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October 4, 2007

RE: SOUTHEAST LOCAL SCHOOLS
PALMYRA TOWNSHIP
PORTAGE COUNTY
3PT00016*ED

Ms. Cassie Bergman
Business Manager
Southeast Local School District
8245 Tallmadge Road
Ravenna, OH 44266

Dear Ms. Bergman:

On September 26, 2007, this writer conducted a compliance evaluation inspection of your wastewater treatment works located at 8423 Tallmadge Road, Palmyra Twp., Portage County. Below is a summary of the evaluation:

The sewage treatment plant consists of a trash trap, flow equalization basin, 50,000-gpd aeration plant, upflow clarifier, dosing tank, surface sand filter (split into 4), sludge holding tank, and a UV disinfection unit. The final effluent is to Silver Creek via an unnamed tributary. Please be aware of new requirements, as outlined in Ohio Administrative Code 3745-07-04, require that an Operator with at least a Class I license maintain your treatment plant. At the time of the inspection the following was noted concerning the plant:

- 1) The mixed liquor in the aeration tank was chocolate brown in color.
- 2) The clarifier effluent was clear.
- 3) The sand filters were clean and raked level.
- 4) The effluent was clear.

Pictures of the inspection are attached for your reference.

Your compliance history for the time period of December 2006 through August 2007 revealed the following violations of your National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit:

Numeric Violations

No numeric violations

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Frequency Violations

Violation Date	Station	Parameter	Sample Frequency	Expected	Reported
3/1/2007	001	Total Suspended Solids	1/Week	1	0
3/1/2007	001	CBOD 5 day	1/Week	1	0

If you should have any questions, feel free to contact this writer at (330) 963-1136.

Sincerely,



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