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Re: Belmont County
EORWA
Self-monitoring Report Violations
Ohio EPA Permit #OPQ00000*LD
NPDES Permit #OH0049999
Correspondence (PWW/Major)

Board of Trustees
Eastern Ohio Regional Wastewater Authority
P.O. Box 508
Bridgeport, Ohio 43912

Dear Board Members:

We have received your self-monitoring reports covering the months of January through September 2007 for the referenced facility. Our review indicates violations of the conditions of your NPDES permit. The specific instances of noncompliance and/or deficiencies are as follows:

| Outfall | Parameter | Type | Units | Permit Limit | Reported | Date |
|-----------------------|------------------------|----------|--------|--------------|----------|-----------|
| February 2007: | | | | | | |
| 001 | Total Suspended Solids | 30D Conc | mg/L | 30 | 75.9 | 2/1/2007 |
| 001 | Total Suspended Solids | 30D Qty | Kg/day | 568 | 1289 | 2/1/2007 |
| 001 | Total Suspended Solids | 7D Conc | mg/L | 45 | 214 | 2/8/2007 |
| 001 | Total Suspended Solids | 7D Qty | Kg/day | 852 | 3152 | 2/8/2007 |
| 001 | Total Suspended Solids | 7D Conc | mg/L | 45 | 72.5 | 2/15/2007 |
| 001 | Total Suspended Solids | 7D Qty | Kg/day | 852 | 1674 | 2/15/2007 |
| 001 | CBOD 5 day | 7D Qty | Kg/day | 757 | 772 | 2/15/2007 |
| August 2007: | | | | | | |
| 001 | Oil and Grease, Hexane | 1D Conc | mg/L | 10 | 30.1 | 8/7/2007 |

- *NOTES:** 1D Conc = Daily Maximum Concentration Value
1D Qty = Daily Maximum Loading Value
7D Conc = Weekly Average Concentration Value
30D Conc = Monthly Average Concentration Value
7D Qty = Weekly Average Loading Value
30D Qty = Monthly Average Loading Value

Please be advised that failure to comply with the effluent limitations or to satisfy the monitoring or reporting requirements of your NPDES permit may be cause for enforcement action pursuant to the Ohio Revised Code Chapter 6111.

We have received reports for the violations identified above. No further response is required at this time. EORWA must make every effort to comply with the effluent limitations.

The Ohio EPA strongly encourages pollution prevention as the preferred approach for waste management. The first priority of pollution prevention is to eliminate the generation of wastes and pollutants at the source (source reduction). For those wastes or pollutants that are generated, the second priority is to recycle or reuse them in an environmentally sound manner. You can benefit economically, help preserve the environment, and improve your public image by implementing pollution prevention programs. For more information about pollution prevention, including fact sheets or U.S. EPA's "*Facility Pollution Prevention Guide*" (EPA/600/R-92.008), please contact the Ohio EPA Pollution Prevention Section at (614) 644-3469.

If there are any questions, please contact me at (740) 380-5284.

Sincerely,



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