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January 13, 2010

Grandview Golf Club, Inc.  
P.O. Box 361  
Middlefield, Ohio 44062

RE: Geauga County  
Grandview Golf Club  
Transient Water System  
PWSID#: 2833012

**"Hand Delivery (or certified mail)"**

Dear Public Water System Owner:

The Grandview Golf Club public water system (PWS) has violated Ohio's safe drinking water law. Specifically, the PWS has failed to monitor for total coliform bacteria, failed to monitor for nitrate, failed to provide a public notification for a past violation and failed to provide a written response for the last sanitary survey letter.

**Owners or operators of public water systems that fail to comply with Ohio's safe drinking water laws and regulations are subject to civil penalties of up to \$25,000 per day per violation under Ohio Revised Code Section 6109.33.**

To resolve your drinking water violations and avoid possible legal action and civil penalties, it is agreed that Grandview Golf Club will:

1. Within fourteen (14) days of the effective date of this agreement, post a public notice for the April to June 2009 quarterly total coliform bacteria monitoring violation (public notice and verification form attached). The posting must remain up for no less than seven (7) days in accordance with Ohio Administrative Code (OAC) Rule 3745-81-32. Send a copy of the public notice and completed verification form to: Ohio Environmental Protection Agency – NEDO, 2110 East Aurora Road, Twinsburg, Ohio 44087, Attn: Kathy Metropulos – DDAGW.
2. In accordance with OAC Rule 3745-81-21, monitor for total coliform bacteria with a minimum of one routine sample per quarter from the distribution system. Also, perform any additional monitoring that might be required, such as repeat samples and temporary routine samples.
3. In accordance with OAC Rule 3745-81-23(B) and your annual contaminant schedule issued by the Director, monitor for nitrate/nitrite.
4. Contract with a certified laboratory to collect and analyze the required samples for twelve (12) months to help meet regulatory requirements and establish a routine of compliance. Within thirty (30) days of the effective date of this agreement, submit a copy of the completed contract to: Ohio Environmental Protection Agency, Division of Drinking and Ground Waters, P.O. Box 1049, Columbus, Ohio 43216-1049, Attn: Julie Gillenwater.

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

5. In accordance with OAC Rule 3745-81-60(D), respond to the following deficiencies noted in the May 8, 2009 sanitary survey letter:
- a. Per OAC 3745-9-05(O)(2), create positive drainage around the well head;
  - b. Per OAC 3745-9-05(O)(2), prevent water from entering between the inner and outer well casing;
  - c. Per OAC 3745-83-01(D), verify whether the salt used for water softening is NSF-Standard 60 approved to ensure appropriate salt is being used; and,
  - d. Per OAC 3745-95-05(A)(1), provide an air gap on the backwash line.

Within thirty (30) days of the effective date of this agreement, submit a written schedule for correcting the deficiencies noted in a-d to the Ohio Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), Northeast District Office, Division of Drinking and Ground Waters, 2110 East Aurora Road, Twinsburg, Ohio 44087, Attn: Kathy Metropulos.

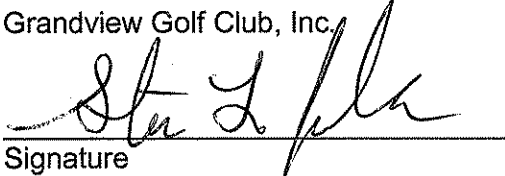
Sincerely,



Michael G. Baker, Chief  
Division of Drinking and Ground Waters

If it is your intent to comply with the safe drinking water laws and regulations in the manner specified, please sign this document and return it to the attention of Julie Gillenwater at Ohio EPA, DDAGW, Lazarus Government Center, P.O. Box 1049, Columbus, Ohio 43216-1049, within fourteen (14) days. Your signature is not considered an admission of guilt, only an indication of your intention to address the violations noted. Ohio EPA reserves its right to seek civil penalties pursuant to Revised Code 6109.33 for the violations described in this letter. If you have any questions concerning this letter, please call Julie Gillenwater at (614) 644-2752.

Grandview Golf Club, Inc.

  
Signature

11/13/10  
Date

Steve L. Johnson President  
Printed Name and Title