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Re: Crawford County
Crestline City PWS
Community Water System
PWS ID #1700112

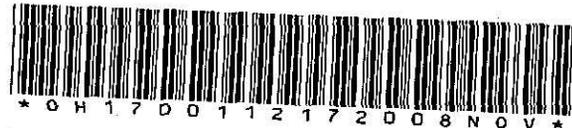
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CRESTLINE CITY PWS

1/7/2008

Todd M. Hoffman, Superintendent
Crestline City WTP
100 North Seltzer Street
Crestline, Ohio 44827-1949



SUBJECT: CCR VIOLATION

Dear Mr. Hoffman:

Ohio EPA received the 2006 Consumer Confidence Report (CCR) for the Crestline City public water system (PWS) on July 2, 2007. The CCR was reviewed for the required content. Based on our review, the Crestline City PWS is in violation of the Ohio Administrative Code (OAC) Rules 3745-96-01 through 04 for failure to comply with the CCR requirements, the following violations were noted:

1. The required source water assessment information was missing.

Your source water assessment was completed and the report was sent to you on November 3, 2003. You were required to notify consumers of the availability of the assessment and how to obtain a copy. The inclusion of a brief summary of your source water susceptibility to contamination based on the findings of the source water assessment was required. A summary was provided to you in Attachment 'A' as part of the source water assessment report that was sent to you. That summary or equivalent language must be included in each CCR.

The following language was suggested for your CCR:

"The aquifer that supplies drinking water to the City of Crestline has a moderate susceptibility to contamination, due to the moderate sensitivity of the aquifer in which the drinking water well(s) (are) is located and the existence of potential contaminant sources within the protection zone. This does not mean that this wellfield will become contaminated, only that conditions are such that the ground water could be impacted by potential contaminant sources. Future contamination may be avoided by implementing protective measures. More information is available by calling [insert your contact #]."

2. The Residual Disinfectant category, concerning Total Chlorine levels measured at the same time that routine and repeat bacterial samples are obtained, was omitted from the Table of Detected Contaminants. These levels are reported on the Total Chlorine Residual Quarterly Operating Report form 5114. Blank monthly/quarterly reporting forms are available via the internet on the Ohio EPA website at <http://www.epa.state.oh.us/ddagw/drinkforms.htm>.

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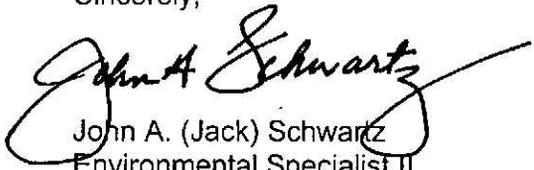
3. There were also deviations/irregularities within the Table that were unacceptable. Such as the 'Volatile Organic Contaminant' and 'Residual Disinfectant' categories were omitted. The Total Trihalomethane and Haloacetic Acids (HAA5) Volatile Organic contaminants were presented individually instead of being grouped together. The level found value regarding the Inorganic contaminant Barium was incorrect.
4. Two of the required definitions for terms that were to have been used in the report were not included, specifically, the maximum residual disinfectant level (MRDL) and its associated goal (MRDLG).

Be sure to correct the violations as appropriate in your next CCR. The next report for calendar year 2007 must be sent to your customers by no later than July 1, 2008. A copy of the CCR along with a Certification Form must be submitted to the Northwest District Office at the above address. Violations in future reports may result in further enforcement action.

The CCR Template and Template Instruction Guide are accessible via the internet on the Ohio EPA website at www.epa.state.oh.us/ddagw/ccr.html.

If you have any questions, then please contact me directly by telephone at (419) 373-3088 or via the internet at jack.schwartz@epa.state.oh.us.

Sincerely,



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