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December 24, 2009

Re: Monroe
Woodsfield WTP
2010 RECON
Correspondence (PWW)

Mr. Terry Comstock, Superintendent
Woodsfield Water Treatment Plant
670 Old Brick Road
Woodsfield, Ohio 43793

Dear Mr. Comstock:

On December 15, 2009, I conducted a Reconnaissance Inspection at Woodsfield WTP located in Woodsfield, Ohio. Tim Campbell, with this office, assisted me with the inspection. You and Mark Harrelson represented Woodsfield and accompanied me during the inspection. The purpose of the inspection was to determine Woodsfield WTP's compliance with NPDES Permit Number OIV00130*DD and the Ohio Water Pollution Control Act, Revised Code Chapter 6111.

As a result of the inspection and review of our files, I have the following comments:

1. Director's Final Findings and Orders (DFFO's) were issued February 11, 2009 to the village to abate the sludge, backwash water and septic discharges from the water treatment plant to Sunfish Creek. In Item 19, Part b, of your DFFO's, Woodsfield was to complete construction and make connection to the sanitary sewer within 150 days of the issuance of PTI number 688061. The PTI was issued final on November 25, 2008 and the village should have been connected to the sewer by April 25, 2009. It has failed to meet this deadline. However, the village has agreed to haul its' waste to the wastewater treatment plant and stop the discharge to the creek. This will stop the suspended solids and chlorine violations that the village has repeatedly reported on its' monthly DMR's.

Attached is a copy of the inspection report which indicates marginal and/or unsatisfactory evaluations of the following areas: Operations and Maintenance, Facility Site Review, Effluent/Receiving Waters, Sludge Storage/Disposal and Compliance Schedule. I gave these ratings because of the deficiencies mentioned in the above comments. Woodsfield should take the appropriate actions to return the facility to compliance.

Please respond to this letter by January 22, 2010 and provide the date that the new disposal system will be or has been completed.

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 and U.S. EPA's Facility Pollution Prevention Guide, (EPA/600/R-92/088), you may contact the Ohio EPA Pollution Prevention Section at (614) 644-3469 or me for additional information.

Sincerely,



Scott Foster
Environmental Specialist 2
Division of Surface Water

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Enclosure

**NPDES
Compliance Inspection Report**

A. NATIONAL DATA SYSTEM CODING

Permit No.	NPDES No.	Date	Inspection Type	Inspector	Facility Type
OIV00130*DD	OH0030384	December 15, 2009	R	S	2

B. FACILITY DATA

Name and Location of Facility Inspected	Entry Time	Permit Effective Date
Village of Woodsfield WTP 39415 Water Works Road Woodsfield, Ohio 43793	12:00 p.m.	June 1, 2003
	Exit Time	Permit Expiration Date
	1:00 p.m.	May 31, 2008

Name(s) and Title(s) of On-Site Representative(s)	Phone Number(s)
Terry Comstock, Superintendent	(740) 472-0995
Name, Address and Title of Responsible Official	Phone Number
Terry Comstock, Superintendent Village of Woodsfield WTP 670 Old Brick Road Woodsfield, Ohio 43793	(740) 472-0995

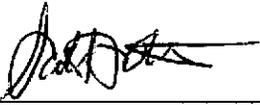
C. AREAS EVALUATED DURING INSPECTION

<u> </u> S Permit	<u> </u> S Flow Measurement	<u> </u> N/A Pretreatment
<u> </u> S Records/Reports	<u> </u> N/A Laboratory	<u> </u> U Compliance Schedules
<u> </u> M Operations & Maintenance	<u> </u> M Effluent/Receiving Waters	<u> </u> S Self-Monitoring Program
<u> </u> M Facility Site Review	<u> </u> M Sludge Storage/Disposal	<u> </u> -- Other
<u> </u> N/A Collection System		

(S = Satisfactory, M = Marginal, U = Unsatisfactory, N = Not Evaluated)

D. SUMMARY OF FINDINGS/COMMENTS (attach additional sheets if necessary)

See attached letter.



Scott Foster, Inspector, Ohio EPA, Southeast District Office

 1/4/10

Date



Timothy M. Campbell, Reviewer, Ohio EPA, Southeast District Office

 1/4/10

Date