


State of Oregon  
Department of Environmental Quality

Memorandum

**Date:** Jan. 5, 2017  
**To:** Environmental Quality Commission  
**From:** Richard Whitman, Director   
**Subject:** Agenda item M, Informational item and tour: DEQ laboratory and monitoring program  
Jan. 17-19, 2017, EQC meeting

**Why this is important** DEQ's work is supported by the direct scientific analysis provided by its laboratory staff. This item is an opportunity for the commissioners to learn more about the monitoring programs implemented by lab staff and take a brief walking tour of the facility.

**EQC involvement** There is no commission action associated with this item.

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