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October 10, 2008

RE: TRUMBULL COUNTY
WARREN TOWNSHIP
PLEASANT PARK MOBILE HOME PARK
NPDES PERMIT NO. OH0107522
OHIO EPA PERMIT NO. 3PV00067

Mr. Leo Chiarullo, Owner
Pleasant Park Mobile Home Park
5029 Parkman Road
Warren, Ohio 44481

Dear Mr. Chiarullo:

On September 11, 2008, an inspection was conducted at the above referenced facility by the undersigned. The facility was represented Mr. Bryan Mosko of Valley Environmental Labs, Inc. The purpose of the inspection was to evaluate the facility's compliance status with respect to the terms and conditions of the NPDES permit.

The wet-stream treatment components consist of a flow equalization basin, 22,500 gpd extended aeration activated sludge treatment process, final settling tank, slow surface sand filtration, chlorine disinfection, and dechlorination. Sludge handling consists of an aerated sludge holding tank and sludge drying beds.

At the time of the inspection, the following observations were noted and discussed with Mr. Mosko:

- The general operation of the treatment plant appeared to be satisfactory. The effluent being discharged appeared to be clear with no evidence of adverse impacts at the receiving stream.
- Mr. Mosko noted that one of the blowers had been removed for routine preventative maintenance. Additionally, the electrical conduit to the flow meter needed to be reattached to the side wall of the aeration tank.
- The internal walls of the surface sand filters had been parged.
- The missing and/or fallen sections of the plant fence need to be replaced.
- Ohio Administrative Code (OAC) 3745-7-02 requires that you have an up-to-date contract with your certified operator. At a minimum, the contract shall specify that the certified operator be available to respond to emergencies and provide the services (i.e. **inspection, monitoring, maintenance, and supervision**) necessary to maintain the reliable operation of the wastewater works. Additionally, an Operator of Record Notification Form must be filed with Ohio EPA.

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Ohio EPA has created a Limited Class A certificate for existing owners/operators of small wastewater treatment systems. Class A certification would allow an individual with documented operating experience to serve as the Operator of Record for the facility. Owners/operators meeting the eligibility requirements contained in Ohio Administrative Code (OAC) 3745-7-08 may apply for the certificate by no later than December 21, 2008.

A review of the facility's discharge monitoring reports (DMRs) received by Ohio EPA for the period September 2007 through September 2008 indicates violations of the terms and conditions contained in the NPDES permit. The specific instances of noncompliance are as follows:

Reporting Period	Station	Parameter	Limit Type	Limit	Reported Value	Violation Date
September 2007	001	Dissolved Oxygen	1D Conc	5.0	3.3	9/18/2007
September 2007	001	Dissolved Oxygen	1D Conc	5.0	3.5	9/25/2007
December 2007	001	Total Suspended Solids	1D Qty	1.5	1.87358	12/18/2007

Please be advised that failure to comply with the terms and conditions of your NPDES permit may be subject to enforcement actions pursuant to Chapter 6111 of the Ohio Revised Code. Such actions can result in fines of up to \$10,000 per day of violation. 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 violation and/or deficiencies. Your response **shall** include specific dates for completion of the actions. Please be advised that past or present issues of noncompliance can continue as subjects of future enforcement actions by Ohio EPA.

Should you have any questions or comments regarding this letter, please contact this office.

Respectfully,



Ermelindo Gomes
Environmental Engineer
Division of Surface Water

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cc: Valley Environmental Labs., Inc.