



**Environmental
Protection Agency**

John R. Kasich, Governor
Mary Taylor, Lt. Governor
Scott J. Nally, Director

July 1, 2011

Re: Vinton County
West Virginia Resources, Inc.
Dundas Prep Plant
Self-Monitoring Report Violations
Ohio EPA Permit #01L00075
NPDES Permit #OH0076465
Correspondence (IWW)

Mr. Shawn Ray, Chief Engineer
683 State Route 7 North
Burlile Building
Gallipolis, Ohio 45631

Dear Mr. Ray:

We have received your self-monitoring report covering the month of January through April 2011 for the referenced facility. Our review indicates violations of the conditions of your NPDES permit. The specific instances of noncompliance and/or deficiencies are as follows:

Outfall	Date	Parameter	Reported	Units	Permit Limit
001	1/22/2011	pH	6.2	1D Conc	6.5
001	2/1/2011	Iron, Total (Fe)	5740.	30D Conc	3000
001	2/8/2011	Iron, Total (Fe)	8480.	1D Conc	6000
001	3/1/2011	Iron, Total (Fe)	4265.	30D Conc	3000
001	3/7/2011	Iron, Total (Fe)	7100.	1D Conc	6000

Please be advised that failure to comply with the effluent limitations or to satisfy the monitoring or reporting requirements of your NPDES permit may be cause for enforcement action pursuant to the Ohio Revised Code Chapter 6111.

Please inform this office, in writing, within ten days of receipt of this notification as to the reasons for the above referenced violations, as well as a description of the actions taken or proposed to prevent any further violations. Your response should include the dates, either actual or proposed, for completion of the actions.

The Ohio EPA strongly encourages pollution prevention as the preferred approach for waste management. The first priority of pollution prevention is to eliminate the generation of wastes and pollutants at the source (source reduction). For those wastes or pollutants that are generated, the second priority is to recycle or reuse them in an environmentally sound manner. You can benefit economically, help preserve the environment, and improve your public image by implementing pollution prevention programs. For more information about pollution prevention, including fact sheets or U.S. EPA's "*Facility Pollution Prevention Guide*" (EPA/600/R-92.008), please contact the Ohio EPA Pollution Prevention Section at (614) 644-3469.

If there are any questions, please contact me at (740) 380-5266.

Sincerely,



Cynthia Yandrich
District Representative
Division of Surface Water

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