## Day in the Life of the Hudson River 10/12/17 Data (Saltfront ~ RM 65) RIVER MILE -5

Bayridge American Veterans' Memorial Pier 40. 6397°N, W-74 .0387°W

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View from the pier. Owl Sewage treatment plant visible in the foreground.

**Location:** Pier American Veterans' Memorial Pier, by highway, Park, 2 water treatment plants

**Area:** Pier – bulkhead – mainly concrete & wood. Two parks – Owl's head and Shore Road Park. Water treatment plant <0.5 miles to the NE, ferry dock present, highway present, park nearby

**Surrounding Land Use:** 85% urban/residential, 5% Industrial Commercial, 5% park, 5% highway

**Sampling Site:** Saltwater bay, cannot see the bottom. Recreational pier with bulkhead-rocks near the edge, banks altered /riprap, all hard edged, steep wall dividing water from land, pipe entering water from treatment plant

Shoreline: Rocky at shoreline

**Depth:** ~ 9-10 ft.

**Plants in area:** No plants in water but 25 % of rocks on shoreline are covered,

**Bottom:** could not see to tell

**Note**: One person caught a 24 inch shark but released it back into the water (Ex[ect dogfish)

ITEM	Time	Readings		
Physical				
Air Temperature	11:26 AM	18°C		
	11:43 AM	18 °C		
	12:10 PM	18.5		
Wind Speed	11:43 AM	Beaufort 3	10 kts	SW

Cloud Cover	11:43 AM	Mostly	51-75%			
	1	cloudy				
Weather today	No rain		Water	Choppy due		
	during this		surface	to wind		
	session					
Weather recently	Unusually warm temperatures, rained steadily on Mon &					
	Wed night before sampling day					
Water	11:29 AM	21°C				
Temperatures &	11:59 AM	21°C				
averages	12:18 PM	21°C				
Turbidity	11:25AM	100 cm		Avg. 95.25		
	11:45 AM	87 cm		cm		
	12:01 PM	100 cm				
	12:21 PM	94 cm				
Chemical	Time	ppm	Temp	% Sat		
DO	11:40 AM	6.8	21°C	75%		
Drop count kit	11.40 / 1111	0.0	21 C	7370		
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"II	3:40 PM	7				
pH	3:40 PM	/				
color match kit	11.20.43.6	20.5				
Salinity -	11:29 AM	29.5 ppt				
hydrometer						
Nitrates	3:40 P M	<5 ppm				
Fish Catch	Time	Species	# caught	Size		
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*Tides - water	Time	*Distance to	*Rate of	*Flood or		
depth		water	change	Ebb		
Measuring down	11:40 AM	200 cm	N/A			
from pier using a	11:57 AM	250 cm -fall	-50 cm			
secchi disk	12:15 PM	150 cm - rise	+100 cm			
Currents	Cm/30 sec	Cm/sec	Kts	Ebb/Flood		
Time				N/S		
11:26 AM	919.5	30.65	0.596 kts	flood		
11:45 AM	944.8	31.5	0.613 kts	flood		
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12:00 PM	685.8	22.86	0.445 kts	flood		
12:18 PM	1005.8	33.5	0.652	flood		
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Shipping Traffic-	11:30 AM	Ferry	White	North &		
Commercial				southbound		
	11:40 AM	Ferry	White	North &		
				southbound		
	12:15 PM	Ferry	White	North &		
		1		southbound		