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March 12, 2009

Ms. Donna Sunderhaus  
St. John the Baptist Church and School  
5361 Dry Ridge Road  
Cincinnati, Ohio 45252

Re: Hamilton County, St. John the Baptist Church and School, NPDES Permit Violations

Dear Ms. Sunderhaus:

We have reviewed your Discharge Monitoring Reports (DMRs) covering the months of October 2008 through January 2009 for the referenced facility. Our review indicates violations of the conditions of your NPDES Permit (NPDES Permit # OH0046973; OEPA Permit # 1PT00047\*AD). The specific instances of noncompliance were as follows:

Effluent Limit Violations for October 2008 through January 2009					
Reporting Period	Parameter	Limit Type	Units	Permit Limit	Reported Value
October 2008	Ammonia	Monthly	mg/l	1.0	2.8
October 2008	Ammonia	Weekly	mg/l	1.5	2.8
November 2008	TSS	Monthly	mg/l	12	24
November 2008	Ammonia	Monthly	mg/l	3.0	26
November 2008	TSS	Weekly	mg/l	18	24
November 2008	Ammonia	Weekly	mg/l	4.5	26
December 2008	TSS	Monthly	mg/l	12	60
December 2008	Ammonia	Monthly	mg/l	3.0	19
December 2008	Ammonia	Weekly	mg/l	4.5	19
December 2008	TSS	Weekly	mg/l	18	60
January 2009	TSS	Monthly	mg/l	12	29
January 2009	Ammonia	Monthly	mg/l	3.0	5.1
January 2009	TSS	Weekly	mg/l	18	29
January 2009	Ammonia	Weekly	mg/l	4.5	5.1

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

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We have reviewed your reports addressing the reasons for the above violations and the actions being taken to prevent further occurrences. No additional information is requested at this time. Future violations must continue to be reported as required by the NPDES Permit as detailed in Part III.12 titled "Noncompliance Notification." Future NPDES Permit violations may also be reported in accordance to the new Ohio EPA reporting requirements. These reporting requirements are addressed at the following Ohio EPA website: [http://www.epa.state.oh.us/dsw/permits/24-hour\\_Report\\_FactSheet.pdf](http://www.epa.state.oh.us/dsw/permits/24-hour_Report_FactSheet.pdf).

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: Greg Ross, Winelco, Inc.