



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

January 9, 2013

**Re:** Meigs County  
Middleport WWTP  
Self-Monitoring Report Violations  
Ohio EPA Permit 0PB00025  
NPDES Permit OH0026514  
Correspondence (PWW)

Mr. Faymon Roberts  
Village of Middleport  
237 Race Street  
Middleport, Ohio 45760

Dear Mr. Roberts:

We have received your self-monitoring reports covering the months of April 2012 through December 2012 for the referenced facility. Our review indicates violations of the conditions of your NPDES permit. The specific instances of noncompliance and/or deficiencies are as follows:

Outfall	Date	Parameter	Reported	Units	Permit Limit
001	6/15/2012	CBOD 5 day	59.5020	mg/l	45.4
001	7/1/2012	Total Suspended Solids	31.25	mg/l	30
001	7/1/2012	Total Suspended Solids	43.5136	mg/l	34.1
001	7/22/2012	Total Suspended Solids	75.6371	mg/l	51.1
001	7/30/2012	pH	9.1	mg/l	9.0
001	9/1/2012	Total Suspended Solids	42.5845	mg/l	34.1
001	9/22/2012	Total Suspended Solids	56.	mg/l	45
001	9/22/2012	Total Suspended Solids	158.736	mg/l	51.1
001	10/29/2012	pH	5.9	mg/l	6.5
001	10/30/2012	pH	6.	mg/l	6.5
001	10/31/2012	pH	6.2	mg/l	6.5

Please be advised that failure to comply with the effluent limitations or to satisfy the monitoring or reporting requirements of your NPDES permit may be cause for enforcement action pursuant to the Ohio Revised Code Chapter 6111.

The violations were CBOD<sub>5</sub> and total suspended solids monthly and weekly loadings. These violations occur when flows are over the design flow of the plant. The Village is currently under construction to eliminate the majority of storm water from the system

while increasing the capacity of the lagoons to handle more water from the combined system. I encourage the Village to remove as much storm water that is feasible from the system as quickly as possible.

No response is needed at this time. If there are any questions, please contact me at (740) 380-5266.

Sincerely,



Cynthia Yandrich  
District Representative  
Division of Surface Water

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