

**Environmental  
Protection Agency**

The Auditor, Governor  
Lieutenant Governor  
Department Director

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December 22, 2010

RE: TRUMBULL COUNTY  
VIENNA TOWNSHIP  
YANKEE KITCHEN RESTAURANT  
484 YOUNGSTOWN-KINGSVILLE ROAD  
NPDES PERMIT NO. OH0117625  
OHIO EPA PERMIT NO. 3PR00165

Mr. Nick Raptis  
Yankee Kitchen Restaurant  
484 Youngstown-Kingsville Road  
Vienna, Ohio 44473

Dear Mr. Raptis:

On December 6, 2010, this office conducted an inspection of the sanitary wastewater treatment plant serving the above referenced facility. Also present were Messrs. Richard Curl of the Trumbull County Health Department and Tomas Parry of this office. The purpose of the inspection was to obtain and review information in anticipation of renewal of the National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) discharge permit. The current permit for this facility will expire on December 31, 2010. A draft copy of the renewal permit will be sent under separate cover. Any comments regarding the draft permit must be submitted in writing during the public notice period.

The current 2,800 gallon/day treatment system consists of a flow equalization basin, extended aeration activated sludge "package" plant, final settling tank, slow surface sand filtration, sludge holding, and chlorination/dechlorination.

At the time of the inspection, all treatment units appeared to be in operation. The final effluent being discharged to the roadside ditch appeared to be of satisfactory visual quality. As evidenced in the pictures, however, the following items need to be addressed:

1. The missing belt on the auxiliary blower needs to be replaced. Please provide confirmation to this office and the Health Department when the blower unit is operational.
2. Repairs need to be made to the block retaining wall when weather conditions permit.

A review of the facility's Discharge Monitoring Reports (DMRs) received by Ohio EPA for the period, October 2009 – September 2010, indicate violations of the terms and conditions of the NPDES permit. The specific instances of noncompliance are as follows:

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Reporting Period	Station	Parameter	Limit Type	Limit	Reported Value	Violation Date
January 2010	001	Total Suspended Solids	30D Conc	12	31.	1/1/2010
January 2010	001	Total Suspended Solids	1D Conc	18	31.	1/25/2010
July 2010	001	Fecal Coliform	30D Conc	1000	1600.	7/1/2010

Please inform this office, in writing, within 10 days of receipt of this notification as to the actions taken or proposed to address the above referenced violations and/or deficiencies. Please be advised that past or current acts of noncompliance can continue as subjects of future enforcement actions.

Should you have any questions or comments regarding this letter, please contact me at (330) 963-1196.

Respectfully,



Ermelindo Gomes  
Environmental Engineer  
Division of Surface Water

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Attachment

cc: Rich Curl, Trumbull County Health Department  
Scott Mascioli

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