

State of Ohio

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Ted Strickland, Governor  
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February 22, 2008

RE: WAYNE COUNTY  
WHISPERING PINES ESTATES  
COMMUNITY PWS  
PWS ID # OH8502912

Whispering Pines Estates - Orrville  
5106 Wadsworth Road  
Orrville, OH 44667

**Subject: Notice of Violation - Failure to Sample Drinking Water as Required  
for Total Coliforms**

Dear Sir or Madam:

Your public water system is in violation of Rule 3745-81-21 of the Ohio Administrative Code for failure to comply with the coliform monitoring requirements:

<b>Monitoring Period:</b>	<b>January 2008</b>
<b>Required Coliform Sampling:</b>	<b>One per Month</b>
<b>Sample Results Submitted:</b>	<b>None</b>

Please note that this is the 4<sup>th</sup> consecutive month in which total coliform samples have not been collected. Owners or operators who fail to comply with Ohio's safe drinking water laws and regulations are subject to civil penalties of up to \$25,000 per day per violation under Ohio Revised Code Section 6109.33.

#### Actions required as a result of the above violation

Step 1	<p><b>Within 30 days</b> issue the attached public notice of the violation in accordance with rule 3745-81-32 of the Ohio Administrative Code by the following methods:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Mail or other direct delivery to each customer receiving a bill and to other service connections; and</li> <li>2. If necessary, the system must also use any other method reasonably calculated to reach all persons served by the public water system.</li> </ol> <p>Note: Systems opting to include the required public notice in the next water bill have up to 90 days. <i>The language in italic on the attached public notice is mandatory language and must be included as written.</i></p>
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Step 2	Within ten (10) days of completing <b>Step 1</b> above, fill out the attached verification form and send along with a copy of the public notification issued to the District Office of the Ohio EPA.
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If samples were taken, we have not received the results. Please forward a copy of the results to my attention. Late reporting is a reporting violation but if the sample was taken and a result obtained, you will not need to issue the attached public notice.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (330) 963-1194.

Sincerely,



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Environmental Specialist  
Division of Drinking and Ground Waters

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cc: Toni Buchanan, Ohio EPA, Central Office, DDAGW  
Wayne County Health Department  
Nancy Glenny, Ohio EPA, NEDO, DDAGW