



John R. Kasich, Governor  
Mary Taylor, Lt. Governor  
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February 7, 2013

RE: WAYNE COUNTY  
VILLAGE OF SHREVE  
COMMUNITY WATER SYSTEM  
PWS ID NO. #OH8503412  
**REVISED VIOLATION**

Mr. Kim Arwood  
Village Administrator  
Village of Shreve  
P.O. Box 604  
Shreve, OH 44676

**RE: REVISED VIOLATION OF 2/4/2013 – BACKFLOW PREVENTION**

Dear Mr. Arwood:

***This is a revision of the violation dated 2/4/2013.*** The Village of Shreve is in violation of the Ohio Administrative Code Rule (OAC) 3745-95 for 2012. This rule requires the Village to ensure that all backflow prevention devices are installed as required and tested at least annually. This violation of the OAC is based upon information reported on the *2012 Monthly Operating Reports (MORs)*. The Village has reported that all service connections have been evaluated, and a total of 65 service connections require the protection of a backflow prevention device. Of these 65 connections, 48 devices were reported to have been installed as required. Annual testing was reported to have been completed on 35 of these devices. Annual testing was not completed on 13 devices as required, and 17 devices have not been installed as required.

You were notified in correspondence dated February 3, 2011, with the hiring of your new Operators of Record, Kevin Dean and Rick Day, of the deficiencies of your Backflow Prevention Program. You were again notified of the status of your backflow program in correspondence dated February 7, 2012 and August 1, 2012. Despite these notifications, the Village is again in violation of OAC 3745-95.

Within thirty (30) days of the receipt of this letter, a written response from the Village must be received documenting the steps that will be taken to resolve this violation. To bring the Village into compliance, all required backflow devices are to be installed and annual testing completed

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by July 1, 2013. Continued noncompliance will result in referral to our central office in Columbus for further enforcement action.

If you have any questions, I can be contacted directly at 330-963-1235.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Leslie Otten".

Leslie Otten  
Environmental Specialist  
Division of Drinking & Ground Waters

LO:ds

cc: The Honorable Mayor Bruce Biggs  
Ms. Melissa Patrick, Village Council President  
Mr. Kevin Dean, Operator of Record