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RE: **NOTICE OF VIOLATION**  
MEDINA COUNTY  
**MEDINA CO.-CHIPPEWA LAKE**  
COMMUNITY WATER SYSTEM  
PWS ID # OH5200712

**CERTIFIED MAIL**

Mr. James Troike, P.E.  
Medina County Sanitary Engineer  
P.O. Box 542  
Medina, OH 44258

Dear Mr. Troike:

This letter is notification that the Medina County-Chippewa Lake public water system is in violation of Ohio Administrative Code (OAC) Rule 3745-83-01 for failure to maintain a minimum of 0.2 mg/L free chlorine residual measured at representative points throughout the distribution system.

This violation of the OAC is based upon information reported on Monthly Operating Report (MOR) #5002 for the months of February, March and October 2008. Results reported on these forms indicated three or more days in each of the three months where the minimum chlorine residual in the distribution system was less than 0.2 mg/L free chlorine residual. In addition, chlorine residual was reported to be below 0.2 mg/l for at least one day in six out of the last ten months.

An investigation must be conducted to determine why the low residuals occurred and what corrective action is necessary. Within forty-five days of the receipt of this letter, please respond back in writing as to the results of your investigation and what steps will be taken to prevent further low chlorine residuals in the distribution system.

If you have any questions, please contact me directly at (330) 963-1235.

Respectfully,

Leslie Otten  
Environmental Specialist  
Division of Drinking and Ground Waters

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cc: Mr. Larry Bailey, Water Supply Coordinator  
Toni Buchanan, Ohio EPA, Central Office, DDAGW