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February 17, 2009

**Re:** Guernsey County  
Pike Elementary School  
Compliance Evaluation Inspection  
Correspondence (PWW)

Mr. Jim Heagen, Superintendent  
East Muskingum Schools  
3505 John Glenn School Road  
New Concord, Ohio 43762-9702

Dear Mr. Heagen:

On February 11, 2009, I conducted a compliance evaluation inspection (CEI) of the Pike Elementary School's wastewater treatment plant. The purpose of the inspection was to determine compliance with the terms and conditions of National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit number 0PT00016\*AD. Custodian, Mark McManaway was present during my inspection.

At the time of my inspection, all components of the treatment system were fully operational. The mixed liquor in the aeration basin as well as the return sludge appeared weak at the time of my inspection. Due to the typical low organic loading in small school package plants, it may be beneficial to consider running the blowers on timers to provide more efficient secondary treatment. Although the waste strength appeared weak, review of recent monthly reports have shown compliance to effluent limits.

At the time of my inspection, the effluent was clear with very little suspended solids and no objectionable odor. Attached is a copy of my detailed inspection report. If you have any questions, please contact me at (740) 380-5416.

Sincerely,

Jake Greuey  
District Representative  
Division of Surface Water

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Enclosure

c: Dale Mallet, Operator

**NPDES**  
Compliance Inspection Report

**A. NATIONAL DATA SYSTEM CODING**

Permit No.	NPDES No.	Date	Inspection Type	Inspector	Facility Type
0PT00016*AD	OH0094889	February 11, 2009	C	S	1

**B. FACILITY DATA**

Name and Location of Facility Inspected	Entry Time	Permit Effective Date
Pike Elementary School WWTP 4533 Peters Creek Rd. New Concord, Ohio	10:25 a.m.	April 1, 2005
	Exit Time	Permit Expiration Date
	10:38 a.m.	March 31, 2010

Name(s) and Title(s) of On-Site Representative(s)	Phone Number(s)
Mark McManaway, Custodian	
Name, Address and Title of Responsible Official	Phone Number
Mr. Jim Heagen, Superintendent East Muskingum Schools 3505 John Glenn School Road New Concord, Ohio 43762-9702	

**C. AREAS EVALUATED DURING INSPECTION**

<u>  </u> S Permit	<u>  </u> S Flow Measurement	<u>  </u> -- Pretreatment
<u>  </u> S Records/Reports	<u>  </u> * Laboratory	<u>  </u> S Compliance Schedules
<u>  </u> S Operations & Maintenance	<u>  </u> S Effluent/Receiving Waters	<u>  </u> S Self-Monitoring Program
<u>  </u> S Facility Site Review	<u>  </u> -- Sludge Storage/Disposal	<u>  </u> Other
<u>  </u> -- Collection System		

(S = Satisfactory, M = Marginal, U = Unsatisfactory, N = Not Evaluated)

**D. SUMMARY OF FINDINGS/COMMENTS** (attach additional sheets if necessary)

See attached letter.

\* Laboratory analysis is conducted by a contract lab which was not evaluated.

  
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Jake Greuey, Inspector, Ohio EPA, Southeast District Office

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Date

  
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Timothy M. Campbell, Reviewer, Ohio EPA, Southeast District Office

2/19/09  
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Date