Snapshot Day 10/7/008 Data (Salt Front RM 63.4) RIVER MILE 2.5

Christopher Street Pier (#45)

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Location: Christopher Street Pier on the North side **Area:** Pier – bulkhead – mainly metal and wooden pier

Surrounding Land Use: Buildings, roads, cement, docks and parking lots nearby, very

little tree or grass cover

Sampling Site: Recreational pier

Plants in area: Some trees & grass in the area

Water: Water not smooth, very choppy with lots of waves – up close the water looks

green, but form far away it looks blue.

ITEM	Time	Reading 1		Reading 2	Comments	
Physical						
Air Temperature	10:34 AM	12°C	1			
Wind Speed	Very windy			LOTS OF	Water is very	
_				WAVES	choppy	
Cloud Cover	clear					
Weather today	"freezing cold"/cool; It is cold!					
Weather recently	Cooler than normal					
Water	10:34 AM		16 °C	Hand outside water feels		
Temperature	Wate		Water	freezing – air colder than		
			feels cool	water!		
Turbidity	12:10 PM		88cm		Site tube	
Chemical						
DO	10:05 AM		8 mg/L	16 ° C	73% saturated	
рН	9:53 AM		6.5		Neutral	
	10:34 AM		6.5			
Salinity	10:05 AM		1.01		14.8 ppt	
(hydrometer)						
	10:34 AM		1.01		14.4 ppt	
Fish Catch						
Tides						
Currents	There are many tides*			*expect this is a misconception that tides = waves		
Boats	Barges					
	Sail Boat/Qu	een				
	Caroline					
Other	Lots of seagulls If you are closer to the water it looks					
Observations			green, fron	green, from far away it looks blue.		