameter	Sample Date	Result Value	Unit of Measure	Exceedance
Antimony	April 13/15	0.28	ug/L	No
Arsenic	April 13/15	0.4	ug/L	No
Barium	April 13/15	25.2	ug/L	No
Boron	April 13/15	123	ug/L	No
Cadmium	April 13/15	0.025	ug/L	No
Chromium	April 13/15	0.19	ug/L	No
Lead-sampling conducted by the Municipality of Huron East; see summary below				
Mercury	April 13/15	0.02	ug/L	No
Selenium	April 13/15	<MDL	ug/L	No
Sodium	April 77/14	57.8	mg/L	Yes
Uranium	April 13/15	7.24	ug/L	No
Fluoride	April 7/14	1.69	mg/L	Yes
Nitrite	Jan 5/15	<0.003	mg/L	No
Nitrate	Jan 5/15	0.011	mg/L	No
Nitrite	April 13/15	<0.003	mg/L	No
Nitrate	April 13/15	0.012	mg/L	No
Nitrite	July 6/15	0.006	mg/L	No
Nitrate	July 6/15	0.013	mg/L	No
Nitrite	Oct 5/15	<0.003	mg/L	No
Nitrate	Oct 5/15	0.014	mg/L	No

**Summary of Lead Results\* Sampled by Municipal Staff**

Sampling Period	Range of Results (µg/L)	Non-residential	Distribution	Adverse Incidents?
Dec-15-14-Apr-15-15	0.06-0.11	N/A	2	No
Jun-15-15-Oct-15-15	0.09-0.41	N/A	2	No

**Summary of Organic parameters tested during this reporting period or the most recent sample results**

Parameter	Sample Date	Result Value	Unit of Measure	Exceedance
Alachlor	April 13/15	<MDL	ug/L	No
Aldicarb	April 13/15	<MDL	ug/L	No
Aldrin + Dieldrin	April 13/15	<MDL	ug/L	No
Atrazine + N-dealkylated metabolites	April 13/15	<MDL	ug/L	No
Azinphos-methyl	April 13/15	<MDL	ug/L	No
Bendiocarb	April 13/15	<MDL	ug/L	No
Benzene	April 13/15	<MDL	ug/L	No
Benzo(a)pyrene	April 13/15	<MDL	ug/L	No
Bromoxynil	April 13/15	<MDL	ug/L	No
Carbaryl	April 13/15	<MDL	ug/L	No
Carbofuran	April 13/15	<MDL	ug/L	No
Carbon Tetrachloride	April 13/15	<MDL	ug/L	No
Chlordane (Total)	April 13/15	<MDL	ug/L	No
Iopryrifos	April 13/15	<MDL	ug/L	No
Cyanazine	April 13/15	<MDL	ug/L	No

**Summary of Organic parameters tested during this reporting period or the most recent sample results**

Diazinon	April 13/15	<MDL	ug/L	No
Dicamba	April 13/15	<MDL	ug/L	No
1,2-Dichlorobenzene	April 13/15	<MDL	ug/L	No
1,4-Dichlorobenzene	April 13/15	<MDL	ug/L	No
Dichlorodiphenyltrichloroethane (DDT) + metabolites	April 13/15	<MDL	ug/L	No
1,2-Dichloroethane	April 13/15	<MDL	ug/L	No
1,1-Dichloroethylene (vinylidene chloride)	April 13/15	<MDL	ug/L	No
Dichloromethane	April 13/15	<MDL	ug/L	No
2-4 Dichlorophenol	April 13/15	<MDL	ug/L	No
2,4-Dichlorophenoxy acetic acid (2,4-D)	April 13/15	<MDL	ug/L	No
Diclofop-methyl	April 13/15	<MDL	ug/L	No
Dimethoate	April 13/15	<MDL	ug/L	No
Dinoseb	April 13/15	<MDL	ug/L	No
Diquat	April 13/15	<MDL	ug/L	No
Diuron	April 13/15	<MDL	ug/L	No
Glyphosate	April 13/15	<MDL	ug/L	No
Heptachlor + Heptachlor Epoxide	April 13/15	<MDL	ug/L	No
Lindane (Total)	April 13/15	<MDL	ug/L	No
Malathion	April 13/15	<MDL	ug/L	No
Methoxychlor	April 13/15	<MDL	ug/L	No
Metolachlor	April 13/15	<MDL	ug/L	No
Metribuzin	April 13/15	<MDL	ug/L	No
Monochlorobenzene	April 13/15	<MDL	ug/L	No
Paraquat	April 13/15	<MDL	ug/L	No
Parathion	April 13/15	<MDL	ug/L	No
Pentachlorophenol	April 13/15	<MDL	ug/L	No
Phorate	April 13/15	<MDL	ug/L	No
Picloram	April 13/15	<MDL	ug/L	No
Polychlorinated Biphenyls(PCB)	April 13/15	<MDL	ug/L	No
Prometryne	April 13/15	<MDL	ug/L	No
Simazine	April 13/15	<MDL	ug/L	No
THM (NOTE: show latest annual average)	Q1-Q4 2015	22.5	µg/L	No
Temephos	April 13/15	<MDL	ug/L	No
Terbufos	April 13/15	<MDL	ug/L	No
Tetrachloroethylene	April 13/15	<MDL	ug/L	No
2,3,4,6-Tetrachlorophenol	April 13/15	<MDL	ug/L	No
Triallate	April 13/15	<MDL	ug/L	No
Trichloroethylene	April 13/15	<MDL	ug/L	No
2,4,6-Trichlorophenol	April 13/15	<MDL	ug/L	No
2,4,5-Trichlorophenoxy acetic acid (2,4,5-T)	April 13/15	<MDL	ug/L	No

List any Inorganic or Organic parameter(s) that exceeded half the standard prescribed in Schedule 2 of Ontario Drinking Water Quality Standards.

Parameter	Sample Date	Result Value	Unit of Measure	ODWS Criteria
Fluoride	April 7/14	1.69	mg/L	1.5
Sodium	April 7/14	57.8	mg/L	20

## Part 2 – SUMMARY REPORT (as required by O. Reg 170/03, Schedule 22)

### Non – Compliance with Legislations, Regulations, Approvals & Orders

During this period, the Facility was operated in full compliance with the Act, the regulations and the Facility's approval, save and except for the following:

Requirement	Duration of Failure	Measures to Correct the Failure
None		

### System Capability Assessment

Comparison of Flow Rates (m<sup>3</sup>/d):

Month	Avg. Flow TW1	Max. Flow TW1	Avg. Flow PW1	Max. Flow PW1	Avg. Flow PW2	Max. Flow PW2	Max Daily Total (PW1+PW2+TW1)
January	49	134	356	616	423	834	1584
February	54	157	346	700	469	910	1767
March	63	104	334	446	586	822	1372
April	60	90	329	424	535	724	1238
May	77	166	449	812	694	1253	2231
June	39	131	519	953	562	1216	2300
July	39	141	501	780	664	1601	2522
August	34	85	496	988	550	1058	2131
September	33	71	500	942	540	980	1993
October	32	75	466	781	461	806	1662
November	33	66	455	781	445	790	1637
December	35	92	418	703	446	893	1688
<b>AVERAGE</b>	<b>45.6</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>431</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>531</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1844</b>
<b>MAXIMUM</b>	<b>77</b>	<b>166</b>	<b>519</b>	<b>988</b>	<b>694</b>	<b>1601</b>	<b>2522</b>
Total Rated CAPACITY	3456	3456	3456	3456	3456	3456	3456
%CAPACITY	2.2	4.8	15.0	28.6	15.4	46.3	73.0