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Seasonal Inspection Checklist for Howe Ice Flaker

- **1.** Verify correct suction pressure
 - a. Suction pressure will increase / decrease as the weather changes
 - b. Adjust EPR as needed
- 2. Check water filter(s) if applicable
 - a. Clogged waters will restrict water pressure to the flaker
 - b. Be sure water pressure always falls within the required rating (Service Manual)
- **3.** Verify that bearings have been greased
 - a. Upper and lower bearings should be greased every 6 months minimum
 - b. Failure to grease bearings can lead to premature failure
- 4. Confirm that sight glass is full and has a green indicator
 - a. This can identify a possible leak / undercharge
- 5. Clean and sanitize evaporator
 - a. Prevents scale from forming on evaporator, which can affect ice formation / harvesting on freezing surface