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Ted Strickland, Governor  
Lee Fisher, Lieutenant Governor  
Chris Korleski, Director

August 24, 2010

RE: **MONROE COUNTY  
MONROE WATER DISTRICT  
COMMUNITY  
OH5600812**

MONROE WATER DISTRICT  
43022 SIX POINTS ROAD  
LAINGS, OH 43752

**Subject: Minor Violation of the Consumer Confidence Report Requirements**

Ohio EPA received the MONROE WATER DISTRICT Consumer Confidence Report (CCR) for 2009. The CCR was reviewed for the required content. Based on our review, the MONROE WATER DISTRICT water system is in violation of the rules 3745-96-01 through 04 of the Ohio Administrative Code for failure to comply with the CCR requirements. The following violations were noted:

License to operate language to be included;

**Section 18. NEW FOR 2009 CCRs License to Operate (LTO) Status Information**  
***{One of four possible situations describes the status of a LTO. It must be included in the report.}***

***{If you were issued a green LTO, include a statement similar to the following}***  
We have a current, unconditioned license to operate our water system."

***{If you were issued a yellow LTO, there are ongoing conditions or violations that continue to need to be met. Include statements similar to the following:}***

We have a conditioned license to operate our public water system. The conditions require us to address ongoing violations. For more information on these violations, contact (name and phone number).

***{If you were issued a red LTO, the license was revoked or suspended. Include statements similar to the following:}***

Our license to operate this public water system was suspended/revoked based on ongoing violations. Until we address our violations and obtain a license to operate from the Ohio EPA, we are prohibited to operate this public water system. For more information on all of our violations, contact (name and phone number).

***{If you failed to pay the LTO, statements similar to the following must be included:}***

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We did not have a current license to operate in 2009 as required by the Ohio EPA. We plan to pay the fee as soon as possible. To prevent this from happening in the future, we plan to pay the fee immediately upon request from the Ohio EPA.

Lead language required

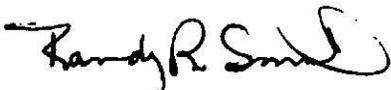
**Section 13: NEW FOR 2009 CCRs {Include this paragraph} {Mandatory Language}**

If present, elevated levels of lead can cause serious health problems, especially for pregnant women and young children. Lead in drinking water is primarily from materials and components associated with service lines and home plumbing. **{Name of Water System}** is responsible for providing high quality drinking water, but cannot control the variety of materials used in plumbing components. When your water has been sitting for several hours, you can minimize the potential for lead exposure by flushing your tap for 30 seconds to 2 minutes before using water for drinking or cooking. If you are concerned about lead in your water, you may wish to have your water tested. Information on lead in drinking water, testing methods, and steps you can take to minimize exposure is available from the Safe Drinking Water Hotline at 800-426-4791 or at <http://www.epa.gov/safewater/lead>

Be sure to correct the violation(s) as appropriate in your next CCR. The next report for calendar year 2010 must be sent to your customers no later than June 30, 2011. A copy of the CCR along with a Certification Form must be submitted to this office no later than July 1, 2011.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (740) 380-5275.

Sincerely,



Randy R. Smith  
Environmental Specialist  
Division of Drinking and Ground Waters

RRS/cb

cc: C.O. - DDAGW / Dave Bornino  
cc: Monroe County Health Department  
cc: Jamie Wilkins, SEDO