



**Environmental
Protection Agency**

John R. Kasich, Governor
Mary Taylor, Lt. Governor
Scott J. Nally, Director

Re: Ottawa County
Chet's Place Campground
NPDES Permit

August 30, 2011

Mr. Robert Provonsha, Owner
Chet's Place Campground
7154 West Harbor Road
Port Clinton, Ohio 43452

Dear Mr. Provonsha:

On August 15, 2011, an inspection was made of the wastewater treatment plant serving Chet's Place Campground. In general, both operation and maintenance appeared good. At the time of my visit, all major treatment components were in operation and a clear final effluent was observed being discharged from the plant. Disinfection and dechlorination tablets were present in the tube feeders.

NPDES monthly discharge monitoring reports are being received and indicate periodic violations since the beginning of the year. A copy is enclosed to review with your operator.

Your NPDES permit expires on October 31, 2011, and we have received your renewal application. In the near future, you will be receiving a draft copy of the permit renewal. You should review it carefully, as there is a 30 day comment period to respond to any permit conditions. Once issued as a final document, it will remain in effect for another five year period.

Please find enclosed a copy of our inspection report. If there are any errors, or if you have any questions, please call me at (419) 373-3020 or email at rick.zuzik@epa.state.oh.us.

Sincerely,



Richard A. Zuzik, MSE
Division of Surface Water

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Enclosures

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OHIO ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE INSPECTION
WWTP'S LESS THAN 25,000 GPD

NPDES Permit No. 2PR00234

Facility Name Chet's Place Campground Expiration Date 10-31-11

Facility Address 7154 W. Harbor Rd Date 8-15-11 Time _____ am/pm

City _____ County Ottawa Township Salem

Name and Address of Owner Robert Provansha

Person Contacted none Owner Phone (419) 898-1104

Flow: Design 3500 GPD Present _____ GPD (metered - estimated)

Trib. Pop. 75 lots - seasonal (actual - estimated) Weather at time of inspection: Temp 80° Clear

OEPA Personnel Rick Zuzik District NWDO

1. Plant Effluent - Mark Severity No.

No.	Severity Description	No.	Turbidity	No.	Odor	No.	Color
<u>0</u>	None		Clear		None		Colorless
1	Mild						
2	Moderate		Light Solids		Musty		Grey
3	Serious						
4	Extreme		Heavy Solids		Septic		Black

2. Effect of effluent on Receiving Stream Name: Portage River - Not Observed

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0	None		Clear		None		Colorless
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2	Moderate		Light Solids		Musty		Grey
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3. a. Plant has _____ excellent _____ good _____ fair _____ poor operation
 b. Plant has _____ excellent _____ good _____ fair _____ poor maintenance
 c. Sand filters have _____ excellent _____ good _____ fair _____ poor maintenance

d. Not operating at expected efficiency due to:

- (1) _____ hydraulic overload
 (2) _____ organic/ solids overload
 (3) _____ personnel inefficiency
 (4) _____ equipment failure
 (5) _____ wastes
 (6) _____

Disinfection: (Required May 1 thru Oct.31.)

IN <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	OUT _____	Chlorination Tablets
_____	_____	Dechlorination Tablets
_____	_____	U.V.

Yes No

4. Compliance with NPDES Permit

Periodic Violations Y N Parameters: Suspended Solids, Ammonia

Chronic Violations _____

5. Adequate plant safety No fence

6. _____ Operation and Maintenance Service? Name _____

Frequency of Visits _____

Facility Name: Chets

Process	# Units	Unit	If Needed - Description and Comments
Preliminary	1	Trash Trap	Pumping Frequency:
		Grease Trap	Pumping Frequency:
		Bar Screen	
		Comminutor	
	1	Flow Equalization	
Aeration Equipment		Plant Timer ___Y___N	Cycle Time:
	2	Motor/ Blower Unit	
Secondary Treatment	1	Aeration Tank	Color: Dilute Adequate Aeration: Y___N___
Final Settling	1	Clarifier	good settlin)
	1	Sludge Return	In / Out
	1	Surface Skimmer	In / Out
		Fixed Media Clarifier	
Tertiary Treatment	2	Surface Sand Filter	Well kept
		Polishing Pond	
		Other	
Disinfection	1	Contact Tank	clear
	1	Chlorine Tube Feeder	IN
	1	Dechlorination Tube Feeder	IN
		Ultraviolet (UV)	
Flow Metering		Elapsed Pump Time	
		Recorder (continuous total)	
Pumps		Raw Wastewater (type)	
		Sand Filter Effluent Dosing	
Sludge Handling		Aerated Storage Tank	
		Sludge Drying Bed	
Sludge Disposal		Municipal POTW	
		Landfill	
		Land Application	
Advanced Treatment	✓	Post Aeration	IN
		Spray Irrigation	
		Other	

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Permit No.	Reporting Period	Station	Reporting Code	Parameter	Limit Type	Limit	Reported Value	Violation Date
2PR00234*AD	June 2011	001	00530	Total Suspended Solids	30D Conc	12	18.	6/1/2011
2PR00234*AD	June 2011	001	00610	Nitrogen, Ammonia (NH3)	30D Conc	1.0	3.85	6/1/2011
2PR00234*AD	June 2011	001	00610	Nitrogen, Ammonia (NH3)	30D Qty	0.0133	.01457	6/1/2011
2PR00234*AD	June 2011	001	00610	Nitrogen, Ammonia (NH3)	1D Conc	1.5	3.85	6/2/2011
2PR00234*AD	June 2011	001	00530	Total Suspended Solids	1D Conc	18	35.	6/16/2011