

Action Plan to Reduce Odors



Develop and determine the desired objective

- Use GIS, map the wastewater collection system
- Collect data
- Consider treatment options
- Perform lab bench testing
- Perform pilot testing
- Analyze data

GAS MIXTURE
GAS COMPOSITION
 COMPONENTS CONCENTRATION (MOLE%)

20 PPM
 BALANCE
 MFG DATE: 04/20/11
 EXP DATE: 04/21/11

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 1 800 PRAXAIR

GAS
 Gas Composition

Components Concentration

Hydrogen Sulphide 1.00%
 Nitrogen 99.00%

2-11-13

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COMPRESSED GAS, N.O.S.
 UN1956
 HYDROGEN SULFIDE
 NITROGEN
 Refillable Cylinder

2-28-11

Analysis Date: 02/28/11
 Lot Number: 4100348

Component Request
 HYDROGEN SULFIDE
 NITROGEN BALANCE

GAS
 Gas Composition

Components Concentration

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 Nitrogen 99.00%

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Blaney 27 Nov

OdaLog

H₂S
 0-1500ppm
 DL4100318

1-866-ODALOGS (632-6546)

OdaLog

H₂S
 0-1500ppm
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TNY 23 Nov

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 0-1500ppm
 DL4100318

THAYER 9 20

H₂S
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OdaLog

H₂S
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Gas Logger

Blaney 9 20

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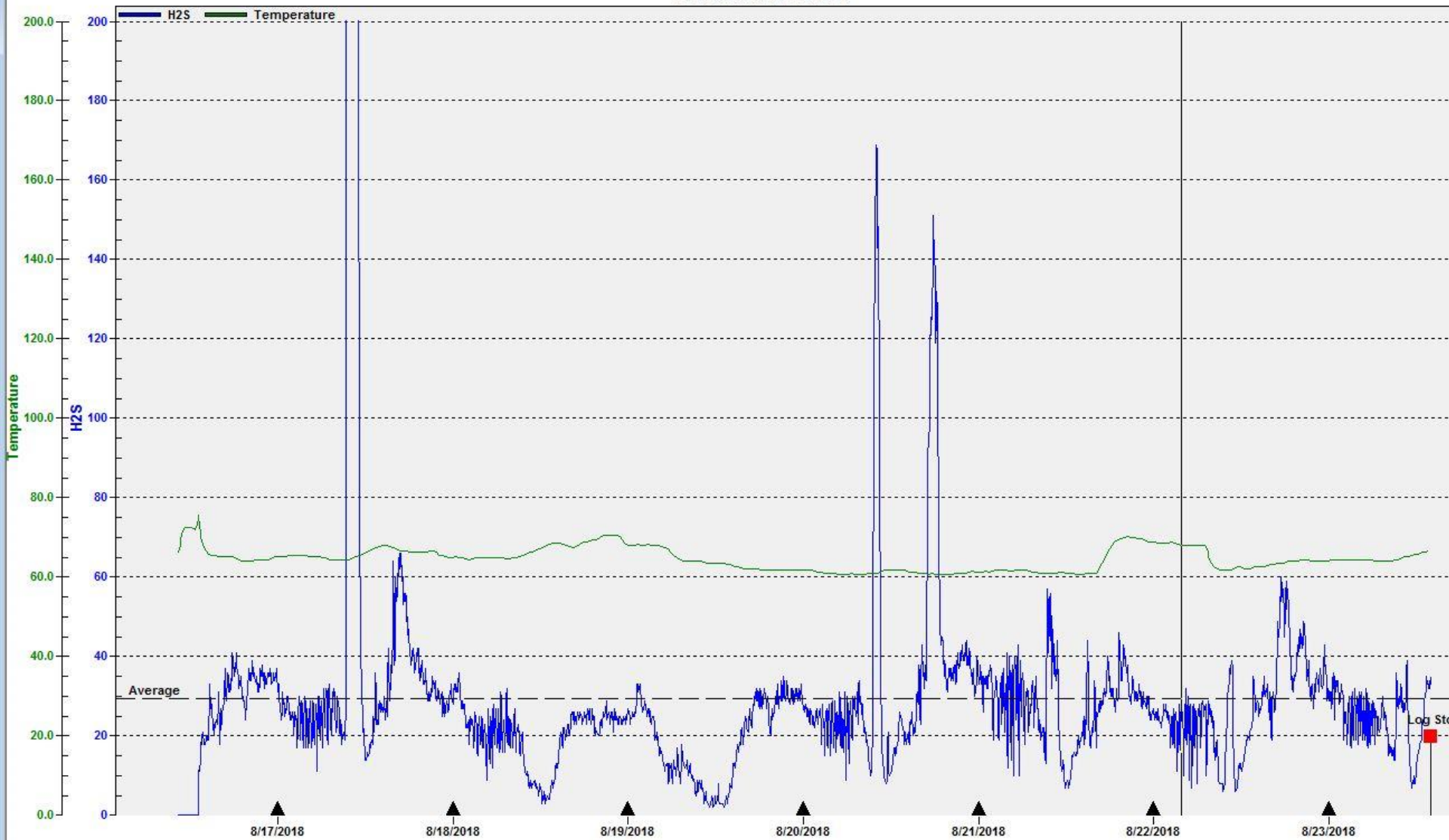
MSA ALTAIR 4X

Plant Upset Data

Date	Biorem		Screw Pump Infl.		Comment	Effl NH3	Effl CBOD
	H2S Avg.	H2S Peak	H2S Avg.	H2S Peak			
7/19/18	21	163				6.7	6
7/26/18	21	109			Washington and Wachter force mains	20.8	20
8/2/18	28	99			Rotate both force mains daily	18.6	19
8/9/18	24	277			Rotate both force mains daily	24.0	20
8/16/18	34	307			Rotate both force mains weekly	22.6	19
8/23/18	29	392			8/20/18 TF infl. 1.6 diss H2S	28.4	17
8/30/18	37	121			Rotate both force mains weekly	18.9	16
9/6/18	26	95			Rotate both force mains daily	14.5	15
9/13/18	45	337				23.8	20
9/21/18	29	67	1	10	Rotate both force mains	27.3	17
9/27/18	36	90	8	97	Rotate to monthly add NaOH	24.0	16
10/4/18	24	53	1	6	No rotation	25.8	17
10/11/18	32	76	1	10	No rotation	16.7	12
10/19/18	30	274	1	9	No rotation	22.9	16
10/25/18	35	324	1	9	Rotate both force mains, w/caustic	8.3	15
11/1/18		51	1	7	added on 9/21	3.9	14

Biorem 8/16/18 - 8/23/2018

Biorem 8-23-2018: Session 1



Period Displayed: 8/16/2018 - 8/23/2018 (Oda File: Biorem 8-23-2018.oda -- Serial Number: Odalog Type L2-RTx 03810968 Instrument Range 0-0PPM)

— Average 29 ▲ Day Transition Min 0 Max 392 (Use Screen Data Only)

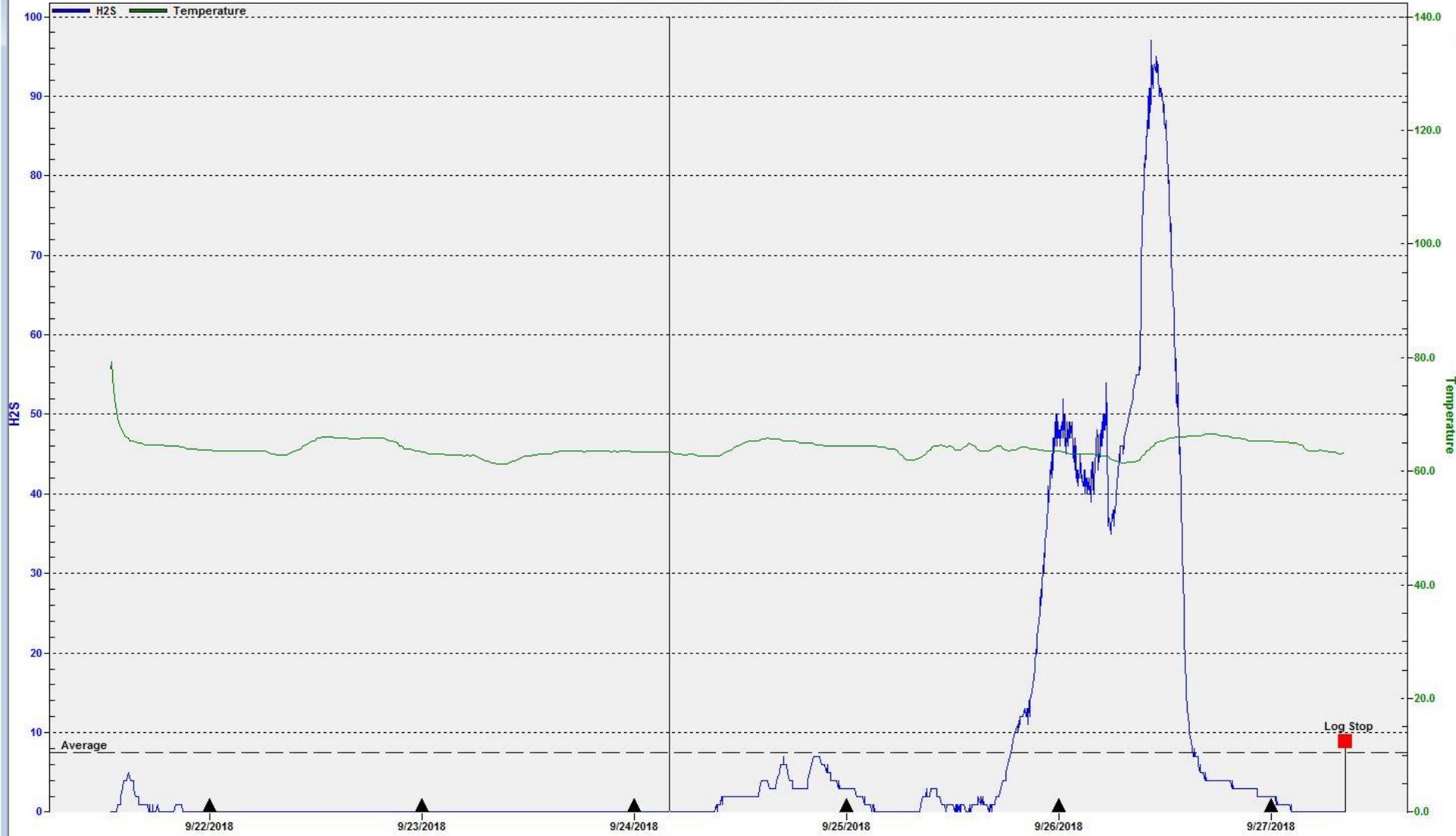


Screw
Pump
Infl.



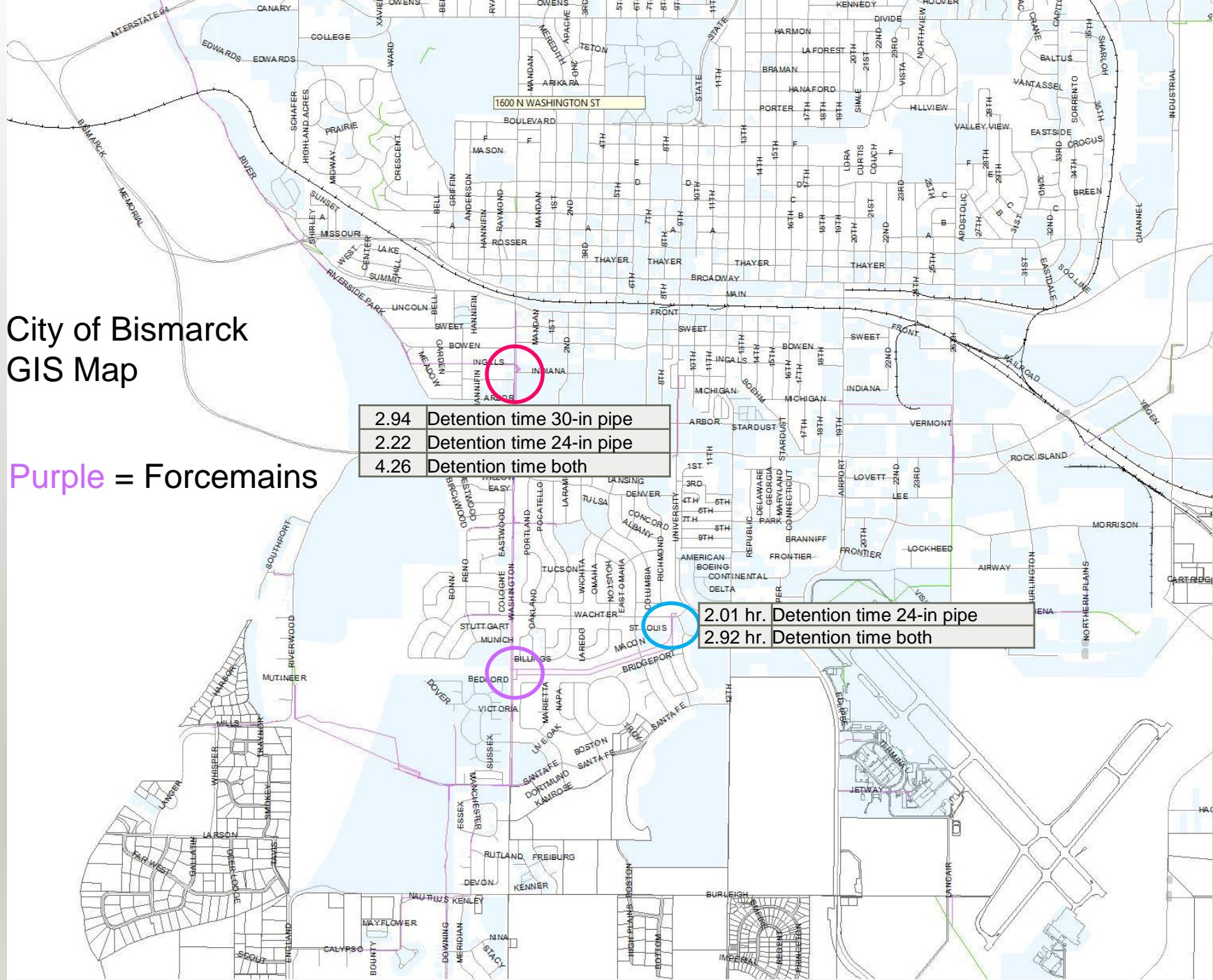
Screw Pump Influent 9/21/18 - 9/27/2018

Screw Pump Influent 9-27-2018: Session 1



Period Displayed: 9/21/2018 - 9/27/2018 (Oda File: Screw Pump Influent 9-27-2018.oda -- Serial Number: OL45055972)

Legend: Average 8PPM, Month Transition, Min 0PPM, Max 97PPM (Use Screen Data Only)



City of Bismarck GIS Map

Purple = Forcemains

2.94	Detention time 30-in pipe
2.22	Detention time 24-in pipe
4.26	Detention time both

2.01 hr.	Detention time 24-in pipe
2.92 hr.	Detention time both

1600 N WASHINGTON ST

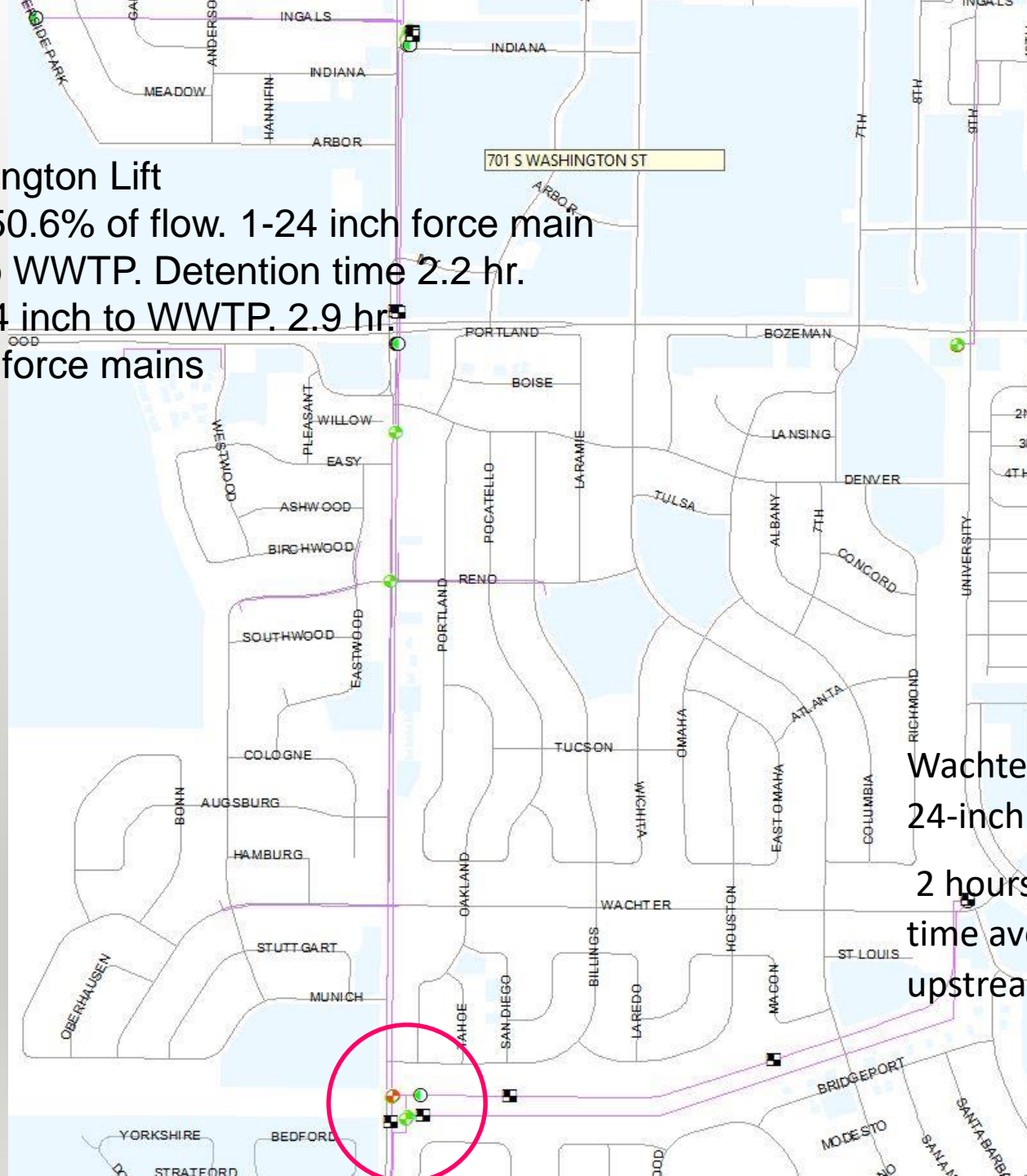
2018 Washington Lift

3.2 MGD. 50.6% of flow. 1-24 inch force main

12,600 ft. to WWTP. Detention time 2.2 hr.

30 inch + 24 inch to WWTP. 2.9 hr.

2 upstream force mains



Wachter Lift 2.9 MGD

24-inch 10,359 feet

2 hours detention

time average. 2

upstream force mains.



Plant Upset Data

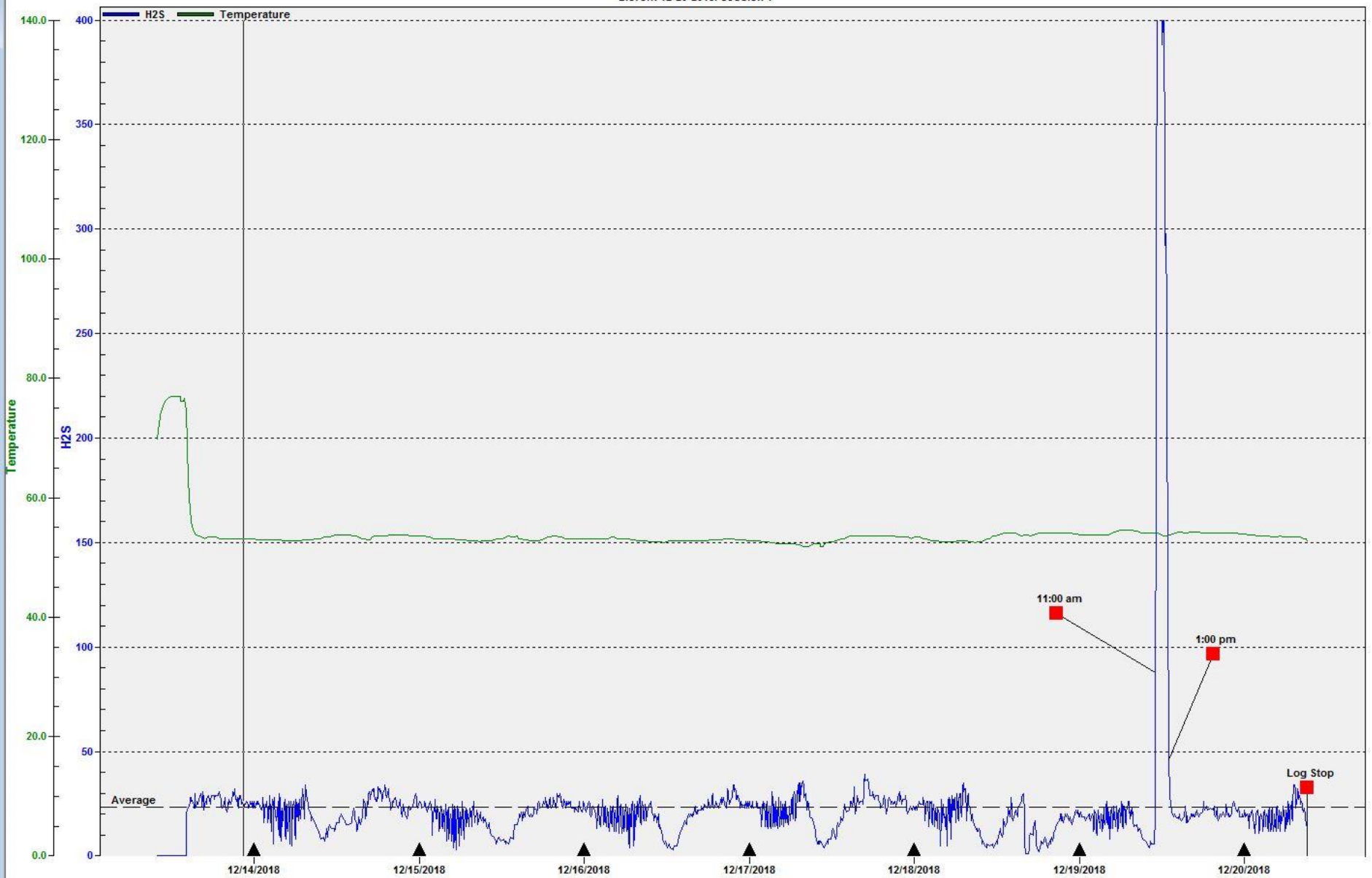


Date	Biorem		Screw Pump Infl.		Comment	Effl NH3	Effl CBOD
	H2S Avg.	H2S Peak	H2S Avg.	H2S Peak			
11/22/18	25	61	3	12		1.9	9
11/29/18	30	95	7	42		3.3	10
12/6/18	20	36	2	13		1.7	10
12/13/18	28	57	2	11	12/17/18, shut down TF3	2.5	10
12/20/18	23	499	4	55	12/19, rotate Washington after 2.5 mo.	9.9	15
12/28/18	29	55	3	25	12/26 Wachter after 2.5 mo., then daily	9.5	18
1/3/19	21	242	4	22	1/4/19 Stop rotating both force mains	23.1	24
1/10/19	21	69	4	18	for two months	28.4	20
1/17/19	14	32	5	19		27.6	16
1/24/19	20	36	4	18		15.4	14
2/1/19	14	43	5		Flushed TF 2, on 2/5/19	18.8	18
2/7/19	19	55	4	14	Flushed TF 1, on 2/13/19	10.2	14
2/14/19	14	30	9	36	TF 1 & 2 placed in series	6.7	21

When the dissolved H2S increases over 1 mg/L to the trickling filters the final effluent BOD and ammonia spike with a 6 – 7 week recovery.

Biorem 12/13/18 - 12/20/2018

Biorem 12-20-2018: Session 1

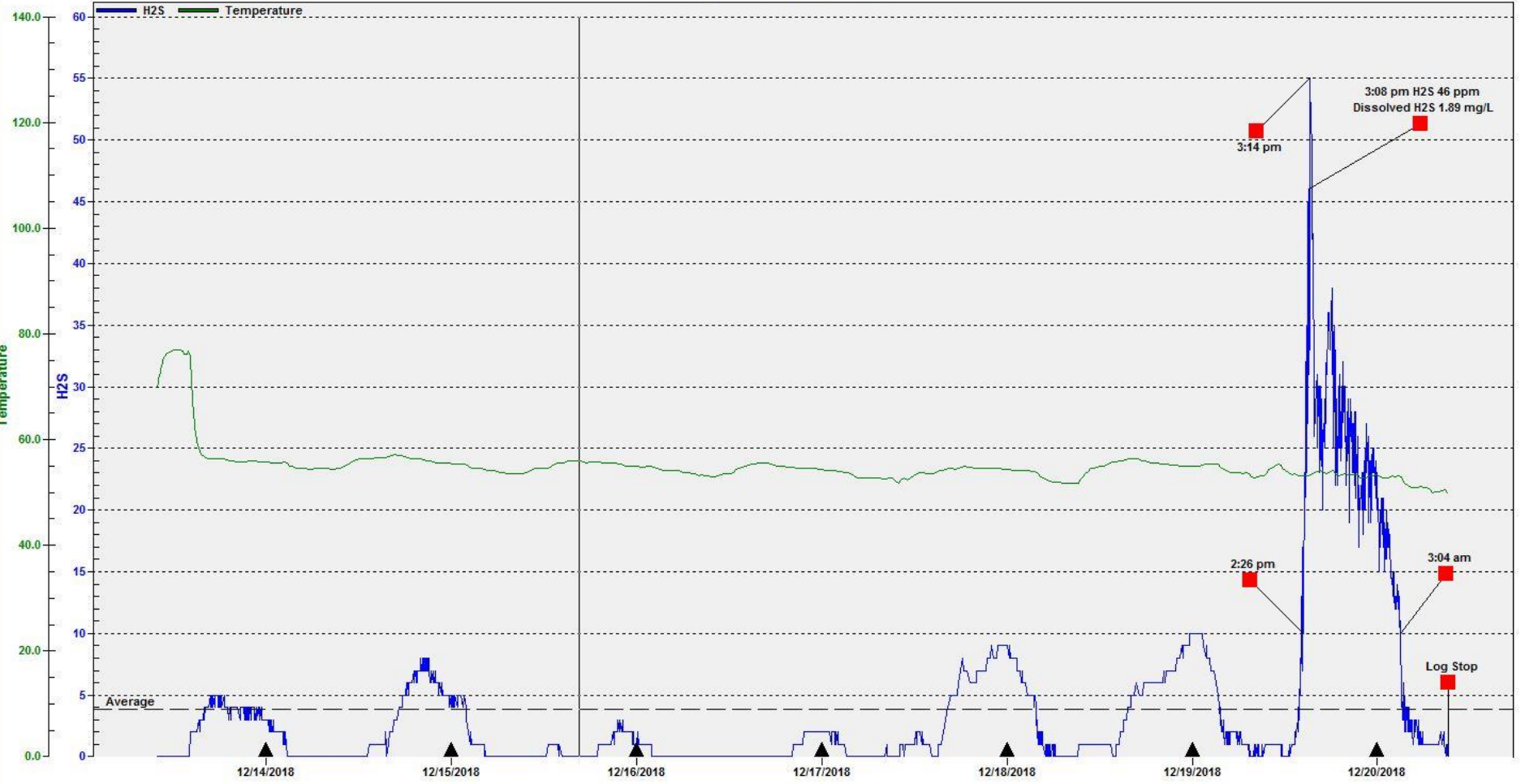


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Average 23 ▲ Day Transition Min 0 Max 499 (Use Screen Data Only)

Screw Pump Influent 12/13/18 - 12/20/2018

Screw Pump Influent 12-20-2018: Session 1



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— Average 4 ▲ Day Transition Min 0 Max 55 (Use Screen Data Only)

Reset Zoom <

> Undo Zoom



FEED COWRISE
SUSHI · BURGER · BAR

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SUSHI BURGER BAR

VIVO
Italian Kitchen



Current Strategy to Prevent H₂S Toxicity



When rotating the Washington or Wachter force main

- Divert the wastewater through flow equalization for dilution, mixing and aeration.
- Max the ferric chloride dose during the two - three hours of elevated H₂S.

Sampling Pretreatment Influent







Sampling Pretreatment Effluent



Table 7-2. Dosage Information from Liquid Phase Odor Control Methods.

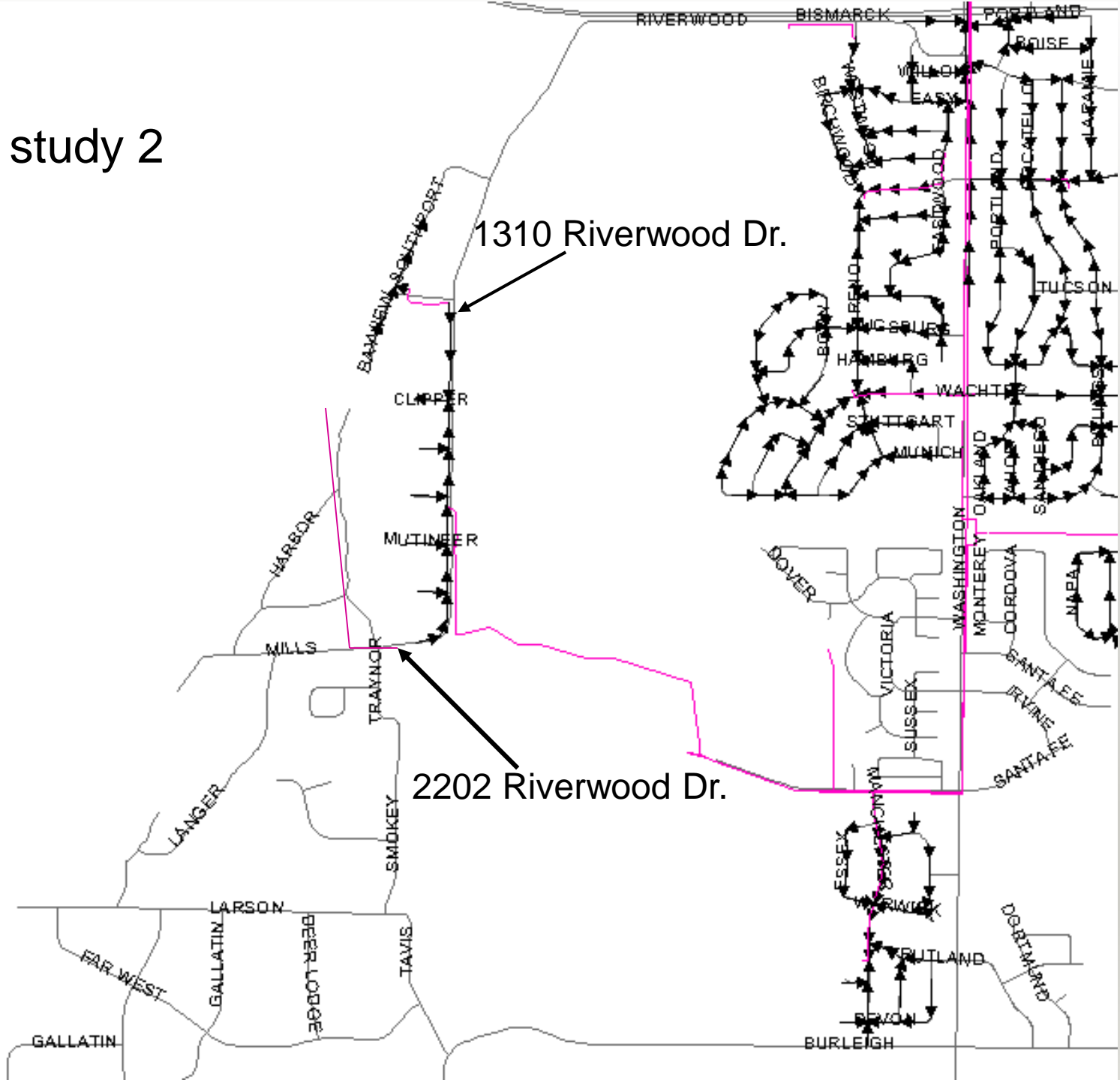
Chemical	Concentration (% by weight)	Solution Density (lb/gal.)	Dose (lb/lb of Sulfide Removed)	
			Low	High
Pure O ₂	95	gas	Not directly comparable to other chemicals	
Cl ₂ gas	100	gas	4	15
NaOCl	15	9.7	10	15
H ₂ O ₂	50	10.0	1	4
KMnO ₄	5	8.7	6	7
NaMnO ₄	20	9.8	7	8
FeCl ₂	30	10.0	4	12
FeSO ₄	6	10.0	5	14
FeCl ₃	40	10.8	3	7
Ca(NO ₃) ₂	60	12.1	4	15
NaOH	50	11.4	Doses must be compared to other methods on a case-by-case basis as they are not directly related to sulfide concentration alone	
Mg(OH) ₂	63	13.3		

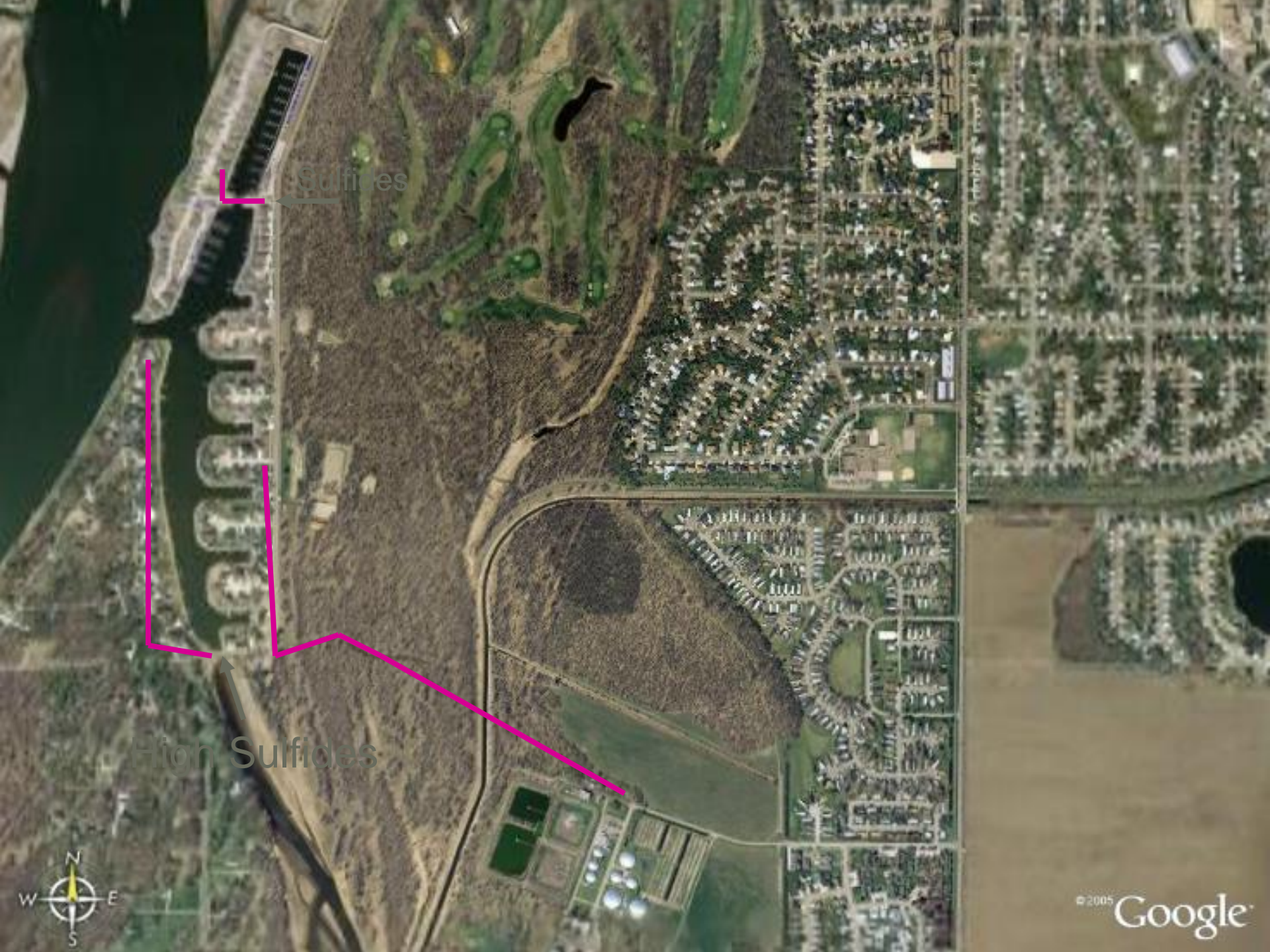
Private 3-mile forcemain case study 1



Date	Dissolved H2S mg/l	Air H2S mg/l	Comments
9/22/1999		53	No Chemical Addition
6/8/2000	35	<2	No Treatment
8/11/2000	46		No Treatment
10/16/2000	45		
10/19/2000	0		Adding 4 gallons 5.25% bleach/day
11/21/2000	2.5		
1/11/2001	9.5		Adding KMnO4
4/30/2001	15		Adding KMnO4
5/22/2001	0.65		Adding 3 gallons 5.25% bleach/day
6/10/2002	0.15		
7/26/2002	0.1		Adding 3 gallons azone/day
11/7/2002	0.1		
4/28/2003	0.05		

Case study 2





Sulfides

High Sulfides



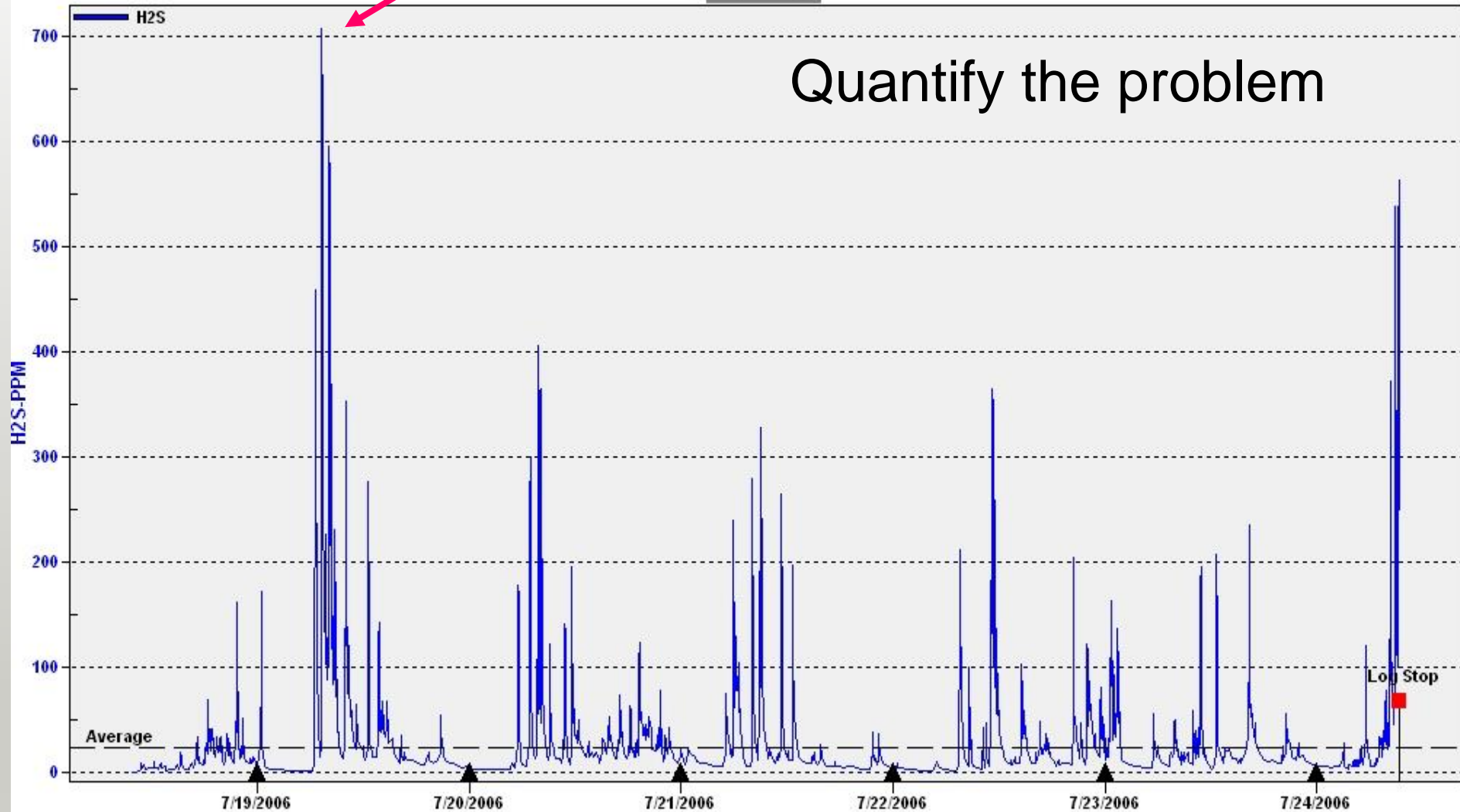
708 ppm

7-24-06 2202 Riverwood Dr.

20060724_OL45065184_01: Session 1

[Temperature]

Quantify the problem



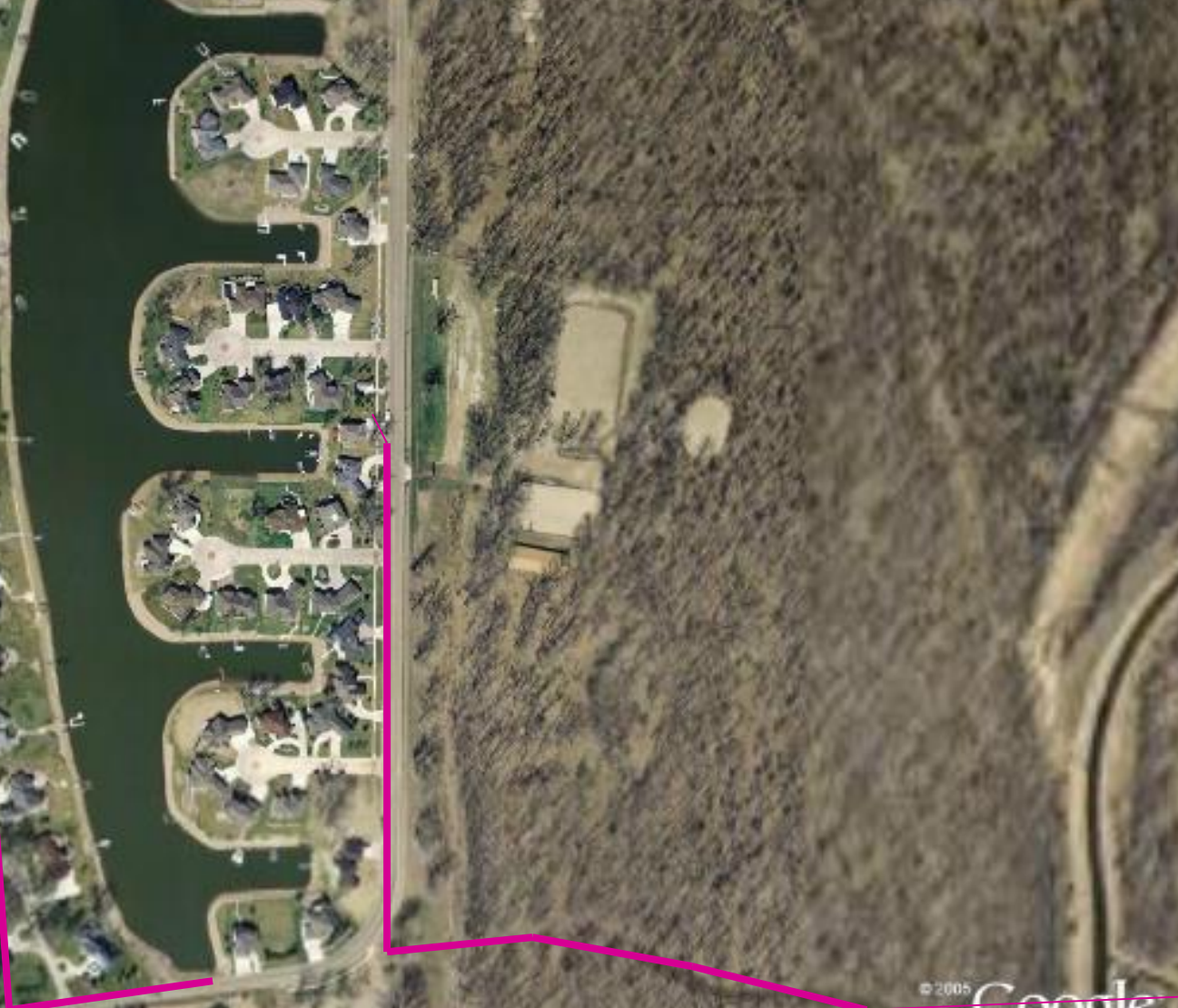
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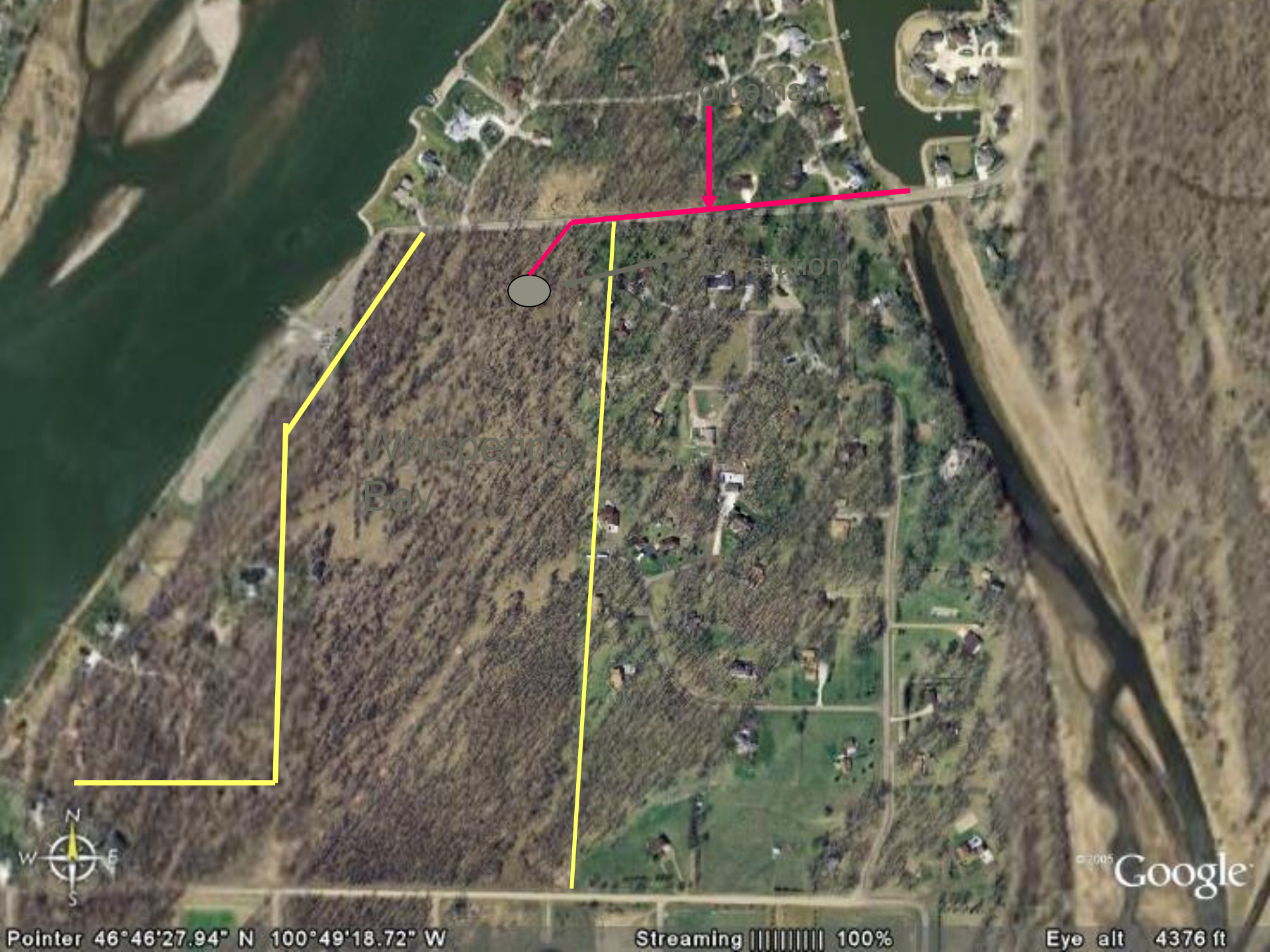
— Average 23PPM ▲ Day Transition Min 0PPM Max 708PPM Gas Action 50.4% Over 10PPM

Homes with
grinder pumps



Red = Forcemains





Whispering Bay

force main

station



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Pointer 46°46'27.94" N 100°49'18.72" W

Streaming ||||| 100%

Eye alt 4376 ft

Riverwood Drive Solutions



- Increase pumping frequency of private lift station, lower pump set points
- Reduce holding time of wastewater in private holding tanks with grinder pumps
- Increase water flow through Whispering Bay during summer months

Case Study 3 Airport Area

Complaint

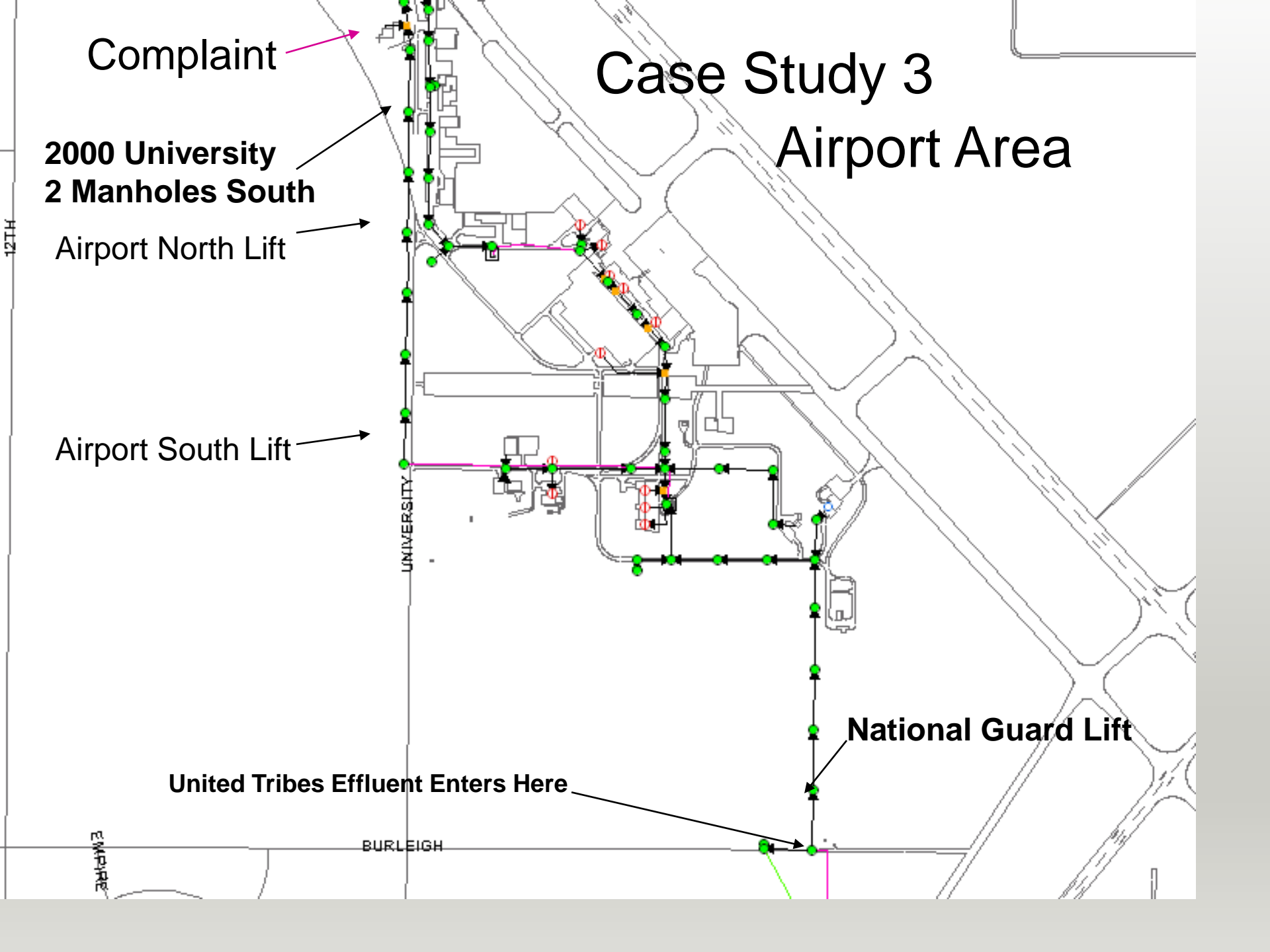
2000 University
2 Manholes South

Airport North Lift

Airport South Lift

National Guard Lift

United Tribes Effluent Enters Here



Complaint

2000 University
2 Manholes South

Airport North Lift

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National Guard Lift

United Tribes Effluent





Airport Area Sulfide Testing Data

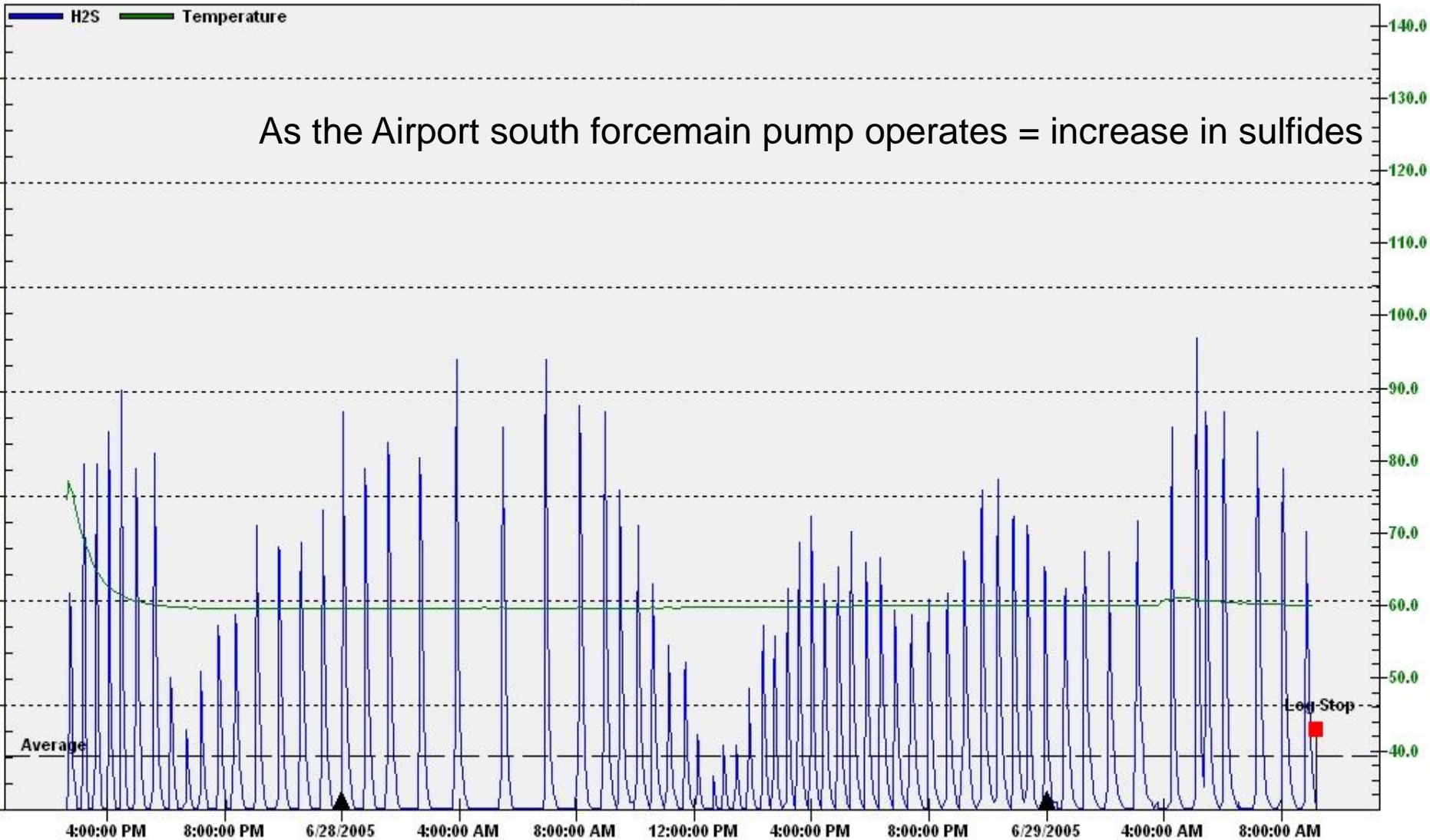
		Dissolved	Air			
Date	Time	Sulfides	Sulfides	pH	Sample Location	
		mg/l	mg/l			
6/14/05	10 a.m.		45, 39		East	Vent from 2000 University Drive
6/14/05	10 a.m.		29		West	Vent
6/16/05	11 a.m.		1, 4		Gate 100	Manhole 3710
6/16/05			2		Manhole	1 S 2000 University
6/16/05			1		Manhole	2 S 2000 University
6/17/05			8		Manhole	1 NW 2000 University
6/17/05	2:05 PM		10		Manhole	2 NW 2000 University
6/17/05			11		Manhole	3 NW 2000 University
6/17/05	2:15 PM		5		Manhole	4 NW 2000 University
6/17/05	2:25 PM		1		Manhole	5 NW 2000 University
6/17/05	2:29 PM		0		Manhole	6 NW 2000 University
6/17/05			33, 26		Manhole	1 S 2000 University
6/17/05	3:10 PM		7, 1		Manhole	3 S 2000 University
6/17/05	3:18 PM		0		Gate 100	Manhole 3710
6/20/05	3:25 PM	1.0		7.8	Manhole	2 S 2000 University
6/20/05	3:30 PM	6.25		7.88	Manhole	2 S 2000 University
6/27/05	3:20 PM		59		Manhole	2 NW 2000 University
6/27/05	15:00				Manhole	First manhole upstream of Airport Maintenance Building Lift added 3 gallons of 5% bleach
6/28/05	9:00				Manhole	First manhole upstream of Airport Maintenance Building Lift added 3 gallons of 5% bleach
7/5/05	13:00	1.7		7.8	Manhole	2 S 2000 University

Airport FM H2S on University Ave

6-27-05

20050629_OL45035874_01: Session 2

As the Airport south forcemain pump operates = increase in sulfides



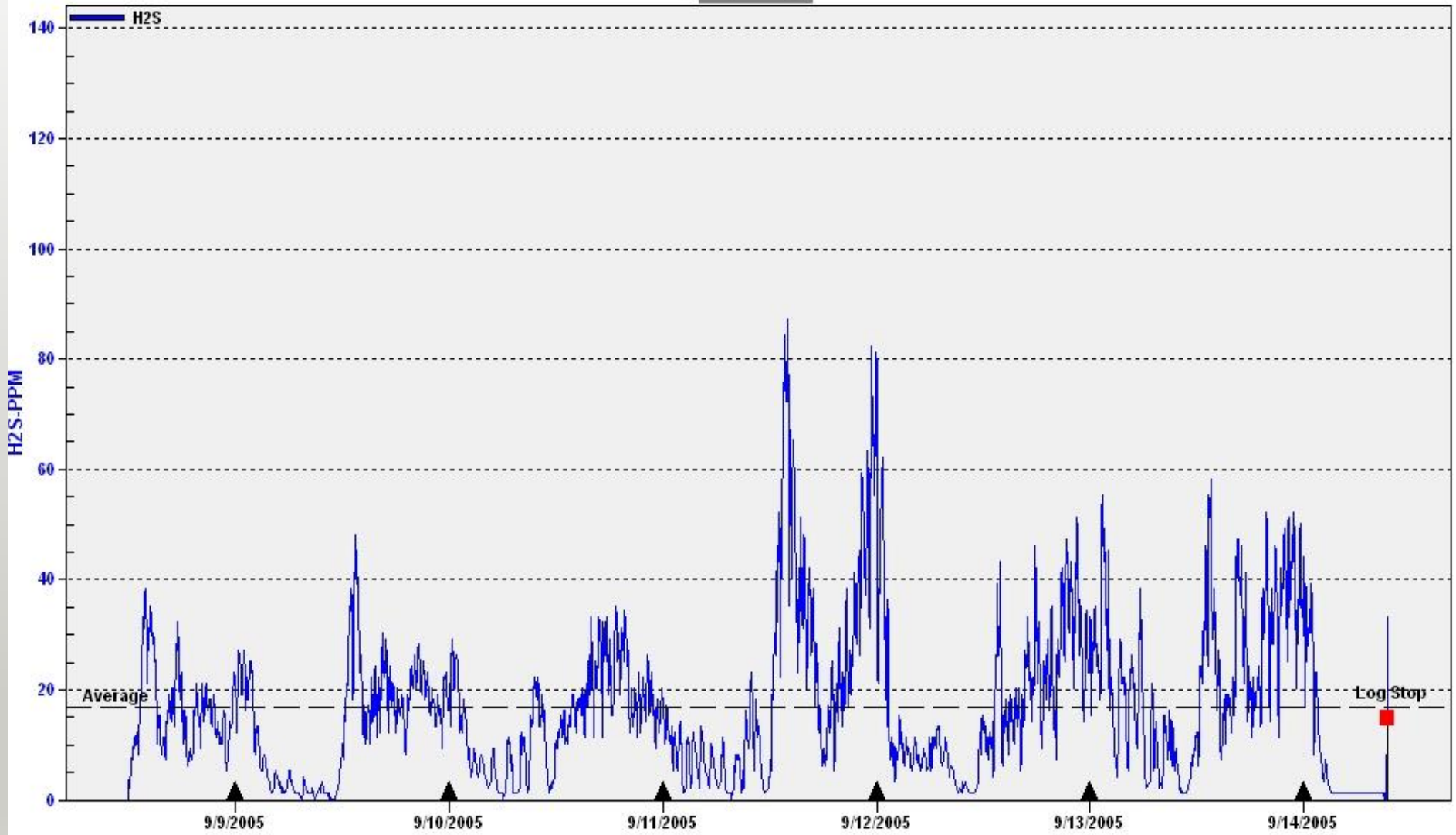
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— Average 10PPM ▲ Month Transition Min 0PPM Max 90PPM Gas Action 27.7% Over 10PPM

2000 University 2 Manholes South 9-14-05

20050914_OL45055972_01: Session 1

[Temperature]



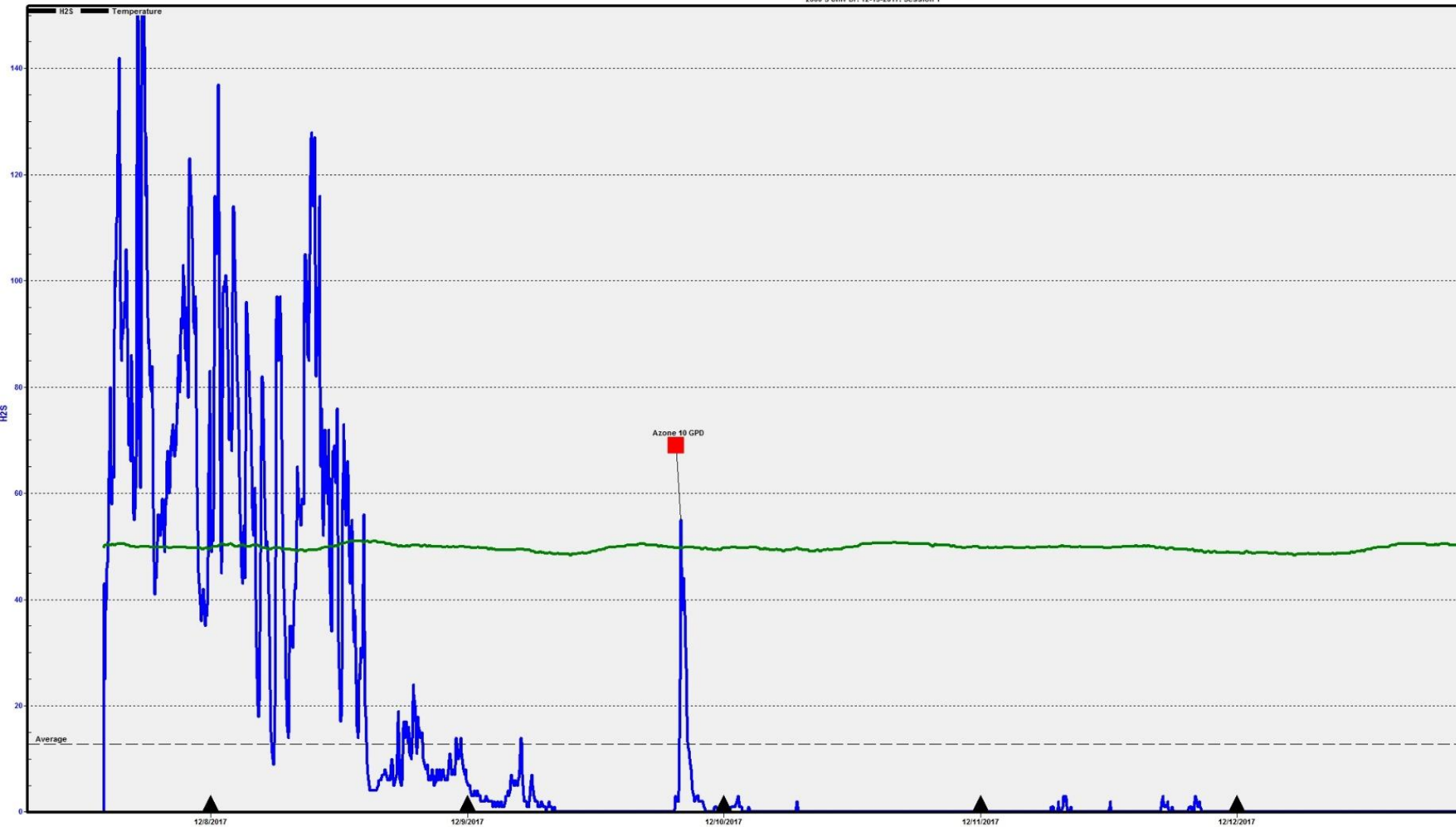
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— Average 17PPM ▲ Month Transition Min 0PPM Max 87PPM Gas Action 61.5% Over 10PPM

DANGER
SODIUM
HYPOCHLORITE



27 1:54PM

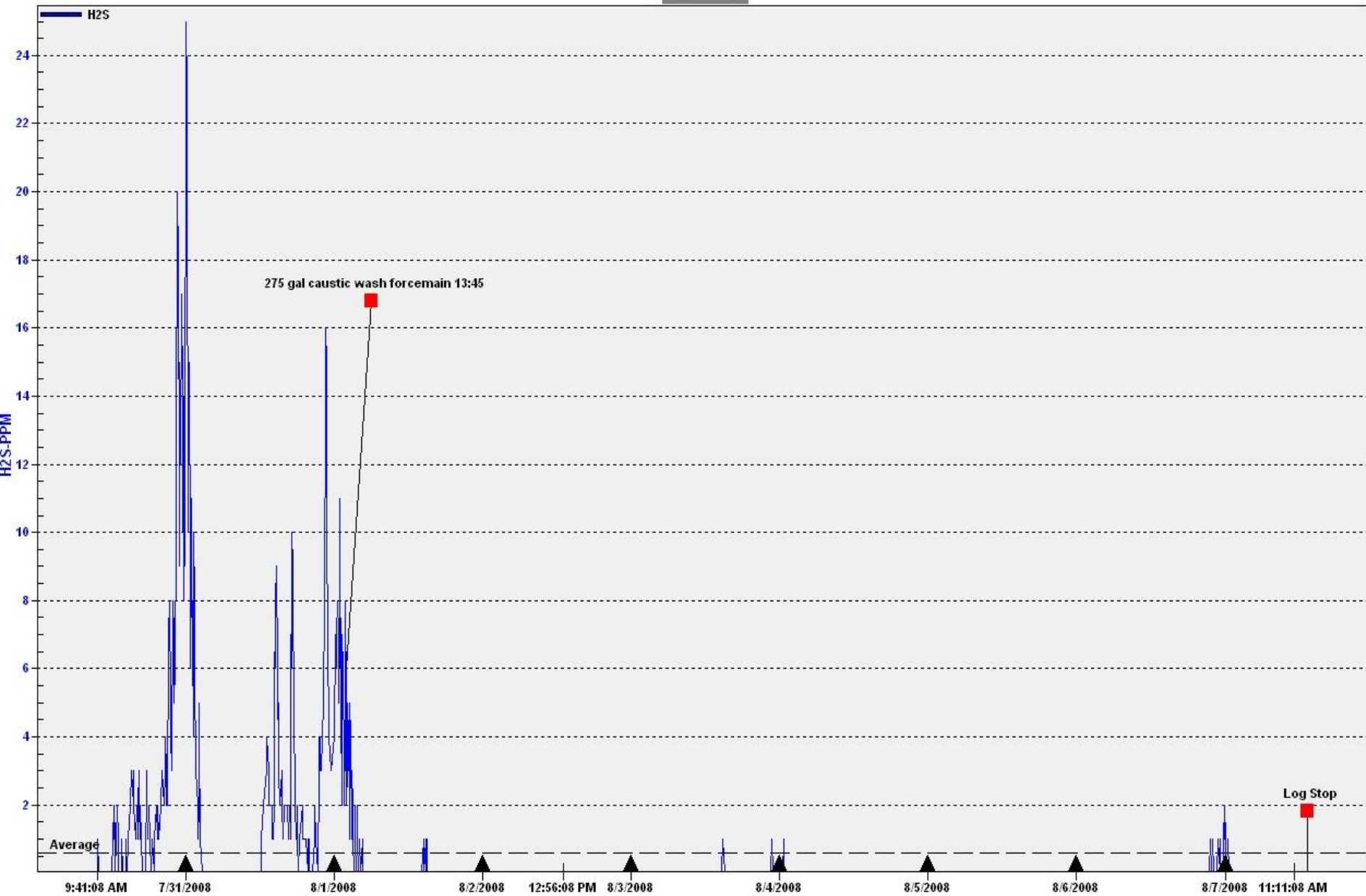


Case study 5

Haycreek Forcemain Discharge Manhole 8/7/08

20080808_OL45065183_01: Session 1

(Temperature)



Period Displayed: 7/29/2008 - 8/7/2008 (Oda File: 20080808_OL45065183_01.oda -- Serial Number: OL45065183)

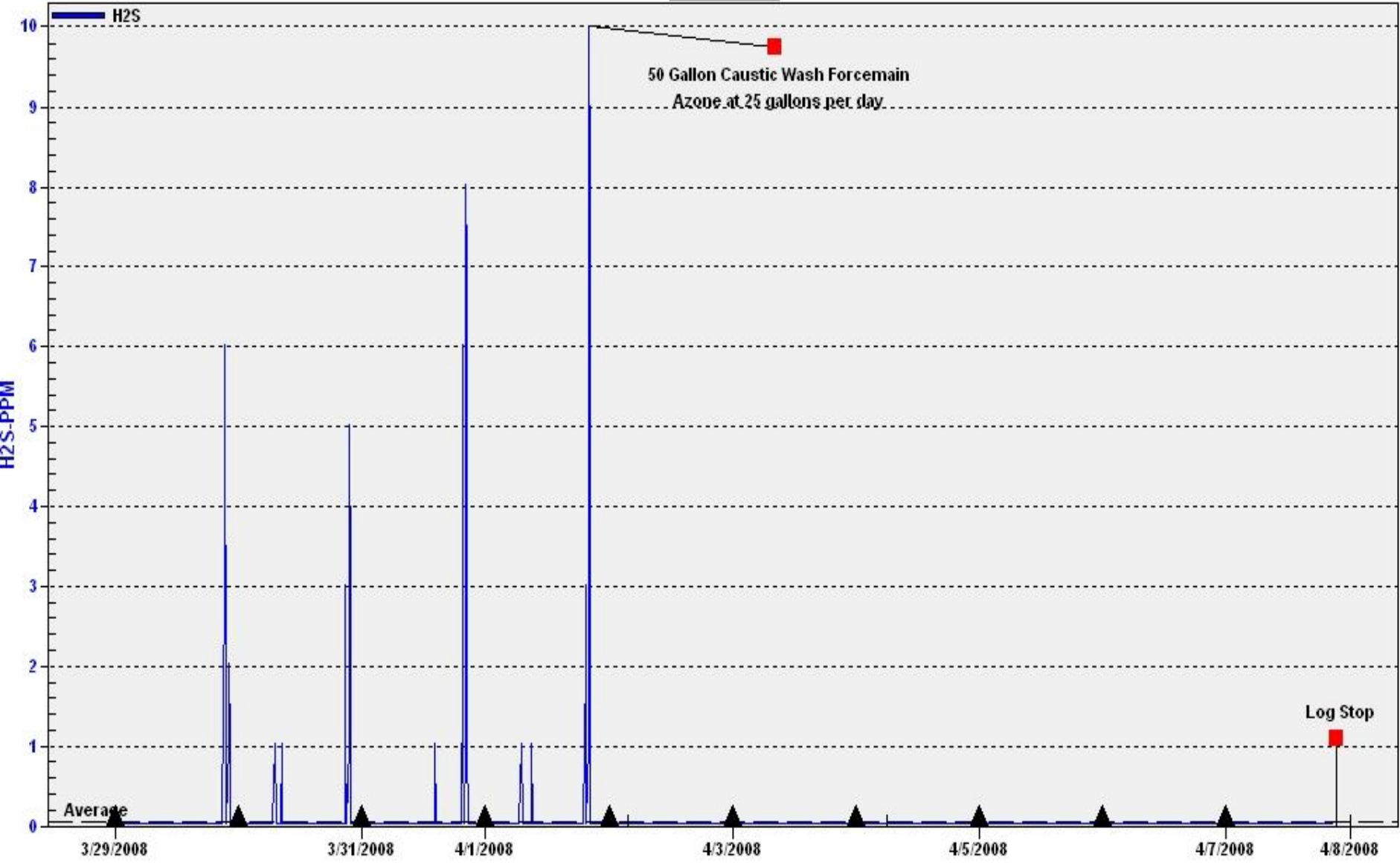
— Average 1PPM ▲ Day Transition Min OPPM Max 25PPM Gas Action 1.2% Over 10PPM

Washington Lift 4/7/08

20080407_OL45065183_01: Session 1

Case study 6

[Temperature]

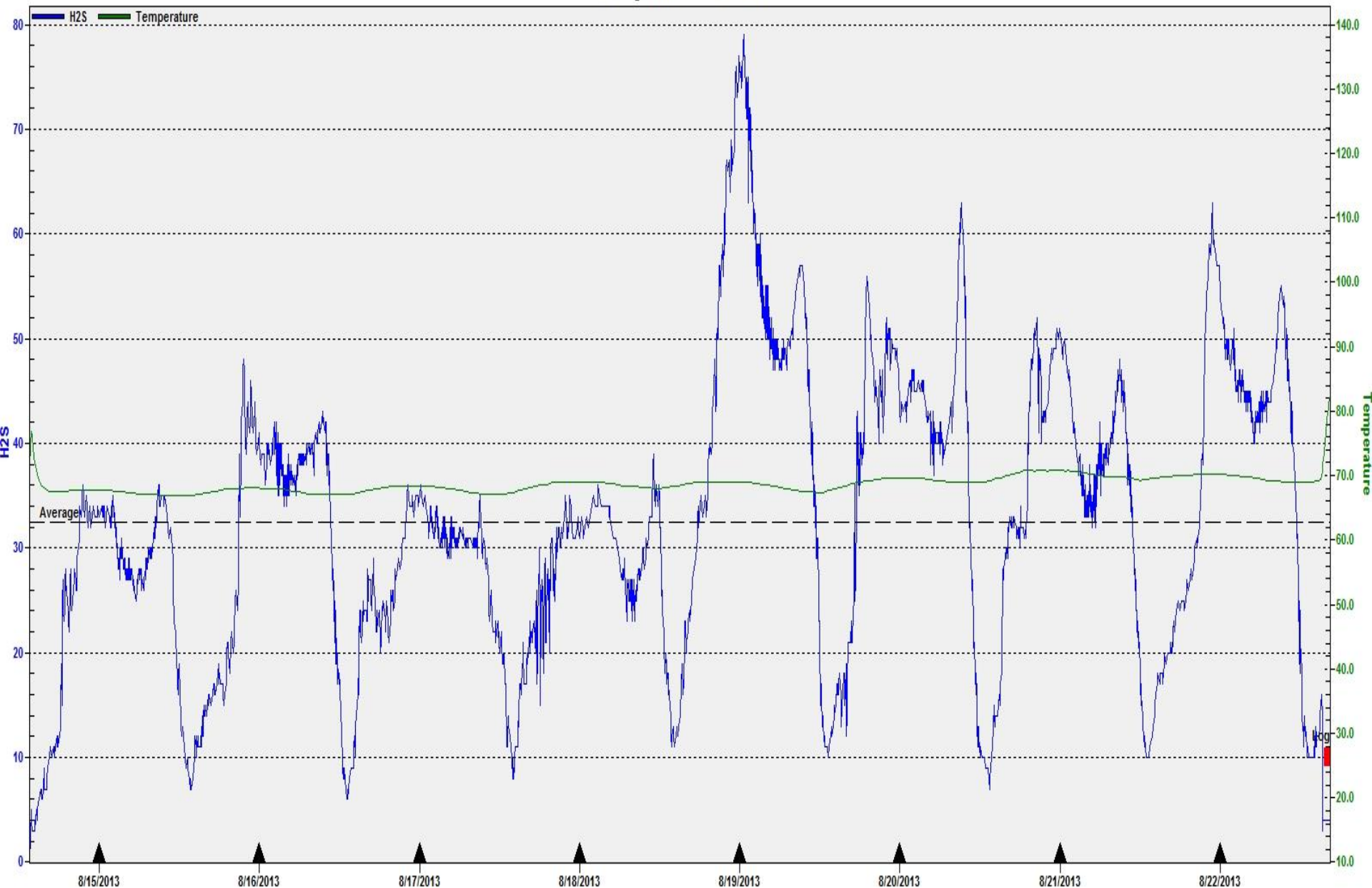


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— Average OPPM ▲ Day Transition Min OPPM Max 10PPM

Washington Lift 8/15 - 8/22/2013

Washington Lift 8-22-2013: Session 1



Period Displayed: 8/14/2013 - 8/22/2013 (Oda File: Washington Lift 8-22-2013.oda -- Serial Number: OL45055972)

— Average 32PPM ▲ Month Transition Min 0PPM Max 79PPM (Use Screen Data Only)

Washington Lift 9/9 - 9/16/13

Washington Lift 9-16-2013: Session 1

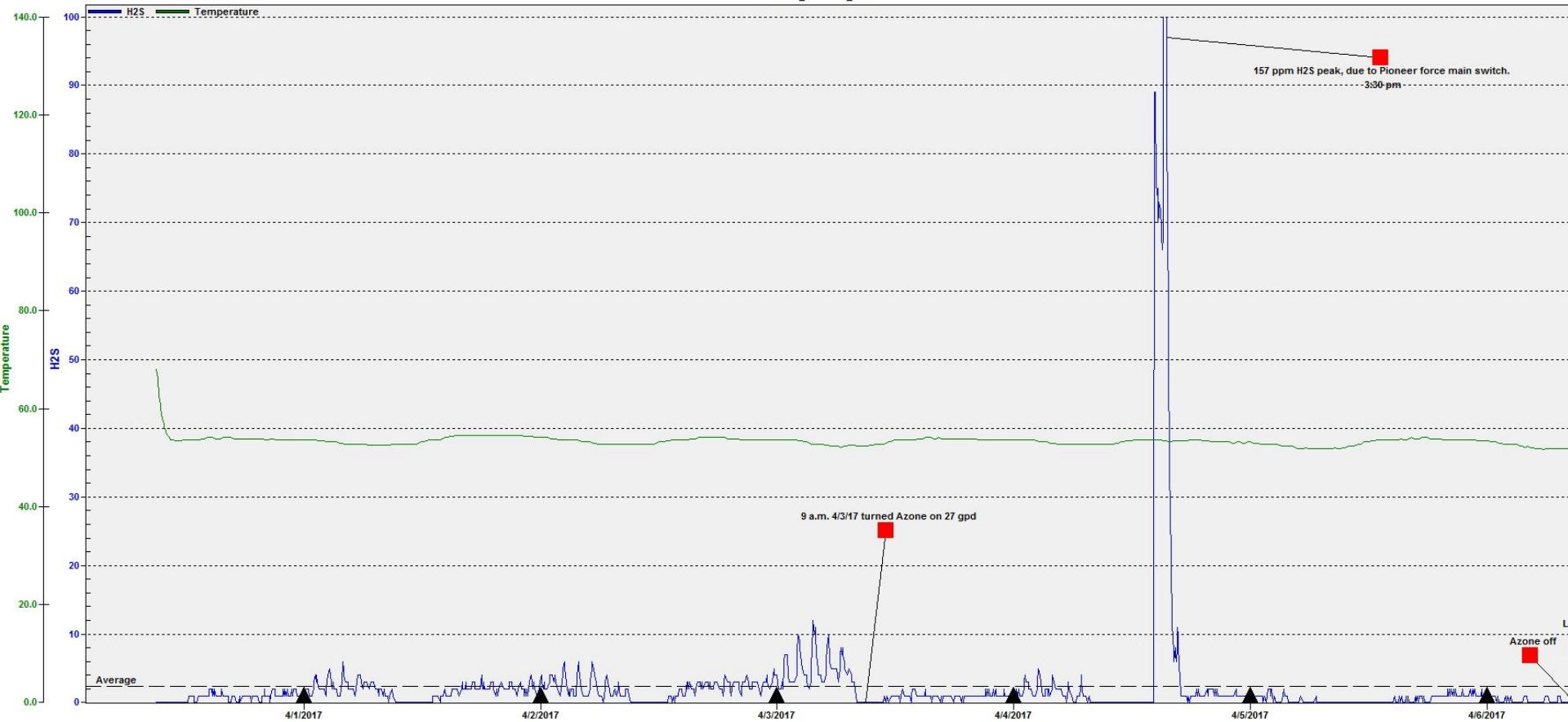


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— Average 6PPM ▲ Month Transition Min OPPM Max 41PPM (Use Screen Data Only) (Apply Sensor Decay)

Washington Lift Diversion Vault 4/1/17 - 4/6/2017

20170406_02709695_01: Session 1



Period Displayed: 3/31/2017 - 4/6/2017 (Oda File: 20170406_02709695_01.oda -- Serial Number: Odialog Type L2-RTX 02709695 Instrument Range 0-0PPM)

— Average 2 ▲ Month Transition Min 0 Max 157 (Use Screen Data Only)



Jar Testing Ferric Chloride

How Did We Get Here?



- Historical information
- Investigation of original assumptions
- Jar/bench testing
- Allocation of resources
- Pilot testing
- Follow up monitoring

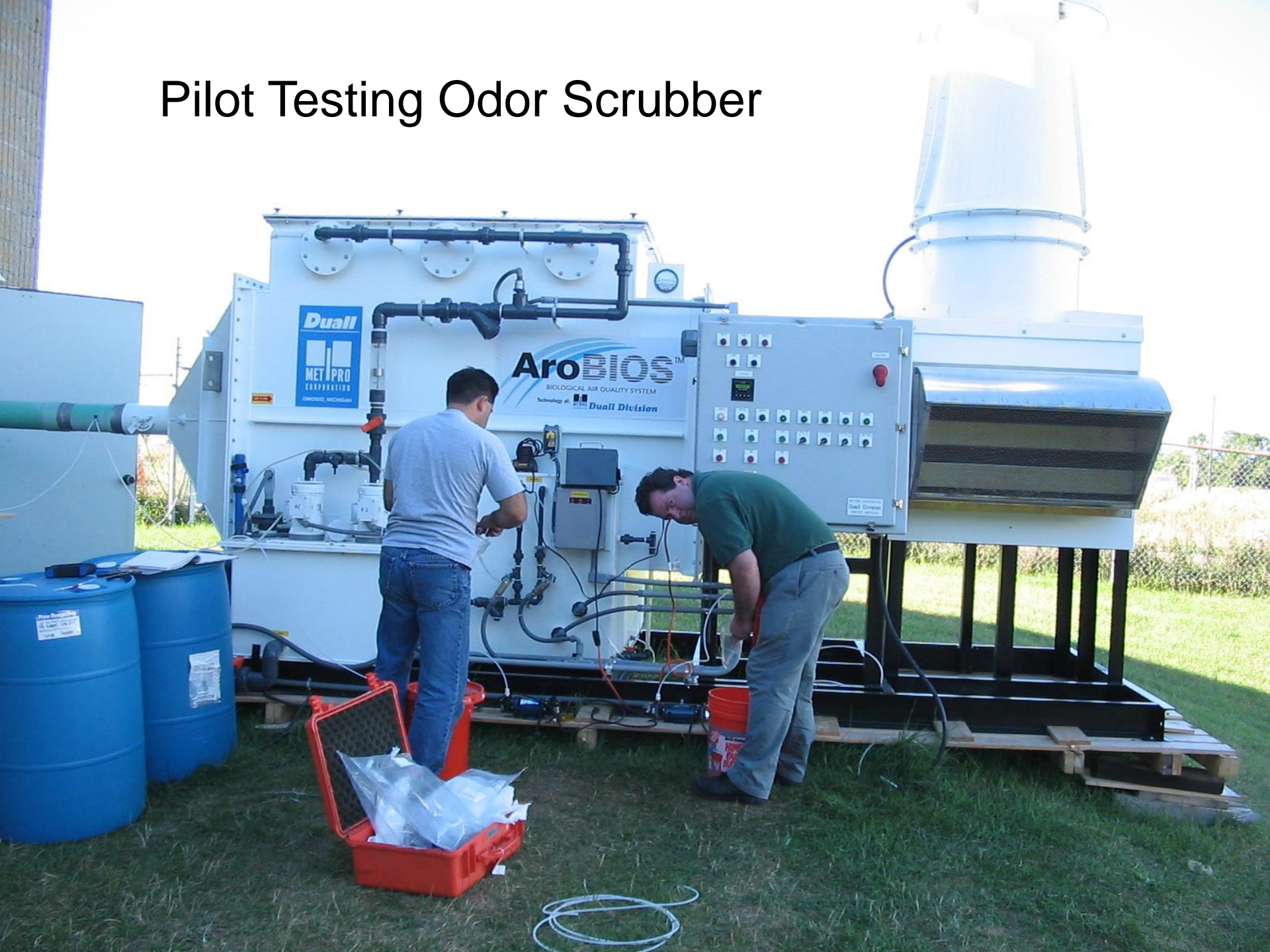
Air Stream Odor Removal



Air Treatment Alternatives, from WEF MOP-22, 1995

	Frequency of use	Cost Factor	Advantage	Disadvantage
Packed-Tower Wet Scrubber	High	Moderate Capital and O&M	Effective and reliable	Chemical consumption No VOC removal
Fine Mist wet scrubber	Medium	High Capital Cost that tower	Low chemical consumption VOC removal	Large vessel, need to soften scrubber water
Carbon	High	Depends on removal freq	No moving parts	Dilute H ₂ S only, high cost w/ high VOC
Biofilter	Medium	Low Capital and O&M cost	Simple, VOC effective	Media replacement, moisture monitoring
Thermal Oxidizer	Low	High Capital & Energy Cost	Effective, VOC removal	Economical for high H ₂ S, difficult to treat
Activated Sludge	Low	Economical	Simple, low O&M, effective	Blower corrosion, not for high H ₂ S
Masking agents	High	Dependent on usage	Low capital, for sporadic odors	Only mask, no VOC removal

Pilot Testing Odor Scrubber



Pilot Testing a Biofilter



Filtration Removal Options for Low Air Flow



Treatment Alternatives



- State the alternative treatment strategies
- Calculate the capital, chemical and operational costs
- List advantages & disadvantages of each option
- Get approval to pilot test
- Add cost to budget/financial plan

Recommendation



- Summarize the research results
- Recommend the strategies
- Identify action items
- After implementation provide follow-up verification of actual conditions

Summary



- Wastewater odor complaints are most often associated with hydrogen sulfide gas
- H₂S can be oxidized or precipitated with chemicals
- Vapor phase odors can be treated with biological and/or chemical treatment methods
- Method selection should depend upon the concentration, efficiency, air flow and cost

Summary



- Treat each location to remove odors as unique
- Jar test to help identify which chemicals work for the local wastewater and conditions before pilot testing
- Test the water and air for hydrogen sulfide before and during treatment, conditions change during the year, expect to make adjustments.
- Never expect to eliminate all odors all of the time from any process



Questions?

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