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September 9, 2010

**RE: HARRISON COUNTY  
VILLAGE OF NEW ATHENS  
COMMUNITY PUBLIC WATER SYSTEM  
PWS ID#OH3401103  
STU ID# 3454942**

Village of New Athens  
Attn: Mr. Ornouski  
PO Box 126  
New Athens, OH 43981

**Subject: Notice of Violation for Failure to Respond to a Significant Deficiency**

This letter is notification that the Village of New Athens has not complied with requirements issued during this Agency's last survey performed on April 6, 2010, in violation of Ohio Administrative Code. The Village of New Athens was notified in correspondence dated May 6, 2010, of the requirements to respond, in writing, within 45 days, with a schedule for corrective actions to address the following:

- The Backflow Prevention Rules [OAC 3745-95] requires the system to have a Backflow and Cross-Connection ordinance. Please provide a copy of your ordinance to this office.

The water system must respond, in writing, within 15 days from the date of this letter with the required information. Failure to comply may result in further enforcement action.

Thank you for your time and cooperation. If there are any questions or concerns, please call me at 740-380-5275.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Randy R. Smith".

Randy R. Smith  
Environmental Specialist  
Division of Drinking and Ground Waters

RRS/cb

cc: CO/DDAGW/Dave Bornino  
cc: HarrisonCounty Health Department  
cc: Mayor and Council  
cc: Tom Carter, PO Box 153, Cadiz, OH 43907  
cc: **Jamie Wilkins, SEDO**