Day in the Life of the Hudson River 10/10/13 Data (Salt Front RM 69.3) **RIVER MILE 4** Pier 84

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Location: Pier 84, is an educational pier used for picnics, boating, jogging, fishing Area: Pier – bulkhead – mainly concrete & wood Surrounding Land Use: 100% urban/residential

Sampling Site: Recreational pier – rocks near the edge, banks altered – all hard edged **Depth:** ~12 feet off pier

Plants in area: No plants

| ITEM | Time | Readings | | | | |
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| Physical | | | | | | |
| Air Temperature | 12:15 PM | 16°C | | | | |
| _ | 12:46 PM | 16°C | | | | |
| | 1:03 PM | 15°C | | | | |
| Wind Speed | | | | | | |
| Cloud Cover | 12:15 PM | 100% | | | | |
| | 12:46 PM | 100% | | | | |
| | 1:03 PM | 100% | | | | |
| | 1:33 PM | 100% | | | | |
| Weather today | Foggy, damp | | Water surface | choppy | | |
| Weather recently | Nice | | | | | |
| Water | 11:10 AM 2 | 21°C | | | | |
| Temperature | 12:02 PM 2 | 20.6°C | | | | |

| Turbidity | 12:25 PM | 50,53,45 cm | | 49 cm avg | |
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| Turbidity tube | 12:50 PM | 55,48,3 | | 47 cm | |
| | 1:10 PM | 36,25,34 cm | | 32 cm | |
| | 1:40 PM | 51, 40, 38 | | 43cm | |
| Chlorophyll | | , , | | | |
| Chemical | Time | ppm | Avg | Temp | % Sat |
| DO | 12:20 PM | 3,3,4 | 3.3 | 15° C | 29% |
| Estuary wide | 12:50 PM | 4,7,4 | 5 | 15°C | 50% |
| monitoring Kit – | 1:10 PM | 8,8,6 | 7.6 | 15°C | 74% |
| | 1:40 PM | 8,8,8 | 8 | 15°C | 79% |
| рН | 12:20 PM | 7, 7, 7 | | 7 average | |
| kit as above | 12:50 PM | 7,7,7 | | 7 | |
| | 1:10 PM | 7,77 | | 7 | |
| | 1:40 PM | 7,7,7 | | 7 | |
| Salinity - | 1:10 PM | 20 ppt | | | |
| refractometer | | | | | |
| Salinity - | 12:20 PM | 16, 14, 17 | | Average | 15.6 ppt |
| hydrometer | 12:50 PM | 16, 17, 16 | | Average | 16.3 ppt |
| | 1:10 PM | 16,16,17 17, 18, 18 | | Average | 16 ppt |
| | 1:40 PM | | | Average | 17.6 ppt |
| Fish Catch | Time | Species | | Size | All caught |
| | | | | | on line |
| Hook, line, sinker | 12:24 PM | White Perch | | 7 inches | |
| w/ clam bait | 12:40 PM | White I | Perch | 6 inches | |
| | 12:45 PM | Striped Bass | | 8 inches | |
| Tides (from pier | Time | Distance to | | Rate of | Flood or |
| to water) | | water | | change | Ebb |
| | 12:15 PM | 160 cm | | Start point | |
| | 12:46 PM | 162 cm | | 2 cm | Flooding |
| | 1:03 PM | 171 cm | | 9 cm | Ebbing |
| | 1:35 PM | 173 cm | | 2 cm | Ebbing |
| Currents | Time | Meter/sec | | Cm/sec | Ebb/Flood |
| | 12:15 PM | | | | Flooding |
| | 12:46 PM | | | | Still |
| | 1:03 PM | | | | Ebbing |
| | 1:35 PM | | | | Ebbing |