Good afternoon, Iain. Report for samples taken March 19th, 2024.

Attached your 4th set of results for the river samples.

The laboratory called me for clarification as the lab submission sheet had not been completed and sent with the samples, on this occasion there was no consequence, but it is best avoided in case it delays the testing and therefore the validity of the results.

Samples have all bacterium types tested for sample 5 & 6 very high for coliforms and E. coli.

I have attached the bathing waters guidance, if you check the results against the values for inland water ways you will see how the river water compares with the bathing standards.

At these levels samples 5 & 6 fail bathing water standard and would be deemed unsuitable for bathing. Samples 1 to 4 would be deemed ok.

If you wish to discuss further, you can contact me on my mobile number below.

Regards

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