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**NOTICE OF VIOLATION – ACTION REQUIRED**

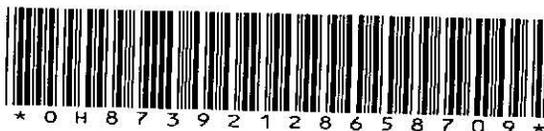
RE: Wood County  
St. Louis School  
NTNC Water System  
PWS ID: OH8739212  
**Lead and Copper**

October 31, 2008

OH8739212 ST LOUIS CATHOLIC SCHOOL

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Father Paul Fahrbach  
St. Louis Church  
22792 Defiance Pike  
Custar, Ohio 43511



**Subject: Failure to Sample Drinking Water for Lead and Copper as Required**

St. Louis School is in violation of Ohio Administrative Code (OAC), Rule 3745-81-86 for failure to comply with the lead and copper monitoring.

<b>Compliance Period:</b>	<b>2008 Triennial</b>
<b>Monitoring Period:</b>	June 1 – September 30, 2008
<b>Population:</b>	64
<b>Sites Required:</b>	Five
<b>Results Submitted:</b>	None

To ensure the safety of drinking water provided by your system, monitoring for lead and copper is essential.

**ACTION REQUIRED:**

- 1. Notify the people served by this water system** using one or more of the methods and the timing as required by OAC, Rule 3745-81-32 to reach all persons served. The appropriate methods for your system are listed below under the **NTNC** column.

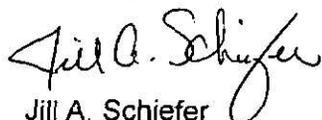
Community	NTNC
<b>Timing:</b> As soon as practical, but no later than one year after learning of the violation:	<b>Timing:</b> As soon as practical, but no later than 30 days after learning of the violation:
<b>Methods:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Mail or other direct delivery to each customer; or</li> <li>• Annual Consumer Confidence Report provided it's distributed within one year after learning of the violation; and</li> <li>• If necessary to reach all persons regularly served, use other notification methods such as newspaper publication, public posting or <i>Internet posting</i></li> </ul>	<b>Methods:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Posting in conspicuous location, such as bulletin boards, restrooms, drinking fountains, vending areas</li> <li>• Mail or other direct delivery to each customer</li> <li>• Newsletters or newspaper</li> <li>• E-mail to employees or students</li> <li>• Send to parents or guardians of children at schools or day care facilities</li> </ul>
Posted notices must remain in place as long as the violation or situation exists, but in no case less than seven days (even if the violation is resolved). The language in italics on the enclosed public notice is mandatory and must be included, as written. Do not make changes to the public notice without consulting with the Ohio EPA beforehand.	

2. **Complete the enclosed Verification Form within 10 days of issuing the Public Notice** and mail it to Ohio EPA - Northwest District Office. Include a copy of each notice distributed, published or posted.
3. **To return to compliance for lead and copper**, monitor from five (5) sites between June 1 and September 30, 2009. The report is due by October 10, 2009. This will **not** appear on your 2009 Chemical Monitoring Schedule.

If lead and copper samples were collected as required, submit forms EPA 5105, 5106 and 5107 along with the sample analysis reports to this office as soon as possible. The monitoring violation would be rescinded and a reporting violation given for late submittal of the results.

If you have any questions, contact this office at 419-373-3089.

Sincerely,

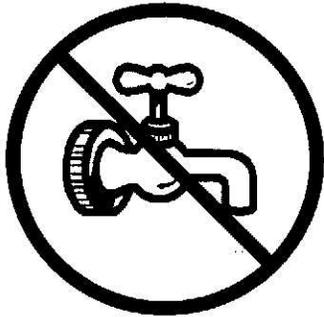


Jill A. Schiefer  
 Division of Drinking and Ground Waters

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Enclosures: Tier 3: Monitoring Violation Notice  
 Public Notice Instructions & Verification Form

pc: Wood County Health Department  
 ◀DDAGW, NWDO w/Enclosures ▶  
 Jeremy Wensink, Operator w/Enclosures  
 IMS, DDAGW, CO – Attn: Toni Buchanan



## DRINKING WATER NOTICE

### Monitoring requirements not met for St. Louis School

We are required to monitor your drinking water for specific contaminants on a regular basis. Results of regular monitoring are an indicator of whether or not your drinking water meets health standards. During June 1 – September 30, 2008, we "did not monitor or test" or "did not complete all monitoring or testing" for lead and copper and, therefore, cannot be sure of the quality of your drinking water during that time.

#### What Should I Do?

- There is nothing you need to do at this time. You do not need to boil your water or take other corrective action.
- This notice is to inform you that St. Louis School did not monitor and report results for the presence of lead and copper in the public drinking water system during the June 1 – September 30, 2008 time period, as required by the Ohio Environmental Protection Agency.

#### What is being done?

The water supplier will take steps to ensure that adequate monitoring will be performed in the future.

For more information, please contact \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_  
name of contact phone number  
or at \_\_\_\_\_  
mailing address

*Please share this information with all the other people who drink this water, especially those who may not have received this notice directly (for example, people in apartments, nursing homes, schools and businesses). You can do this by posting this notice in a public place or distributing copies by hand or mail.*

PWSID# OH8739212	Date Distributed:
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Tier 3: Monitoring Violation Notice

**PUBLIC NOTICE INSTRUCTIONS AND VERIFICATION FORM FOR  
NONCOMMUNITY PUBLIC WATER SYSTEMS WITH TIER 3 VIOLATIONS**

The owner or operator of a noncommunity public water system with a Tier 3 violation or situation shall notify the persons served by the public water system as soon as practical but **no later than 30 days** after the system learns of the violation. Public notice issued by posting shall remain in place as long as the violation or situation persists. Public notice issued by other methods shall be repeated annually as long as the violation or situation persists.

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE PUBLIC WAS NOTIFIED BY THE FOLLOWING METHOD(S) INDICATED BELOW, AS DESCRIBED IN THE OHIO ADMINISTRATIVE CODE RULE 3745-81-32:

Required Method of Public Notification	Actual Method of Public Notification
<p><b>Use one or more of the following methods to reach all persons served by the public water system:</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Public notice issued by posting in conspicuous locations throughout the distribution system (required to remain posted for as long as the violation exists, but in no case less than 7 days)</li> <li>Public notice issued by mail or other direct delivery to each customer and service connection (where known).</li> </ol>	<p><b>Describe actual methods used to notify public of the violation:</b></p> <p>1A. Dates of posting _____            1B. Locations of posting _____            _____            _____</p> <p>2. Date of mailing/delivery _____</p>
<p><b>Schools and Day-Care Facilities</b> must notify parents or guardians of children being served by methods besides posting, such as a newsletter, e-mail notice, or direct mailing</p>	<p>A. Method(s) _____            _____</p> <p>B. Date(s) _____</p>
<p><b>If the above methods do not reach all persons served</b>, also use any other method reasonably calculated to reach other persons served by the system (e.g. publication in a local newspaper or newsletter, use of e-mail to notify employees or students, or delivery of multiple copies to central locations).</p>	<p>A. Method(s) _____            _____            _____</p> <p>B. Date(s) _____</p>

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\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Responsible Person                      Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Printed Name and Title of Responsible Person

St. Louis School  
OH8739212

Wood County  
Type 52 LMON – 2008 Triennial  
June 1 – September 30, 2008

<b>For Ohio EPA use only:</b>	
Date PN received: _____	
PN acceptable: _____	PN not acceptable: _____