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Re: Allen County
Raabe Motor Sales, Inc.
TNC Public Water System
PWS ID# OH0238912

September 26, 2007

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Raabe Motor Sales

9/26/2007



Mr. Randy Custar
Raabe Motor Sales, Inc.
11260 Elida Road
P.O. Box 367
Deiphos, Ohio 45833

Dear Mr. Custar:

Subject: Notice of Violation of Maximum Contaminant Level for Total Coliform Bacteria (Acute & Failure to Monitor with four repeat samples)

During September 2007, your public water system incurred an **acute** violation of Rule 3745-81-14(D) of the Ohio Administrative Code (OAC) and a **monitoring** violation of Rule 3745-81-21(B)(1) of the OAC for failure to collect a total of four (4) repeat samples within the required time period.

Our records indicate that a total coliform-positive sample was collected from this water system on September 10, 2007, and that either no repeat samples were collected or only some repeat samples were collected.

Actions required as a result of the above violations:

1. **Within 24 hours**, consult with Ohio EPA and use the following methods to reach all persons served by the public water system, in accordance with Rule 3745-81-32 of the OAC:
 - A. Posting in conspicuous locations (restrooms, drinking fountains, vending areas, restaurants, bulletin boards, etc.).
2. Immediately initiate an investigation to determine and eliminate the cause and extent of bacterial contamination.
3. Fill out the enclosed verification form and send it along with a copy of the public notification issued to the Northwest District Office of Ohio EPA.

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4. The public notice water use advisory shall remain in effect until you obtain one complete set of four (4) total coliform-negative (contain no coliforms) repeat samples. Clearly mark each repeat sample slip as "repeat sample."
5. You are required to monitor with at least five (5) samples in the next month following any total coliform-positive result. You must take at least five (5) total coliform samples in October 2007.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (419) 373-3101.

Sincerely,

Ben Smith /jps

Ben Smith
 Division of Drinking and Ground Waters

/csl

Enclosures

pc: Toni Buchanan, DDAGW, CO
 Allen County Health Department
 DDAGW, NWDO File

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City, State, ZIP+4 DELPHOS OH 45833			
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