## Day in the Life of the Hudson River 10/16/18 STEEPLECHASE PIER, CONEY ISLAND, BROOKLYN NY **RIVER MILE -9.1**

Salt Front ~RM 24

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Location: Steeplechase Pier, Coney Island, Brooklyn, NY

Area: 15% Urban/Residential, 70% Beach, 15% Industrial/Commercial

Surrounding Land Use: 15% Urban/residential; 15% Industrial/Commercial; 70% Beach

**Sampling Site:** Beach areas with pier and riprap shoreline.

Plants in area: no plants in water area

Water: calm

ITEM	Time	Reading		Comments
Physical				
Air Temperature:	11:10 AM	16.3 ° C	61.34 ° F	
_	12:03 PM	14.0 ° C	57.2 ° F	
Wind Speed:	11:12 AM	Beaufort 3	6.8 knots	Northwest
	12:05 PM	Beaufort 2	3.4 knots	
Weather Today:	No rain, partly cloudy (26-50%)			
Weather Previous:	10/13-10/14 cool and cloudy; 10/15 rain			
Water Temperature	11:23 AM	16.9 ° C	62.42 ° F	
	12:00 PM	17.3 ° C	63.14 ° F	
	12:37 PM	17.5 ° C	63.5 ° F	
Turbidity -	11:42 AM	122 cm		
Long sight tube	12:00 PM	122 cm		
	12:47 PM	107 cm		
Chemical				
Salinity- hydrometer	11:10 AM	25 ppt		
	11:30 AM	24.5 ppt		
	12:34 PM	22 ppt		
DO – meter	Time	Тетр	ppm DO	% saturation
	11:32 AM	16.9 ° C	9.9	102%
	12:00 PM	17.8 ° C	9.4	99%
pH - meter	11:20 AM	7.38		
	11:26 AM	7.0		
	12:05 PM	7.64		

	12:34 PM	7.27		
Fish –	Number	Name	Length of longest	
	N/R TOTAL:	Diversity:		
Macroinvertebrates-	Number	Name	Length of longest	
Y	1 1	Spider Crab Mole Crab		
	TOTAL: 3	Oyster Drill  Diversity: 3		
Tides-	Time	Rising, Falling, Still	Height (cm)	Rate of Tidal Change (cm/min)
	11:02 AM	-	525 cm	-
	11:23 AM	Rising	510 cm	0.7
	12:00 PM	Rising	495 cm	0.4