



**Environmental
Protection Agency**

John R. Kasich, Governor
Mary Taylor, Lt. Governor
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Re: Ashland County
The Cabin
TNC Public Water System
PWS ID # OH0344312
STU # 352806

December 14, 2011

CERTIFIED MAIL

Mr. Kevin Coyne
The Cabin
2106 State Route 603
Ashland, Ohio 44804
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Subject: Notice of Violation for Failure to Respond to a Significant Deficiency

This letter is notification that The Cabin has not complied with requirements issued during this Agency's last survey performed on July 22, 2011, in violation of rule 3745-81-60 of the Ohio Administrative Code. The Cabin was notified in correspondence dated August 3, 2011, to respond in writing no later than 30 days, with time frames for:

1. OAC Rule 3745-91-02(A) states, "No person shall begin construction or installation of a public water system, or make a substantial change in a public water system, until plans therefor have been approved by the director of environmental protection... An application for approval of plans for such construction, installation, or substantial change in a public water system, as required by section 6109.07 of the Revised Code, shall be submitted to the district office..."

The softener system and the pressure tank in use during the survey are not included in approved plans dated July 13, 1993. Submit revised plans to reflect the current public drinking water system.

2. To prevent the possibility of cross-contamination from the facility's waste water system, provide an air gap where the softener discharge line drains into the floor drain. [OAC Rule 3745-95]
3. The electrical conduit connection to the well cap is not threaded and sealed to prevent the entrance of insects and water. Replace the well cap with one that has a watertight connection with the electrical conduit. [OAC Rule 3745-9-05(P)]

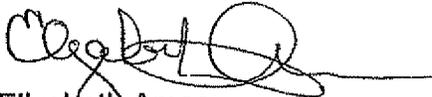
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4. A vent shall be provided on all well caps and seals. Install a cap with a vent that is self-draining, screened with a non-corroding mesh screen of fifteen to thirty mesh, and pointed downward at or above the top of the casing or pitless unit. The vent shall terminate not less than twelve inches above ground surface. [OAC 3745-9-05 (T)].
5. Public water systems shall collect total coliform routine samples at sites which are representative of water throughout the distribution system according to a written sample siting plan. Prepare a written total coliform sample siting plan, using the template provided, and submit a copy to this office. The plan should be maintained and updated as required. [OAC Rule 3745-81-21]

The water system must respond in writing within 15 days from the date of this letter with the required information. Failure to comply may result in further enforcement action.

If you have any questions, please contact me at 419-373-3107 or elizabeth.ames@epa.state.oh.us.

Sincerely,



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