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**BEFORE THE  
OHIO ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY**

In the matter of:

<b>Village of Walbridge</b>	:	<b>Director's Expedited</b>
<b>111 North Main Street</b>	:	<b>Settlement Agreement and Orders</b>
<b>Walbridge, OH 43465</b>	:	
	:	
<b>Respondent</b>	:	

**I. JURISDICTION**

This Expedited Settlement Agreement and Order (ESA) is issued to the Village of Walbridge ("Respondent") pursuant to the authority vested in the Director of the Ohio Environmental Protection Agency ("Ohio EPA") under Ohio Revised Code ("ORC") 6111.03 and 3745.01.

**II. FINDINGS**

1. Respondent has authorization to discharge storm water from its municipal separate storm sewer systems (MS4s) under Ohio EPA Facility Permit Number 2GQ00003\*BG.
2. Pursuant to Ohio Administrative Code (OAC) 3745-39-03 (C)(7)(c) and Part IV.C of Respondent's Small MS4 General Permit, Respondent is required to submit Annual Reports to Ohio EPA by the first day of April each year.
3. To date, Ohio EPA has not received the Respondent's Annual Report for year 2010 activities. Attachment 1 is the Respondent's NOV letter for not submitting the required 2010 Annual Report, which is attached to these Orders and incorporated by reference as if fully rewritten within.
4. To date, Ohio EPA has not received the Respondent's Annual Report for year 2011 activities. Attachment 2 is the Respondent's NOV letter for not submitting the required 2011 Annual Report, which is attached to these Orders and incorporated by reference as if fully rewritten within.

5. The Director has given consideration to and based his determination on, evidence relating to the technical feasibility and economic reasonableness of complying with these Orders and to evidence relating to conditions calculated to result from compliance with these Orders, and its relation to the benefits to the people of the State to be derived from such compliance in accomplishing the purposes of RC Chapter 6111.

### III. ORDERS

The Director hereby issues the following Orders:

1. Within sixty (60) days from the date of the Director's letter inviting Respondent to sign this ESA, Respondent shall submit to Ohio EPA the 2010 and 2011 Annual Reports. These Annual Reports shall be submitted to Ohio EPA, Division of Surface Water, P.O. Box 1049, Columbus, Ohio 43216-1049 attention: Storm Water Supervisor.
2. In accordance with OAC 3745-39-03(C)(7)(c) and Part IV.C of Respondent's Small MS4 General Permit, Respondent shall submit future Annual Reports on or before the required due date.
3. Within sixty (60) days from the date of the Director's letter inviting Respondent to sign this ESA, Respondent shall pay to the Ohio EPA the amount of one thousand (\$1,000) dollars in settlement of the Ohio EPA's claim for civil penalties, which may be assessed pursuant to Chapter 6111.09 of the Ohio Revised Code. Payment shall be made by tendering an official check made payable to "Treasurer, State of Ohio" for the full amount of one thousand (\$1,000) dollars. Payment shall be mailed to the following address: Ohio EPA, Office of Fiscal Administration, P.O. Box 1049, Columbus, Ohio 43216-1049, together with a letter identifying Respondent and the location of the noncompliance detailed in the Findings of this ESA.

A copy of the check shall be sent to Mark Mann, Environmental Manager, Storm Water and Enforcement Section, or his successor, at the following address:

Ohio EPA  
Division of Surface Water  
P.O. Box 1049  
Columbus, Ohio 43216-1049

#### **IV. TERMINATION**

Respondent's obligations under this ESA shall terminate upon Ohio EPA's receipt of the civil penalty payment required by this ESA and compliance with Order No. 1.

#### **V. RESERVATION OF RIGHTS AND WAIVER**

Ohio EPA and Respondent each reserve all rights, privileges and causes of action, except as specifically waived herein.

In order to resolve disputed claims, without admission of fact, violation or liability, and in lieu of further enforcement action by Ohio EPA for only the violations specifically cited in this ESA, Respondent consents to the issuance of this ESA and agrees to comply with this ESA. Compliance with this ESA shall be a full accord and satisfaction of Respondent's liability for the violations specifically cited herein.

Respondent hereby waives the right to appeal the issuance, terms and conditions, and service of this ESA, and Respondent hereby waives any and all rights Respondent may have to seek administrative or judicial review of this ESA either in law or equity.

Notwithstanding the preceding, Ohio EPA and Respondent agree that if this ESA is appealed by any other party to the Environmental Review Appeals Commission, or any court, Respondent retains the right to intervene and participate in such appeal. In such an event, Respondent shall comply with this ESA notwithstanding such appeal and intervention unless this ESA is stayed, vacated, or modified.

#### **VI. EFFECTIVE DATE**

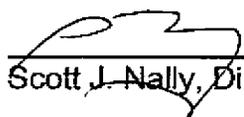
The effective date of this ESA is the date this ESA is entered into the Ohio EPA Director's journal.

**VII. SIGNATORY AUTHORITY**

Each undersigned representative or party to this ESA certifies that he or she is fully authorized to enter into this ESA and to legally bind such party to this ESA.

**IT IS SO ORDERED AND AGREED:**

**Ohio Environmental Protection Agency**

  
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Scott J. Nally, Director

2/15/13  
Date

**IT IS SO AGREED:**

**Village of Walbridge**

  
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Signature

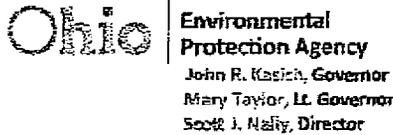
2/11/2013  
Date

EDWARD A. KOLANKO  
Printed or Typed Name

MAYOR, VILLAGE OF WALBRIDGE  
Title

ATTACHMENTS

Attachment 1



June 10, 2011

CERTIFIED MAIL

VILLAGE OF WALBRIDGE  
DANIEL WILCZYNSKI  
111 NORTH MAIN ST  
WALBRIDGE OH 43465

**NOTICE OF VIOLATION**

This correspondence serves as Notice of Violation for not submitting your 2010 Annual Report. In accordance with requirements set forth by Part IV.C of your Small MS4 general permit and Ohio Administrative Code (OAC) 3745-39-03 (C)(7)(c), you are required to submit Annual Reports to Ohio EPA. Our records indicate that we have not received your Annual Report for year 2010 activities.

MS4 Operator Name: **VILLAGE OF WALBRIDGE**  
Ohio EPA Facility Permit No.: **2GQ00003\*BG**  
2010 Annual Report Due Date: **April 1, 2011**

The Small MS4 Annual Report form can be downloaded at the following web page <http://www.epa.state.oh.us/dsw/storm/stormform.aspx>. Within fourteen (14) days of receipt of this notice, please submit your 2010 Annual Report to the following address:

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Division of Surface Water  
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Columbus, Ohio 43216-1049

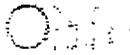
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Sincerely,

Jason R. Fyffe, Supervisor  
Storm Water Unit  
Division of Surface Water

cc: Lynette Hablitzel, Northwest District Storm Water Coordinator  
Elizabeth Wick, Northwest District Enforcement Coordinator  
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Attachment 2



Environmental  
Protection Agency

John Kasich, Governor  
Mike DeWine, Lt. Governor  
Scott L. Smith, Director

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July 2, 2012

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