



**Environmental
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September 4, 2012

MAHONING COUNTY
SOUTH RANGE LOCAL SCHOOLS K-12
NON-TRANSIENT PUBLIC WATER SYSTEM
PWS ID #OH5054712

Mr. Dennis Dunham, Superintendent
South Range Local Schools
11822 South Avenue
North Lima, OH 44452

RE: NOTICE OF VIOLATION

Dear Mr. Dunham:

This letter is notification that the South Range Local Schools K-12 Public Water System (PWS) is in violation of Ohio Administrative Code (OAC) Rule 3745-83-01 for failure to maintain a minimum of 0.2 mg/L free chlorine residual measured at representative points in the distribution system.

This violation of the OAC is based upon information submitted by the South Range Local Schools K-12 PWS as reported on *Monthly Operating Report (MOR) #5002* for the month of July 2012. Below is a table which indicates the reporting months and the number of days when the free chlorine residual was less than 0.2 mg/L or was not recorded.

Reporting Month	Number of days the free chlorine residual < 0.2 mg/L
July 2012	7

The evaluation/investigation and corrective actions described in your May 2nd, May 14th, and August 29th, 2012 responses to the previous low free chlorine residual *Notice of Violation* should continue until this issue is resolved, and free chlorine residuals in the distribution system are maintained above 0.2 mg/L. With the start of the new school year approaching, please provide a written explanation updating the status of your corrective actions within 30 days of the date of this letter.

If you have any questions, please contact me directly at (330) 963-1164.

Respectfully,

Chris Maslo
Environmental Specialist
Division of Drinking and Ground Waters

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ec: Kim Etters, Ohio EPA, DDAGW-DW, NEDO