

**Environmental
Protection Agency**

Commissioner, Governor
Deputy Commissioner, Lt. Governor
District Engineer, Director

January 7, 2011

RE: SEBRING WTP
1191 KNOX SCHOOL ROAD
NPDES PERMIT NO. 3IV00182

NOTICE OF VIOLATION

Mayor and Council
Village of Sebring
135 East Ohio Street
Sebring, OH 44672

Ladies and Gentlemen:

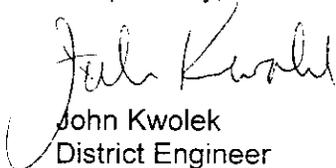
The NPDES Permit for the Sebring Water Treatment Plant (3IV00182) expired on August 31, 2010. Page 1, paragraph 4 of the permit contains a requirement that the village submit a permit renewal application no later than six months prior to the expiration date. Based on that condition of the permit, the village was required to submit a permit renewal application no later than February 31, 2010. To date, the village has not submitted the required permit renewal application.

Failure to submit the renewal application, as required, places the village in Significant Noncompliance (SNC) with the NPDES Permit. Be advised that failure to comply with the permit also constitutes a violation of Ohio Revised Code (R.C.) 6111.07 and is subject to enforcement action by the Ohio EPA.

The village must submit an NPDES Permit renewal application for the Sebring WTP as soon as possible but no later than February 14, 2011. Failure to do so will cause the village to be referred for enforcement action.

You may contact this office at (330) 963-1251 to discuss any questions you may have regarding this inspection report.

Respectfully,



John Kwolek
District Engineer
Division of Surface Water

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cc: Mr. James Bates, Superintendent, Sebring WTP

File: Industrial/Sebring WTP/Permit and Compliance