



**Environmental
Protection Agency**

John R. Kasich, Governor
Mary Taylor, Lt. Governor
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May 26, 2011

RE: NOTICE OF VIOLATION
BOILER NO. 4 (B004)
FACILITY ID #02 43 11 0008

CERTIFIED MAIL

Mr. Thomas Green
Electric Plant Supt.
Painesville Municipal Power Plant
325 Richmond St.
Painesville, OH 44077

Dear Mr. Green:

This a Notice of Violation (NOV) regarding particulate emissions in excess of Ohio Administrative Code (OAC) rule and permit limitations from the operation of Boiler No. 4 (B004), located at the Painesville Municipal Power Plant, 325 Richmond St., Painesville Ohio. This NOV is based upon the reported results of particulate emissions testing conducted on April 20, 2011. The report of said results was submitted to Ohio EPA on May 19, 2011.

Specifically, the test report showed that Boiler No. 4 emitted particulates at an average rate of 0.195 lb. per mmBtu of actual heat input during the test. The applicable Title V Permit and OAC rule based particulate emissions limit is 0.1 lb per mmBtu of actual heat input.

The cover letter that Mr. Paul Morton, of the City of Painesville, submitted with the stack test reports said that consultants have been hired to review this matter and that another test will be scheduled in the near future.

It is requested that Painesville Municipal Power Plant submit a progress report update regarding your compliance efforts and a proposed date for re-testing, to be scheduled within 30 days of your receipt of this notice.

If you will need more than 30 days to conduct a re-test, it is then requested that Painesville submit a plan and schedule of corrective action to abate any further violation of the permitted particulate emissions limitations, within 14 days of your receipt of this notice. Failure to submit the necessary compliance plan and schedule may result in the referral of this matter to our central office for enforcement action.

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The submission of the requested compliance plan and schedule does not constitute a waiver of Ohio EPA's authority to seek civil penalties as provided in Ohio Revised Code, Section 3704.06. Ohio EPA will decide whether to pursue penalties regarding this matter at a later date.

If there are any questions or if you wish to discuss this matter, please feel free to call me at 330-963-1247.

Sincerely,



Ken Djukic
District Representative
Division of Air Pollution Control

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