Good afternoon Brianne Begely,

I, Allen Moultrie would like to report the exceedance of Aluminum for backwash sample submitted on November 23, 2021. Sample was taken on October 28, 2021 at 9:54 am of which I received the results of the sample on November 22, 2021. Our backwash analysis results stated that we had an aluminum result of 1.37 mg/L. At the current moment, we are not positive of the reasoning behind the elevated test results, but are currently investigating the issue at the current moment.

I will add that Pace Analytics did have some issues regarding turnover for lead and aluminum analysis and we received our results later then what was expected. At this time I do not believe that the long hold time had anything to do with the elevated results. To prevent further occurrences in the future I plan to sample earlier in the month so results can be received in a timely manner. We are also trying to find other methods of testing the backwash water before release.

If there are any further questions or concerns please feel free to contact me at: (423)-612-4145

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