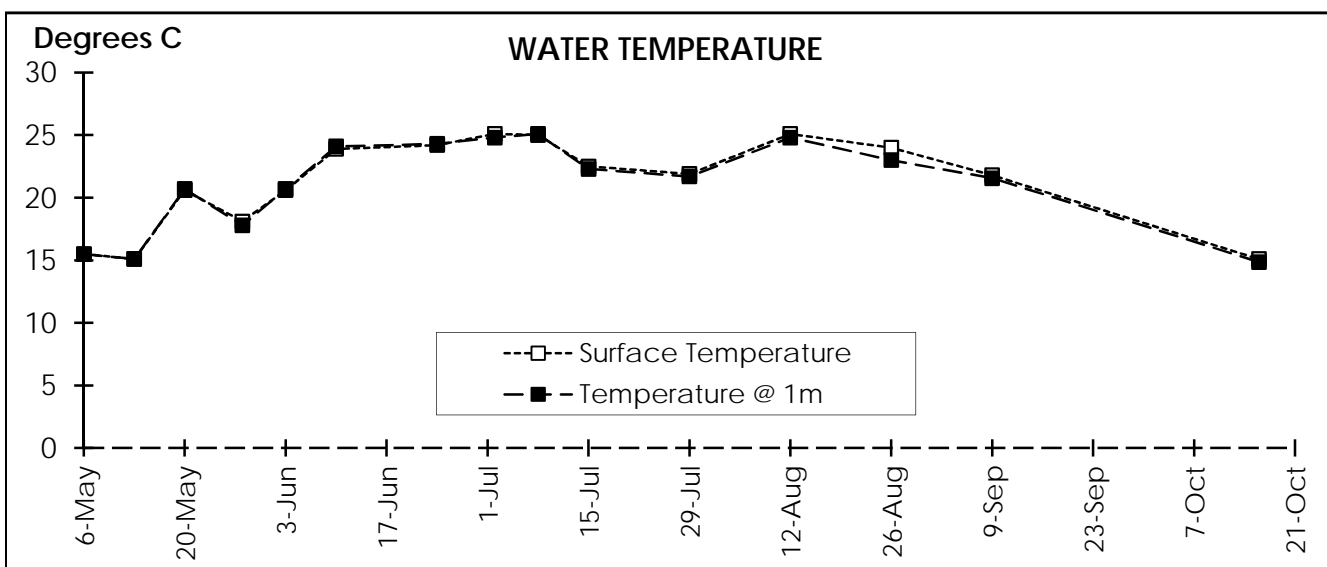
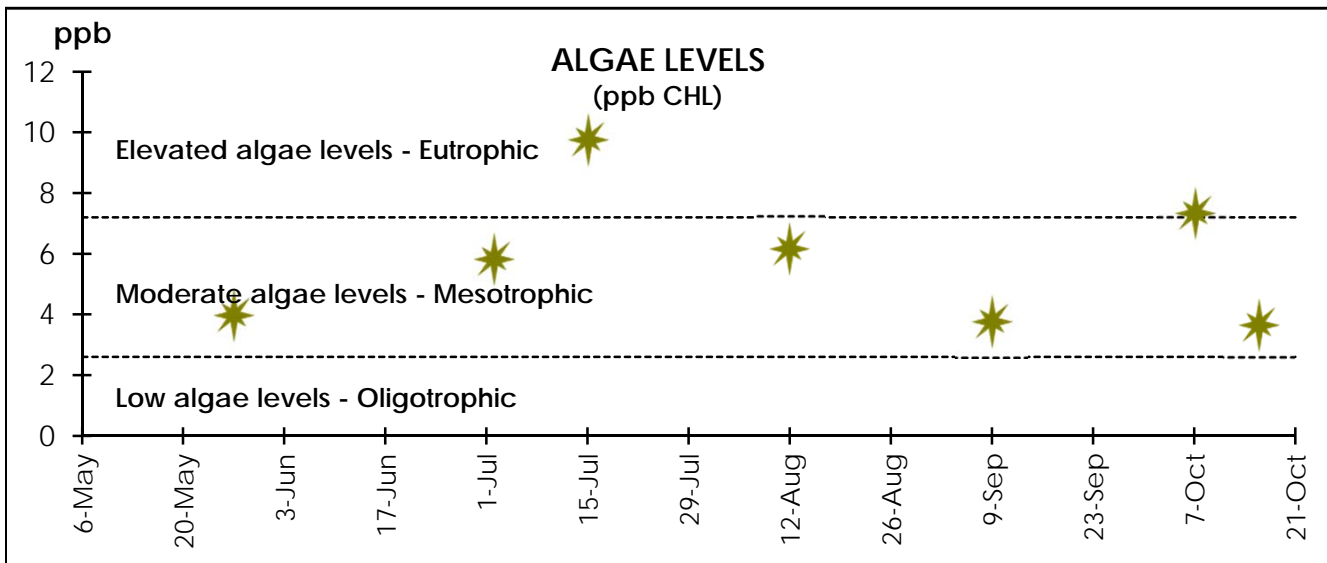
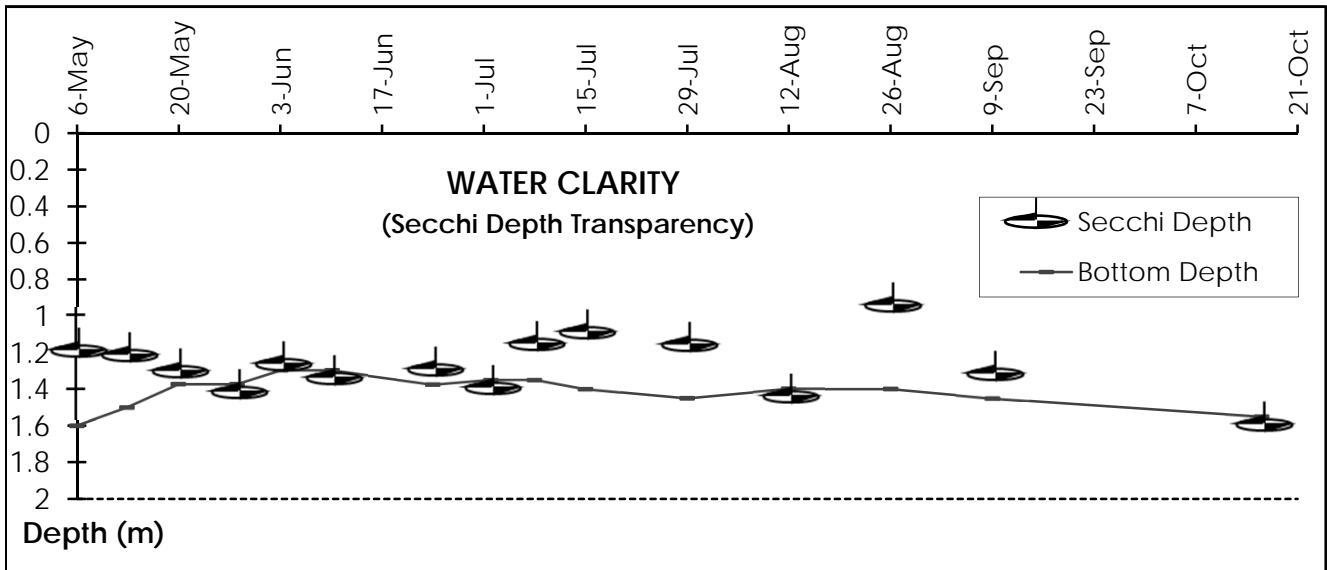


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URI Watershed Watch, 2/07/18

	MAY	JULY	AUG.	OCT	
	-----Total Phosphorus (ppb) -----				<b>Avg.</b>
Wesquage Pond	23	29	41	14	27
	<i>RIDEM recommended lake maximum average TP value 25 ppb</i>				
	-----Dissolved Phosphorus (ppb) -----				<b>Avg.</b>
Wesquage Pond	6	6	10	5	7
	----- Total Nitrogen (ppb) -----				<b>Avg.</b>
Wesquage Pond	575	820	1030	740	791
	<i>Total nitrogen levels in lakes and ponds above 750 ppb considered elevated.</i>				
	----- Nitrate-Nitrogen (ppb) -----				<b>Avg.</b>
Wesquage Pond	ND	nd	nd	ND	ND
	<i>ND = &lt; 15 ppb</i>				
	----- Ammonia-Nitrogen (ppb) -----				<b>Avg.</b>
Wesquage Pond	35	35	55	45	43
	<i>ND = No Detect Limit of Detection = 15 ppb</i>				
	----- Enterococci Bacteria (per 100 mLs) -----				<b>Maximum</b>
Wesquage Pond	<1	10	<10	16.4	<1
	<i>RIHealth Standard for Recreational Contact: Maximum 61 Enterococci per 100 mLs</i>				
	----- pH -----				<b>Minimum</b>
Wesquage Pond	7.3	7.4	7.9	6.6	7.3
	<i>pH of 6 - 9 considered normal</i>				
	----- Alkalinity (mg/l CaCO <sub>3</sub> ) -----				<b>Minimum</b>
Wesquage Pond	23	36	39	39	23

USEPA Alkalinity Classification:

ACIDIFIED: (< 1 ppm with pH < 5.0)  
 CRITICAL: (< 2 ppm)  
 ENDANGERED (2-5 ppm)

HIGHLY SENSITIVE: ( 5-10 ppm)  
 SENSITIVE: ( 10-20 ppm)  
 NOT SENSITIVE (>20 ppm)