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April 21, 2011

Mr. Lin Hensley
Village Administrator
Village of Richwood
Department of Utilities
286 South Franklin Street
Richwood, OH 43344

Re: **NPDES 4IW00121 / OH0054500**
Village of Richwood Water Treatment Plant
Reconnaissance Inspection
Union County

Dear Mr. Hensley:

On April 13, 2011, a Reconnaissance Inspection was conducted at the Village of Richwood Water Treatment Plant (WTP). Present for the inspection were you and John Grosse, representing the Village, and Kelly Thiel and myself of Ohio EPA; Central District Office, Division of Surface Water.

The National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit will expire on May 31, 2011. The purpose of the inspection was to inform the Village of the requirement of submitting a renewal application and to determine compliance with the NPDES permit. Instead, the Village indicated that the NPDES permit would no longer be needed as the outfall would be connected to a sanitary sewer. The backwash filter water from the water treatment plant will continue to be routed to a settling pond before discharging to the sanitary sewer.

In an e-mail on April 13, 2011, Kelly Thiel stated that a PTI would be required for the sanitary sewer and that permit termination would be granted after the sanitary sewer was installed. The e-mail also stated that a renewal application would still be required if the installation took longer than a few months. **Please submit a permit renewal application by May 31, 2011, if the sewer installation is not completed.**

Attached are the Reconnaissance Inspection Report, permit effluent violations, and missing data submittals. **Please review your records and resubmit the eDMRs for the missing data.** There are no additional items which require a response.

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If you have any questions or comments concerning the enclosed inspection report, please contact me at (614) 728-3846 or by e-mail at cole.miller@epa.ohio.gov.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Cole Miller".

Cole Miller
Environmental Specialist
Field Operations Unit
Division of Surface Water
Central District Office

Enclosures

NPDES Compliance Inspection Report

SECTION A: NATIONAL DATA SYSTEM CODING					
Permit #	NPDES#	Month/Day/Year	Inspection Type	Inspector	Facility Type
4IW00121	OH0054500	4/13/11	R	S	2

SECTION B: FACILITY DATA		
Name and Location of Facility Inspected	Entry Time	Permit Effective Date
Village of Richwood Water Treatment Plant 302 Franklin St. Richwood, Ohio 43344	10:50 AM	June 1, 2006
	Exit Time	Permit Expiration Date
	11:10 AM	May 31, 2011
Name(s) and Title(s) of On-Site Representatives	Phone Number(s)	
Lin Hensley, Village Administrator John Grosse	(740) 943-3315	
Name and Title of Responsible Official	Phone Number	
Lin Hensley, Village Administrator 286 South Franklin St. Richwood, Ohio 43344	(740) 943-3315	

SECTION C: AREAS EVALUATED DURING INSPECTION		
Key: S = Satisfactory, M = Marginal, U = Unsatisfactory, N = Not Evaluated		
S*	Permit	A permit renewal application may need to be submitted.
N	Records/Reports	
N	Operations & Maintenance	
S	Facility Site Review	
S	Collection System	
N	Flow Measurement	
N	Laboratory	
S	Effluent/Receiving Waters	
N	Sludge Storage/Disposal	
N	Pretreatment	
N	Compliance Schedule	
S*	Self-Monitoring Program	Some data submittals are missing.

Note: The outfall is going to be connected to sanitary in the near future.

Signatures			
	4/21/11		4/21/11
Cole Miller, Inspector Compliance & Enforcement Division of Surface Water Central District Office	Date	Erin Sherer, Reviewer Compliance & Enforcement Supervisor Division of Surface Water Central District Office	Date

Richwood PCS Effluent Violation

Reporting Period	Parameter	Limit Type	Limit	Reported Value	Violation Date
Jun-08	pH	1D Conc	6.5	4.5	6/24/2008

Richwood PCS Frequency Violations

Reporting Period	Parameter	Sample Frequency	Expected	Reported	Violation Date
Jul-08	Flow Rate	1/Day	1	0	07/26/2008
Jul-08	Flow Rate	1/Day	1	0	07/27/2008
Jul-08	Flow Rate	1/Day	1	0	07/28/2008
Jul-08	Flow Rate	1/Day	1	0	07/29/2008
Jul-08	Flow Rate	1/Day	1	0	07/30/2008
Jul-08	Flow Rate	1/Day	1	0	07/31/2008
Sep-08	Trihalomethane, Total	1/Year	1	0	09/01/2008