



**Environmental
Protection Agency**

John R. Kasich, Governor
Mary Taylor, Lt. Governor
Scott J. Nally, Director

Re: **NOTICE OF VIOLATION**
Huron County
Village of Greenwich WWTP
Ohio EPA Permit No. 2PB00059
NPDES Permit No. OH0020486

September 18, 2012

Mr. Virgil Giles, Operator of Record
Village of Greenwich
P.O. Box 13645
Greenwich, Ohio 44837

Dear Mr. Giles:

A review of the self-monitoring reports that are submitted under the National Permit Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit for the Village of Greenwich Wastewater Treatment Plant (WWTP) shows that this facility is in significant non-compliance (SNC) for the following parameters at Outfall Number 001: pH. I am enclosing a list of violations for this facility for the period of January 1, 2012, through June 30, 2012.

A facility becomes SNC when it exceeds the effluent limit for four or more months in two consecutive quarters or exceeds the effluent limit significantly in any two months in two consecutive quarters.

Achieving compliance with Ohio's environmental laws is a primary focus of Ohio EPA in order to reduce risks to public health and welfare.

Before we initiate enforcement action, we would like to work with you to achieve satisfactory progress to bring this facility back into compliance. Within **21** days of the date of this letter, please submit, in writing, the actions that you propose to undertake in order to return your facility into compliance with your NPDES permit. You will also need to give us a timetable for these actions that does not extend past **March 1, 2013**. These actions and timetable may also be submitted by email to me at andrew.gall@epa.state.oh.us.

If you wish to meet with us to discuss this matter, please contact me at 419-373-3003 within 10 days of receiving this letter in order to set up a meeting.

Sincerely,

Andrew Y. Gall
Division of Surface Water

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Enclosure

pc: Mayor and Council, Village of Greenwich
ec: Thomas Poffenbarger, DSW-NWDO
Tracking

Detail - Limit Violations

Permit: 2PB00059

Period: 1/1/2012 6/30/2012

Permit No	Facility	Report Period	Station	Reporting Code	Parameter	Limit Type	Limit	Reported Value	Violation Date
2PB00059*ID	Greenwich WWTP	Jan 2012	001	00300	Dissolved Oxygen	1D Conc	5.0	4.	1/5/2012
2PB00059*ID	Greenwich WWTP	Jan 2012	001	00300	Dissolved Oxygen	1D Conc	5.0	4.4	1/6/2012
2PB00059*ID	Greenwich WWTP	Apr 2012	001	00300	Dissolved Oxygen	1D Conc	5.0	4.6	4/20/2012
2PB00059*ID	Greenwich WWTP	Feb 2012	001	00400	pH	1D Conc	9.0	9.1	2/7/2012
2PB00059*ID	Greenwich WWTP	Feb 2012	001	00400	pH	1D Conc	9.0	9.1	2/8/2012
2PB00059*ID	Greenwich WWTP	Feb 2012	001	00400	pH	1D Conc	9.0	9.2	2/9/2012
2PB00059*ID	Greenwich WWTP	Feb 2012	001	00400	pH	1D Conc	9.0	9.2	2/10/2012
2PB00059*ID	Greenwich WWTP	Feb 2012	001	00400	pH	1D Conc	9.0	9.1	2/15/2012
2PB00059*ID	Greenwich WWTP	Feb 2012	001	00400	pH	1D Conc	9.0	9.2	2/16/2012
2PB00059*ID	Greenwich WWTP	Feb 2012	001	00400	pH	1D Conc	9.0	9.2	2/17/2012
2PB00059*ID	Greenwich WWTP	Feb 2012	001	00400	pH	1D Conc	9.0	9.1	2/27/2012
2PB00059*ID	Greenwich WWTP	Feb 2012	001	00400	pH	1D Conc	9.0	9.1	2/28/2012
2PB00059*ID	Greenwich WWTP	Mar 2012	001	00400	pH	1D Conc	9.0	9.1	3/12/2012
2PB00059*ID	Greenwich WWTP	Apr 2012	001	00400	pH	1D Conc	9.0	9.4	4/10/2012
2PB00059*ID	Greenwich WWTP	May 2012	001	00400	pH	1D Conc	9.0	9.2	5/2/2012
2PB00059*ID	Greenwich WWTP	May 2012	001	00400	pH	1D Conc	9.0	9.1	5/3/2012
2PB00059*ID	Greenwich WWTP	May 2012	001	00400	pH	1D Conc	9.0	9.2	5/8/2012
2PB00059*ID	Greenwich WWTP	May 2012	001	00400	pH	1D Conc	9.0	9.1	5/9/2012
2PB00059*ID	Greenwich WWTP	May 2012	001	00400	pH	1D Conc	9.0	9.2	5/10/2012
2PB00059*ID	Greenwich WWTP	May 2012	001	00400	pH	1D Conc	9.0	9.1	5/11/2012
2PB00059*ID	Greenwich WWTP	May 2012	001	00400	pH	1D Conc	9.0	9.5	5/14/2012
2PB00059*ID	Greenwich WWTP	May 2012	001	00400	pH	1D Conc	9.0	9.2	5/22/2012
2PB00059*ID	Greenwich WWTP	Jun 2012	001	00400	pH	1D Conc	9.0	9.1	6/28/2012
2PB00059*ID	Greenwich WWTP	Jun 2012	001	00400	pH	1D Conc	9.0	9.6	6/29/2012