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Mrs. Amy Eschberger
Environmental Protection Specialist
Colorado Department of Natural Resources
Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety
Office of Mined Land Reclamation
1313 Sherman Street, Room 215
Denver, Colorado 80203

**Re: Permit No. M-1980-244; Cripple Creek & Victor Gold Mining Company ("CC&V"); Cresson Project
– Notification of Water Quality Analysis Parameter Exceedances August 21, 2018**

Dear Mrs. Eschberger:

In accordance with Rule 9, Section 3.1.7 of the Mineral Rules and Regulations of the Colorado Mined Land Reclamation Board for Hard Rock, Metal, and Designated Mining Operations (Rules), the Cripple Creek and Victor Gold Mining Company (CC&V) hereby provides the Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety (Division) with formal notification of water quality parameter exceedances.

CC&V collected third quarter compliance groundwater and surface water monitoring water quality samples for analysis on July 30th, 31st, and August 1st. CC&V received the lab report for these analyses on August 17, 2018, and upon review, some locations exceeded established numeric protection limits. The table below lists the exceedances for each location and the associated parameters, and the attached graphs demonstrate parameter trends from Q1 2017 to present.

Location	Sample Date	Parameter	Value (mg/L)	NPL (mg/L)	Table Standard (mg/L)
CRMW-3B	7/30/2018	Fluoride	2.92	2	2
GVMW-22A	7/31/2018	Fluoride	2.21	2	2
GVMW-8A	7/31/2018	Copper - Dissolved	0.0146	0.008	0.2
GVMW-8A	7/31/2018	Fluoride	2.11	2	2
GVMW-8B	7/31/2018	Copper - Dissolved	0.0138	0.008	0.2
GVMW-8B	7/31/2018	Fluoride	2.21	2	2
SGMW-6B	7/31/2018	Fluoride	8.96	2	2
SGMW-6B	7/31/2018	Manganese - Dissolved	6.18	3	3
SGMW-6B	7/30/2018	Sulfate	963	*	250
WCMW-6	8/1/2018	Fluoride	2.02	2	2
WCSW-01	8/1/2018	Nitrate as N	9.61	3	10

* NPL for Sulfate within Squaw Gulch not established.

Should you require further information please do not hesitate to contact Ronald Parratt at 719.689.4019 or ronald.parratt@newmont.com or myself at 719.689.4055 or meg.burt@newmont.com.

Sincerely,

Handwritten signatures of Ronald Parratt (R.P.) and Meg Burt (M.B.) in black ink.

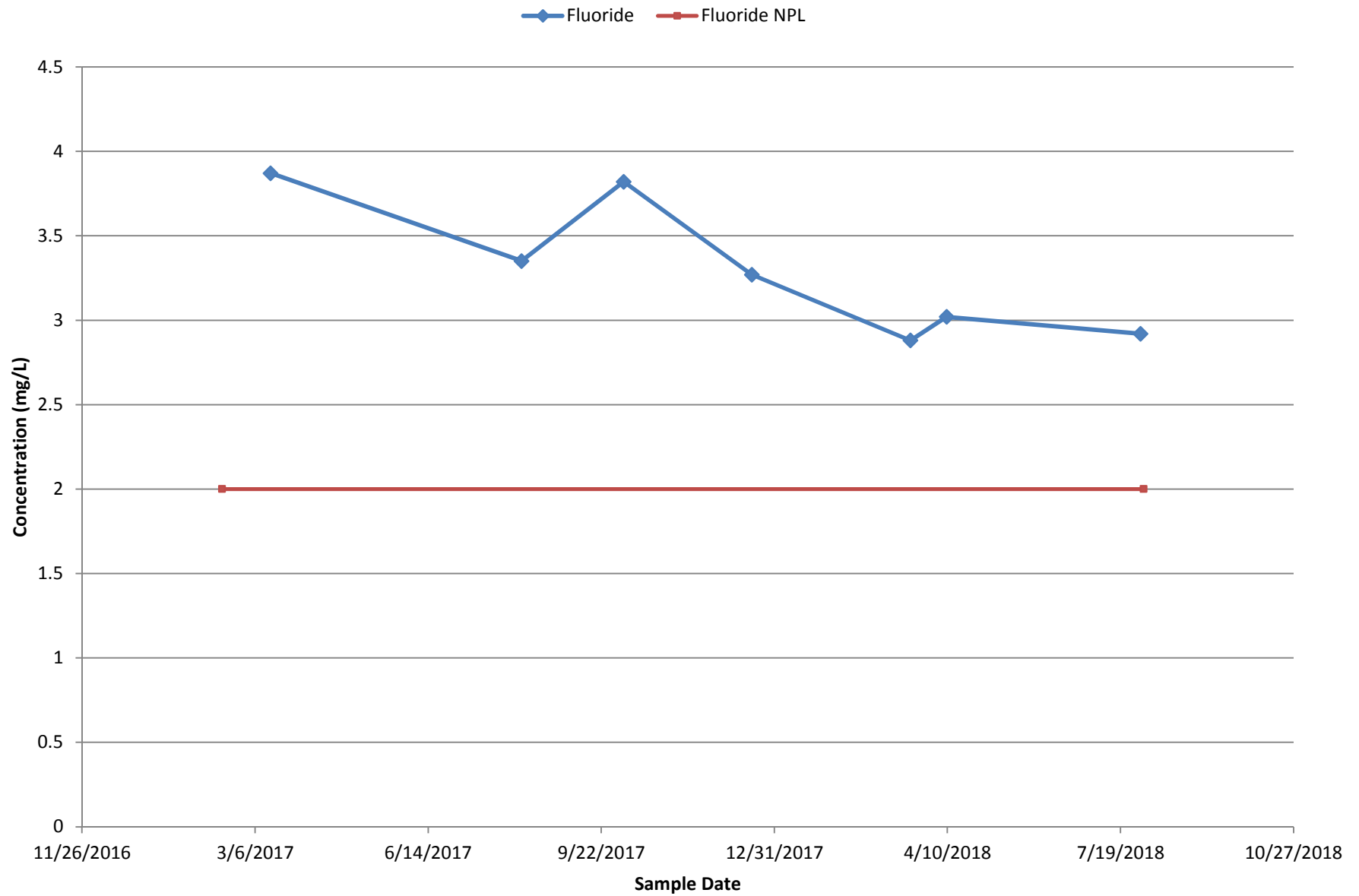
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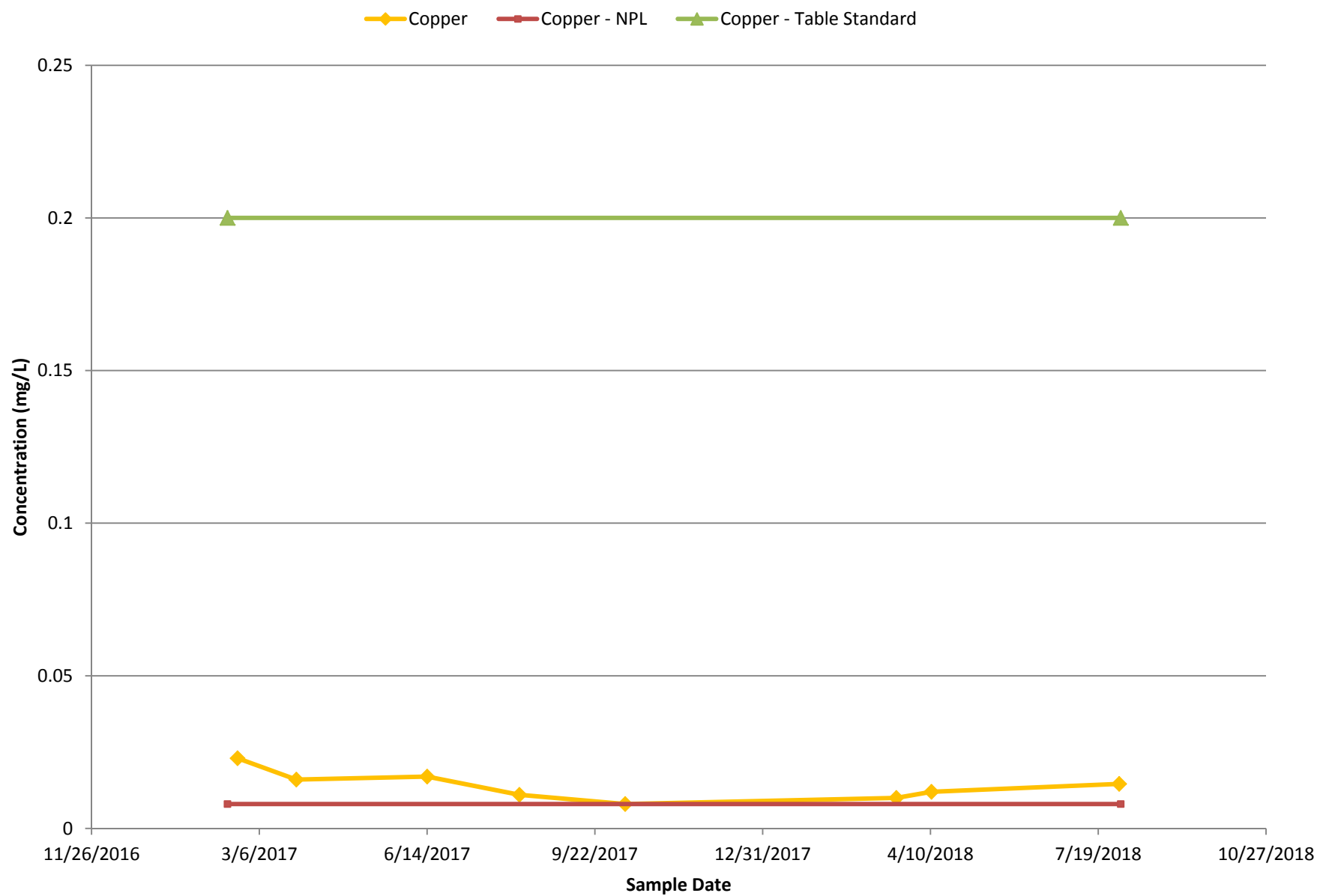
cc: Amy Eschberger, DRMS

Attachments

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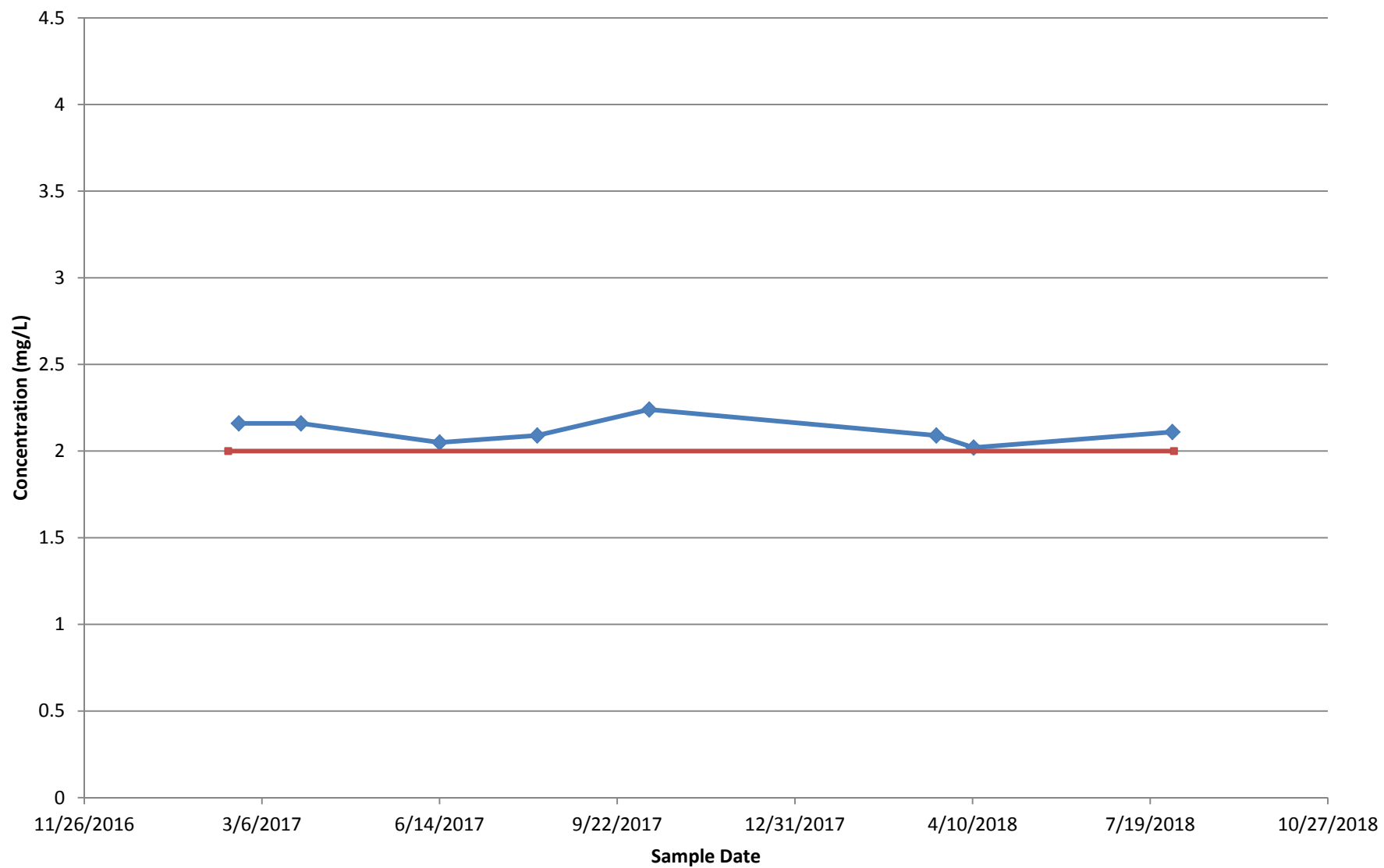


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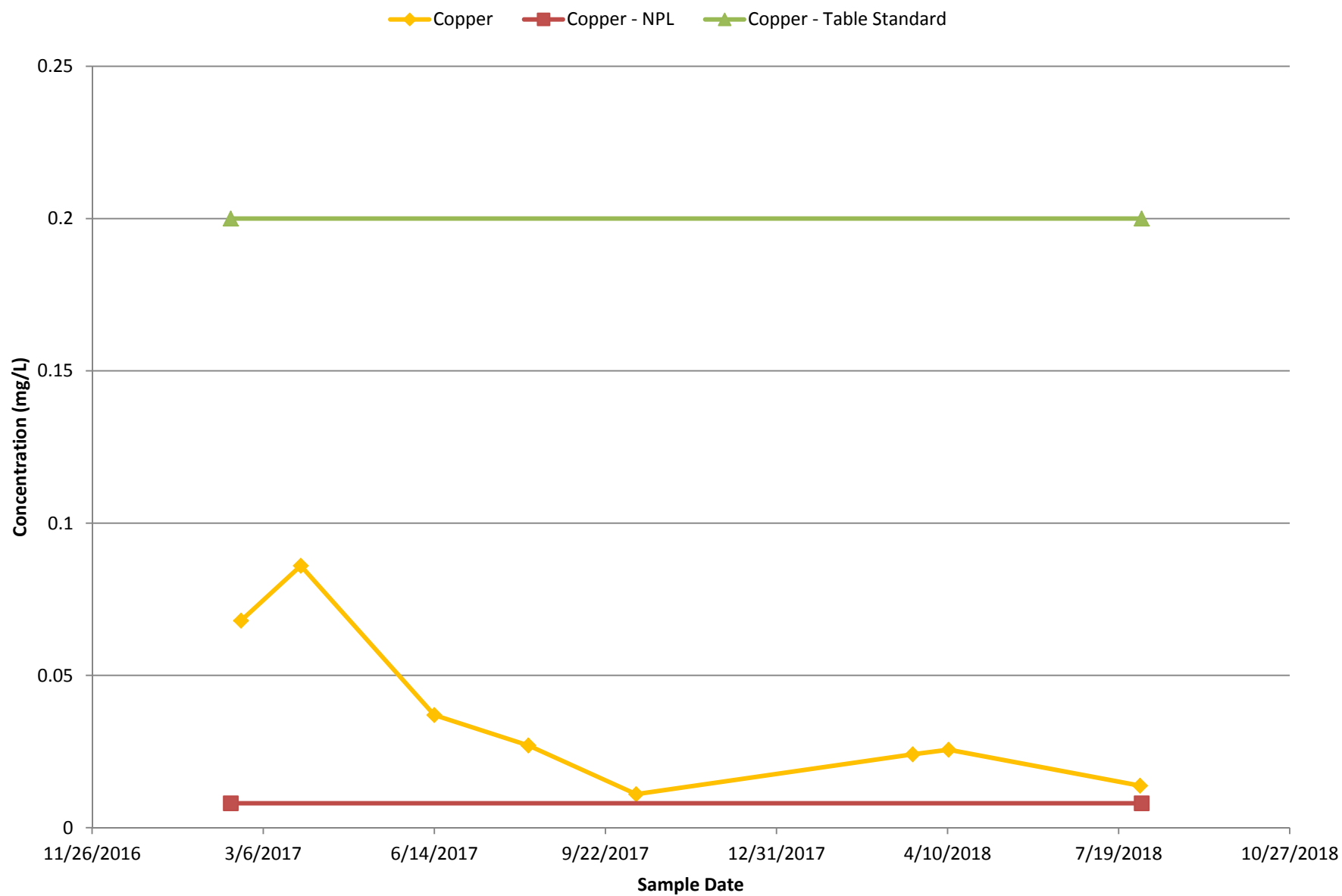


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Fluoride Fluoride - NPL

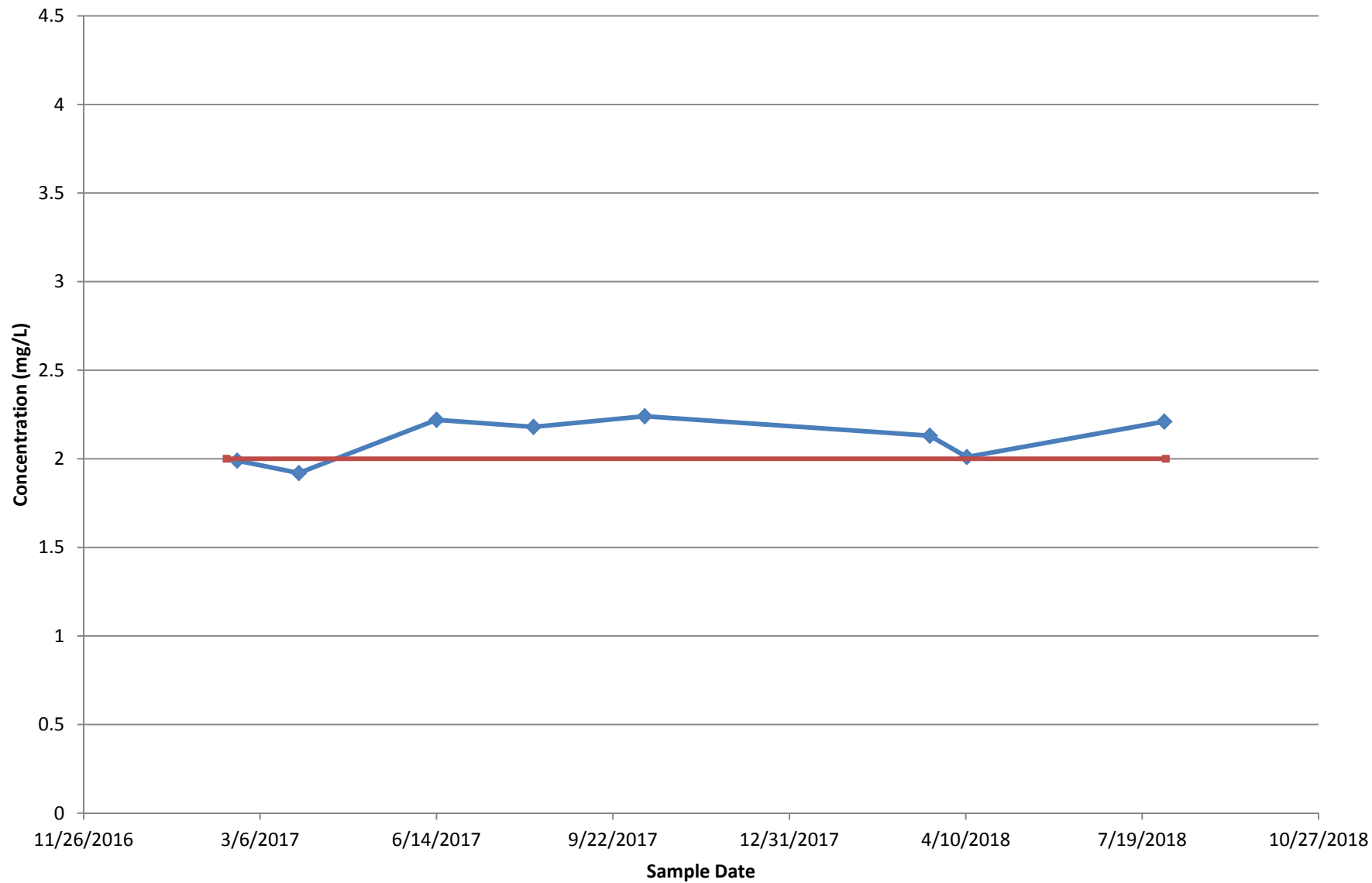


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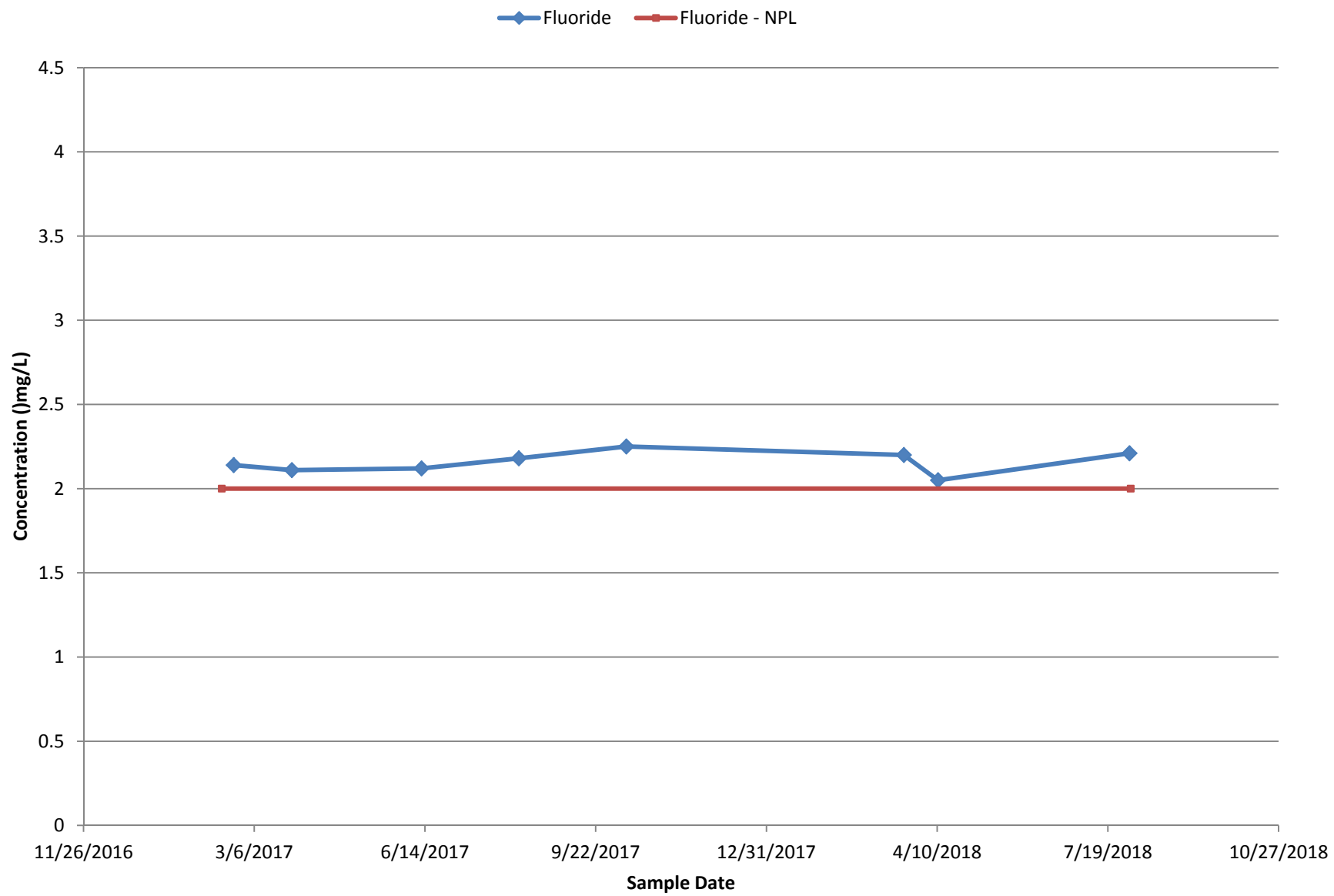


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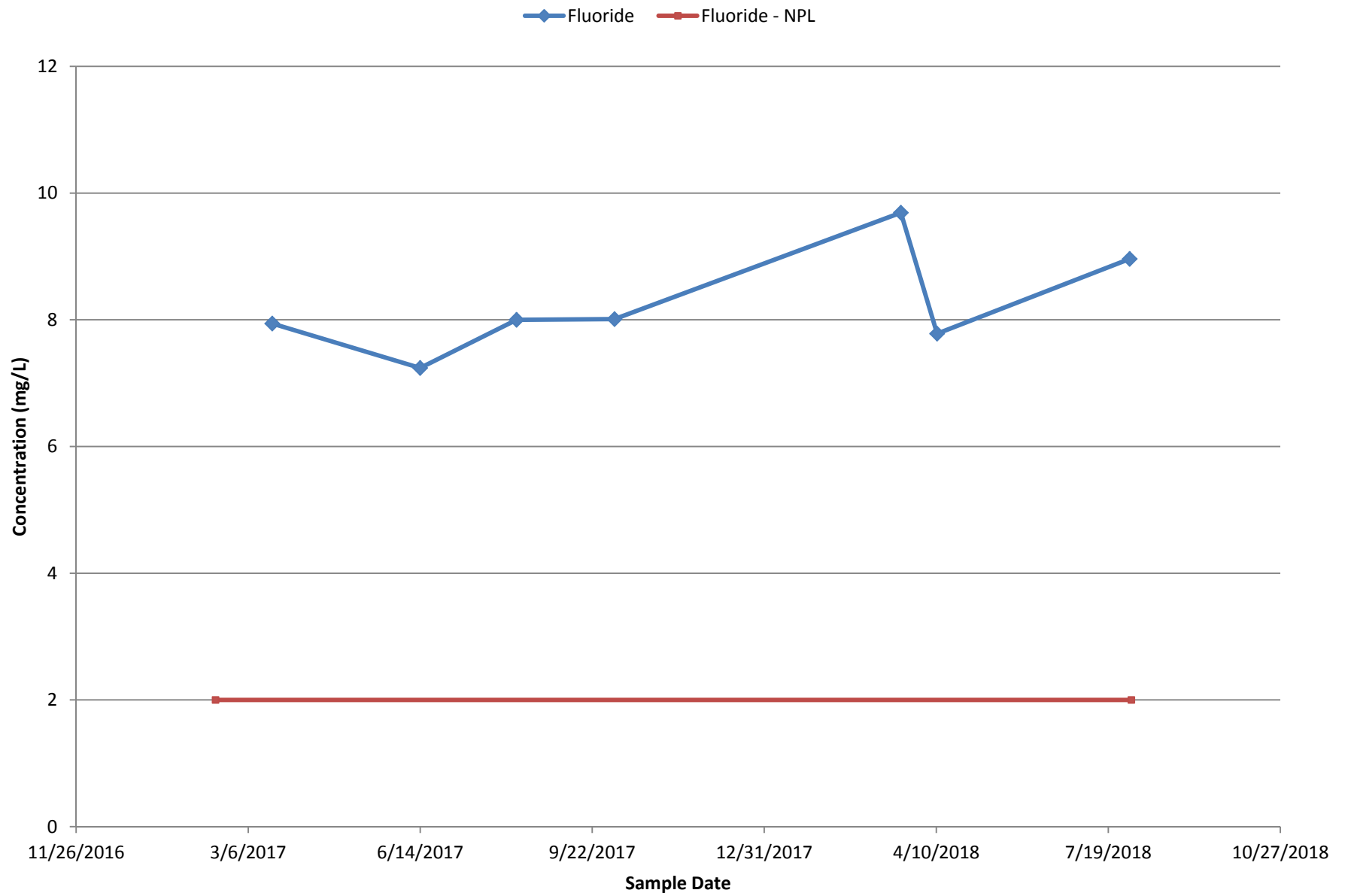
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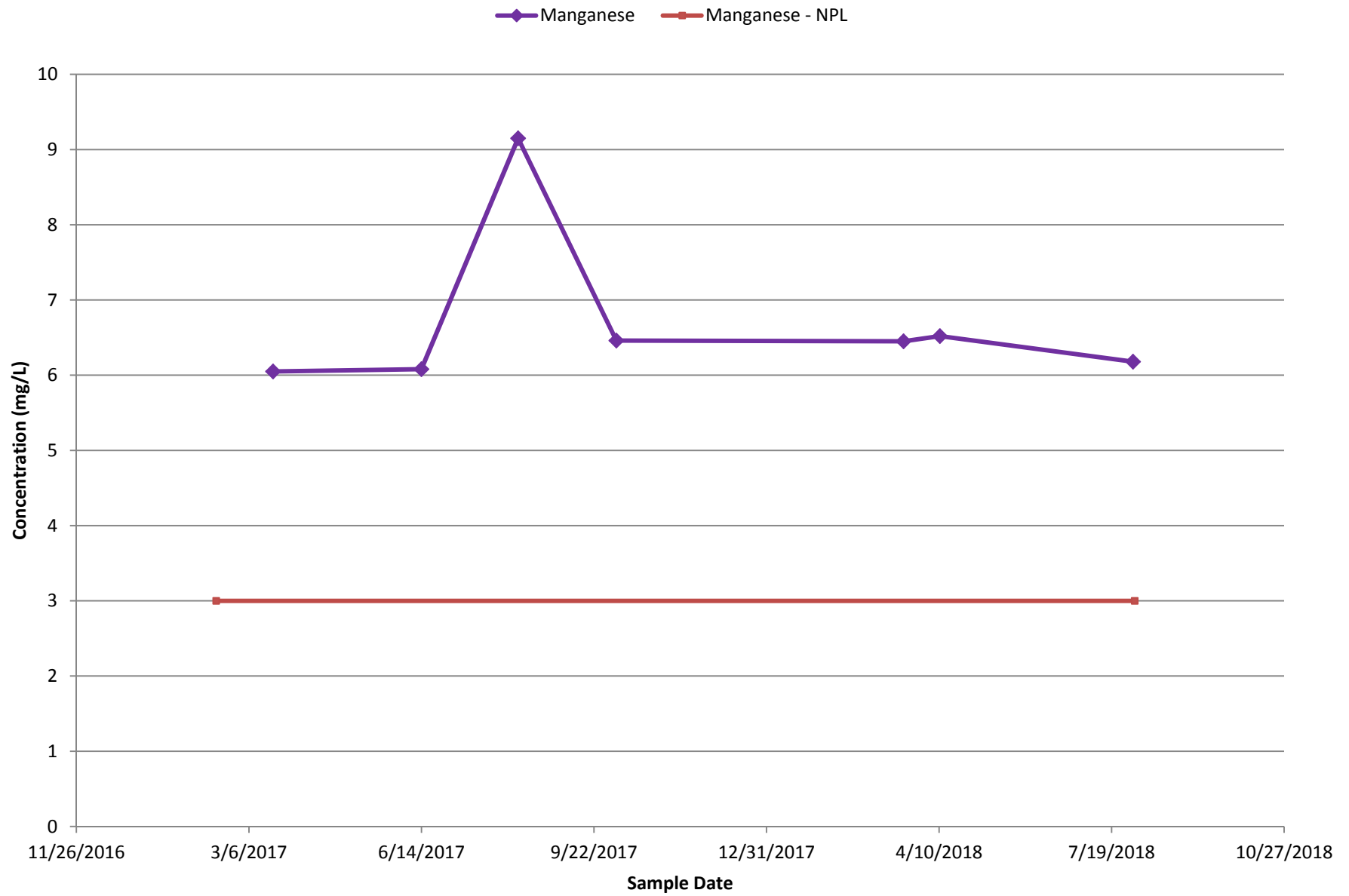
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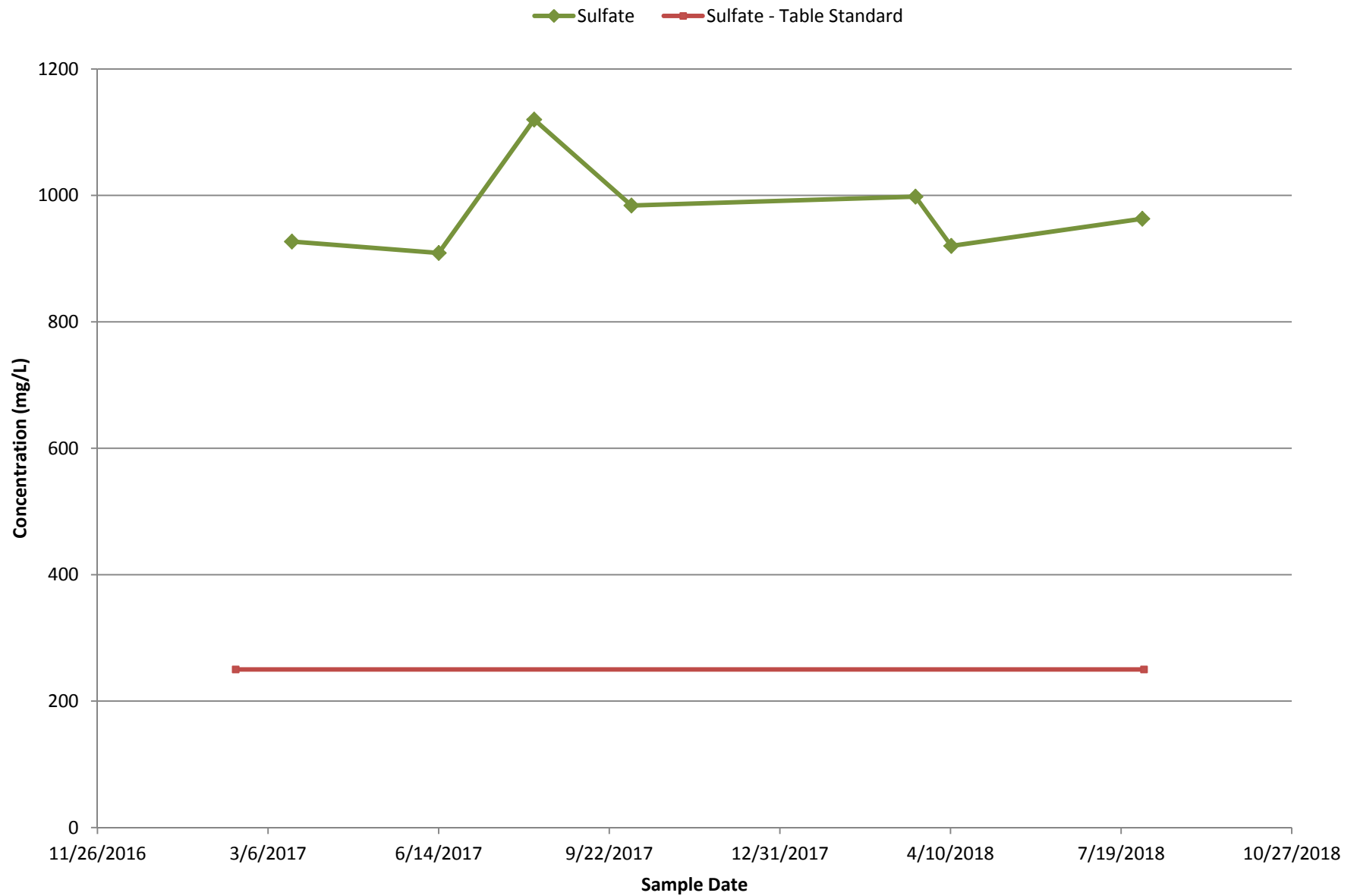
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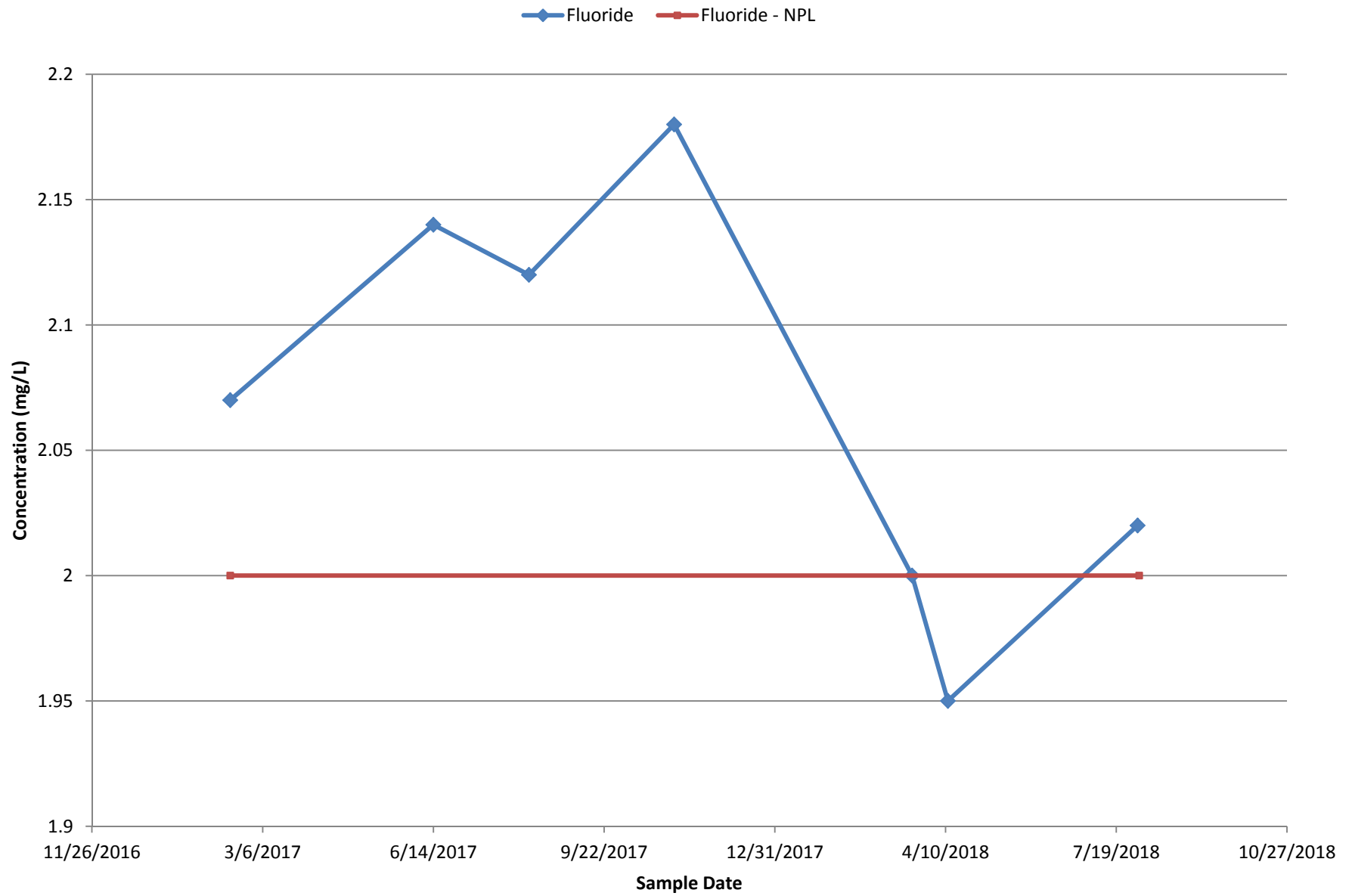
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WCSW-01

