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Re: Paulding County  
Village of Antwerp  
Community Water System  
PWS ID# 6300012

July 29, 2008

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ANTWERP VILLAGE WATER

7/29/2008

Ms. Sara Keeran, Village Administrator  
Village of Antwerp  
P.O. Box 1046  
Antwerp, Ohio 45813-1046



Dear Ms. Keeran:

The Ohio Environmental Protection Agency (Ohio EPA), Division of Drinking and Ground Waters (DDAGW), has received and reviewed the Plant-Distribution Monthly Operating Report (EPA form 5002) for the months of May and June 2008.

Ohio Administrative Code (OAC) Rule 3745-83-01(G)(9)(b) and (G)(10)(b) specify that, a public water system serving two hundred and fifty or more persons that provides treatment to reduce iron and manganese shall monitor for iron at least weekly at each entry point into the distribution system using a state certified laboratory. The frequency of certified laboratory analyses can be reduced to no less than once each month provided the following conditions are met:

The public water system monitors once every day that water is available to the public for iron and manganese using an in-house test kit at each entry point into the distribution system. The test kit shall have a minimum detection level of 0.2 milligrams per liter for iron and 0.02 milligrams per liter for manganese; and

The public water system has one split sample analyzed monthly by an in-house test kit and by a certified laboratory. The deviation between results shall be no greater than 0.2 milligrams per liter for iron or 0.04 milligrams per liter for manganese. If the split samples vary by more than the specified amounts above, the public water system shall resume weekly monitoring using a certified laboratory. A public water system may return to a reduced frequency of certified laboratory analyses once the deviation of split sample results is within the accepted limits specified in this paragraph.

The May 2008 and June 2008 reports did not include weekly iron and manganese sampling results. Ensure that future monthly reports include iron and manganese sampling results in accordance with OAC Rule 3745-83-01(G)(9)(b) and (G)(10)(b) in addition to the sampling results already reported.

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If you have any questions concerning this matter, please feel free to contact me at (419)373-3101.

Sincerely,

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