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**Re: Pickaway County
Village of Williamsport
Community Water System
PWS ID: 6503012**The Honorable Jeff Kaiser
Village of Williamsport
P.O. Box 215
Williamsport, OH 43164**Re: NOTICE OF VIOLATION**

Dear Mayor Kaiser:

In accordance with Ohio Administrative Code (OAC) Rule 3745-83-01(C)(1), community water systems are required to maintain a minimum chlorine residual of at least 0.2 mg/L free or 1.0 mg/L combined chlorine throughout the distribution system. OAC Rule 3745-83-01(G)(1) & (2) requires the public water system owner to monitor for free and combined chlorine residuals at least once every day. According to the Village's April 2009, monthly operating report, the chlorine residuals were below the minimum levels within the distribution system for ten days during the month.

In accordance with Ohio Administrative Code (OAC) 3745-83-01(G)(9) & (10), public water systems that are required to monitor for iron and manganese must monitor for iron and manganese by one of the following methods:

1. Use an in-house test kit to monitor the iron and manganese concentrations daily at each entry point into the distribution system. Have one split sample analyzed monthly by the in-house test kit and by a certified laboratory. Verify that the deviations between the results are no greater than 0.2 mg/L for iron and 0.04 mg/L for manganese.
2. Monitor for iron and manganese at least weekly at each entry point into the distribution system using a state certified laboratory.

According to the April 2009 Williamsport monthly operating report, the village did not report any iron or manganese results constituting a violation of OAC 3745-83-01.

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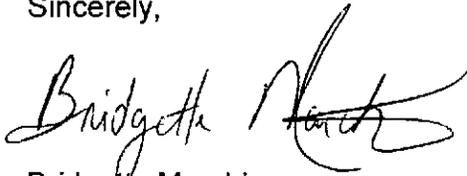
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In accordance with Ohio Administrative Code (OAC) 3745-83-01(G)(8), a public water system serving two hundred and fifty or more persons that provide ion exchange treatment or membrane technology to reduce hardness shall monitor for hardness at least weekly at each entry point to the distribution system using a state certified laboratory. According to the April 2009 monthly report, the Village only reported one of the four required samples constituting another violation of OAC 3745-83-01.

Within 10 days of the date of this letter you are required to submit in writing a plan of action to ensure that proper chlorine residuals are being maintained and operational monitoring is being conducted as required at your facility.

If you have any questions, please call me at (614) 728-3870.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Bridgette Marchio".

Bridgette Marchio
Environmental Specialist
Division of Drinking and Ground Waters
Central District Office

c: Pickaway County Health Department
Williamsport Utilities Committee
Mr. Jim Bennett, Williamsport Operator
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