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April 2, 2013

NOTICE OF VIOLATION – ACTION REQUIRED

Ms. Julie Vantaggi
Mohican River Estates
6 Corporation Center
Broadview Heights, Ohio 44147

Ashland County
Mohican River Estates
Community PWS
PWS ID: OH0301312

Dear Ms. Vantaggi:

Mohican River Estates is in violation of Ohio Revised Code Chapter 6109 as follows:

1. In violation of OAC 3745-82-02, the public water system has exceeded the secondary standard for manganese which is 0.05 mg/L. There were four (4) weeks during the month of January 2013 and 4 weeks during the month of February 2013, in which manganese exceeded the secondary standard.

Monitoring and compliance determinations for the secondary maximum contaminant level for manganese are as follows:

- (a) Public water systems shall use the monitoring required by OAC 3745-83-01(F)(6) to determine compliance with the secondary maximum contaminant level for manganese.
- (b) A public water system shall be in violation of the secondary standard for manganese when more than 25% of the monthly samples collected at each entry point to the distribution system exceed the secondary maximum contaminant level.

Violation of the secondary standard for manganese does not require public notification. Please review your operations to determine the reason for the exceedance and advise this office as to what corrections will be made.

2. Violation of OAC 3745-83-01(F)(6)(c) Mohican River Estates has not ensured that the monthly manganese quality control lab split sample difference with the test kit is no greater than 0.04 mg/L. The monthly reports for January and February don't document a split sample.

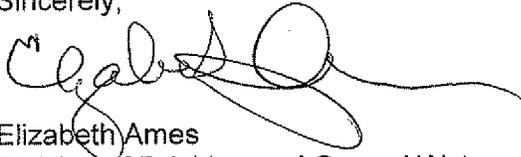
In order to evaluate the deviation of laboratory results from test kit results, a split sample must be collected and reported on the monthly operating report. Please begin reporting the test kit result for the same day the laboratory sample is collected.

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Mohican River Estates must take immediate action to resolve these violations. Ohio EPA may take action to enforce the requirements of its drinking water rules. A civil penalty could be assessed as part of this enforcement action. Your response to this letter is required by May 2, 2013.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (419) 373-3107 or by e-mail at elizabeth.ames@epa.ohio.gov.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Elizabeth Ames", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Elizabeth Ames
Division of Drinking and Ground Waters

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pc: Bob Davis, I & R Properties
Ashland County Health Department
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