Bacteria Sampling Report

Waterbody:
Miramichi

Lake Miramichi

Date Sampled:
7/1/2024

Location	*E. coli*	Total Coliforms	Interpretation
#1	<4.0		Water meets bacteriological standards for safe swimming.
#2	16		Water meets bacteriological standards for safe swimming.
#3	<4.0		Water meets bacteriological standards for safe swimming.

Bacterial counts are expressed as the number of Colony Forming Units per 100 milliliters (CFU/100mL).

For full body contact recreation (including swimming) counts of E. coli should not exceed 130 (CFU/100mL)as a monthly geometric mean of at least five samples per the State of Michigan standard, or single samples should not exceed 298 (CFU/100mL) [235 CFU/100mL in a designated bathing beach area] per Federal (EPA) guidelines.

Current recreational water quality standards do not rely on Total Coliform counts.

Approved by _____ Date _____
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