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RE: Wyandot County
Sycamore WTP
NPDES Permit

November 15, 2007

Mayor and Council
Village of Sycamore
P. O. Box 279
Sycamore, Ohio 44882

Dear Mayor and Council:

On October 5, 2007, a compliance inspection was conducted of your water treatment plant. Ms. Lisa Beidelschies was present and provided information regarding the operation of the plant.

Wastewaters are generated from filters and ion exchange backwashes. At the time of the inspection, the pond was full of water and was discharging to Sycamore Creek via a storm tile.

Please note that your National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit became effective on August 1, 2005 and will expire on July 31, 2010. Our review of your self-monitoring reports (1/1/2006 to 9/30/2007) for this facility indicates two effluent violations. The violations are listed in the attached table. The pH value reported in September 2007 appears to be a typographical error. Your operator should resubmit the monthly report with the correct value.

A copy of our completed inspection report is included for your review. If you have any questions, please call Jason Ko at 419-373-3021.

Yours truly,

Allen L. Rupp, P.E.
District Engineer/Section Manager
Division of Surface Water

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NPDES COMPLIANCE INSPECTION REPORT

Section A: National Data System Coding

Permit #	NPDES	Yr/Mo/Day	Inspection Type	Inspector	FacType
<u>2IV00102</u>	<u>OH0078255</u>	<u>2007/10/5</u>	<u>C</u>	<u>S</u>	<u>1</u>

Section B: Facility Data

Name and Location of Facility Inspected	Entry Time	Permit Effective Date
Village of Sycamore WTP 250 South Pemberton Street Sycamore, OH 44882	11:00 A.M.	08/01/2005
	Exit Time	Permit Expiration Date
	11:30 A.M.	07/31/2010

Name(s) and Title(s) of On-Site Representative(s)	Phone Number(s)
Ms. Lisa Beidelschies, Village staff	(419)-927-2503

Name, Address and Title of Responsible Official	Phone Number
Mayor & Council Members Village of Sycamore PO Box 279 Sycamore, Ohio 44882	(419)-927-2503

Section C: Areas Evaluated During Inspection

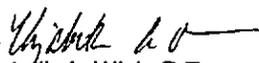
(S = Satisfactory, M = Marginal, U = Unsatisfactory, N = Not Evaluated)

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> S Permit	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> M Flow Measurement	<input type="checkbox"/> Pretreatment
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> S Records/Reports	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> s Laboratory	<input type="checkbox"/> Compliance Schedules
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> S Operations & Maintenance	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> S Effluent/Receiving Waters	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> S Self-Monitoring Program
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> S Facility Site Review	<input type="checkbox"/> Sludge Storage/Disposal	<input type="checkbox"/> Other
<input type="checkbox"/> Collection System		

Section D: Summary of Findings/Comments (Attach additional sheets if necessary)

- * The pond was full of water
- * The discharge from the pond was clear
- * The NPDES permit became effective on 8/1/2007 and will expire on 7/31/2010
- * Remove weeds on pond embankment


 Jason Ko, Ohio EPA, Northwest District Office
 Name(s) and Signature(s) of Inspector(s) _____ Date 11/14/07


 Elizabeth A. Wick, P.E., Ohio EPA, Northwest District Office
 Name and Signature of Reviewer _____ Date 11/8/07

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Permit No	Reporting Period	Station	Reporting Code	Parameter	Limit Type	Limit	Reported Value	Violation Date
2IV00102*BD	April 2006	001	00530	Total Suspended Solids	30D Conc	30	38.	4/1/2006
2IV00102*BD	September 2007	001	00400	pH	1D Conc	9.0	70.	9/6/2007