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May 15, 2009

Mr. Tommy Sedler  
Home City Ice  
5709 Harrison Avenue  
Cincinnati, Ohio 45211

Re: Hamilton County, Home City Ice, NPDES Permit Violations

Dear Mr. Sedler:

We have reviewed your Monthly Operating Reports (MORs) covering the months of January through March 2009 for the referenced facility. Our review indicates violations of the conditions of your NPDES Permit (NPDES Permit # OH0133795; OEPA Permit # 1PX00035\*BD). The specific instances of noncompliance and deficiencies were as follows:

Effluent Limit Violations for January through March 2009					
Reporting Period	Parameter	Limit Type	Units	Permit Limit	Reported Value
March 2009	TSS	Monthly	mg/l	12	15
March 2009	TSS	Monthly	kg/day	0.091	0.13
March 2009	CBOD5	Monthly	mg/l	10	11
March 2009	CBOD5	Monthly	kg/day	0.076	0.096

Home City Ice is required to upgrade their WWTP as soon as possible. This requirement was also addressed in my February 9, 2009 Notice of Violation letter. At this time, I have failed to receive any response to this letter. Please indicate what actions are being taken to upgrade this treatment plant.

Please be advised that failure to comply with the effluent limitations your NPDES Permit may be cause for enforcement action pursuant to the Ohio Revised Code Chapter 6111.

Please inform this office, in writing, within ten days of receipt of this notification as to the reasons for the above referenced violations, as well as a description of the actions taken or proposed to prevent any further violations. Your response should include the dates, either

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actual or proposed, for completion of the actions. Future violations must be reported as required by the NPDES Permit as detailed in Part III.12 titled "Noncompliance Notification."

If you have any questions regarding the above, please contact me at (937) 285-6096.

Sincerely,



~~Ned Sarle~~  
Division of Surface Water  
Permit Section

cc: Andy Griner, Winelco, Inc.