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June 13, 2008

RE: LAKE COUNTY
CONCORD TOWNSHIP
CONCORD TAVERN
NPDES APPLICATION NO.OH0134759
OHIO EPA PERMIT NO. 3PR00383*AD

Mr. Tom Salagovic
Concord Tavern
7593 Auburn Road
Painesville, OH 44077

Dear Mr. Salagovic:

On June 11, 2008, this writer conducted a compliance evaluation inspection of the wastewater treatment plant (WWTP) that serves Concord Tavern. The purpose of the inspection was to evaluate the WWTP's operation and maintenance condition, and to evaluate the facility's compliance with National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit effluent limits.

At the time of plant inspection, the blowers were shut off and the plant was not operating. When approached, you stated that the plant had not been operating for two days due to a pump motor being in disrepair. You stated that you were waiting on the arrival of a part that is needed to repair the pump.

Be advised that the discharge of untreated or partially treated sewage to waters of the state is a violation of Ohio Revised Code 6111 that is subject to enforcement action. The enforcement action may include a monetary penalty.

Also, Part III of your NPDES permit requires the permittee to notify Ohio EPA when there are NPDES permit violations or plant operation problems. You should telephone this office and follow-up the telephone call with a written letter explaining the problem and stating what actions will be taken to correct the problem.

Pursuant to our telephone conversation on this day, you stated that the pump motor has been repaired and the wastewater treatment plant is operational.

A review of the discharge monitoring reports covering the period of July 2007 to April 2008 revealed no effluent limitation violations at Outfall 001.

Part III, Section 32 of your existing NPDES permit, states that whenever the sewerage system of a publicly owned treatment works becomes available and accessible, the permittee operating any semi-public disposal system shall abandon the semi-public disposal system and connect it into the publicly owned treatment works.

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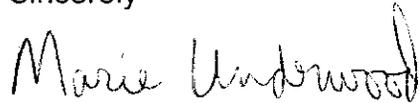
A public sanitary sewer exists on Auburn Road, in front of Concord Tavern. This office has requested that you connect the building to the public sanitary sewer and demolish the existing semipublic wastewater plant. You are in violation of Terms and Conditions of the NPDES permit.

Please be advised that failure to comply with the effluent limitations or to satisfy the monitoring, reporting or other requirements of your NPDES permit may be cause for enforcement pursuant to the Ohio Revised Code Chapter 6111.

Within 10 days of the date of this letter, you are directed to notify this office, in writing, outlining the corrective action, either actual or proposed, that will be taken to eliminate the discharge to waters of the state.

Should you have questions regarding this letter, please contact the undersigned at (330) 963-1183.

Sincerely

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Marie Underwood".

Marie Underwood, P.E.
Environmental Engineer
Division of Surface Water

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