



John R. Kasich, Governor
Mary Taylor, Lt. Governor
Craig W. Butler, Director

Re: Village of McComb WWTP
Notice of Violation
NPDES
Hancock County
2PB00002

May 27, 2015

Mr. Kevin Siferd
Village Administrator
Village of McComb
P. O. Box 340
McComb, Ohio 45858

Dear Mr. Siferd:

A review of the self-monitoring reports that are submitted under the National Permit Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit for the Village of McComb wastewater treatment plant (WWTP) shows that this facility is in significant non-compliance (SNC) for Nitrogen, Ammonia and CBOD5 at final outfall number 001. I am enclosing a list of violations for this facility for the period of October 1, 2014, through April 1, 2015.

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.

A Permit to Install (PTI) was issued by this agency for a new 0.388 mgd Oxidation Ditch WWTP. Due to funding issues, implementation of the construction timetable is behind schedule. The Village has submitted an NPDES permit modification request to revise the Schedule of Compliance to eliminate bypasses by the permit expiration date of April 30, 2018. The NPDES permit modification is being processed and you should be receiving confirmation of the modification soon.

Since we are aware of the current limitations of the existing facilities, it will not be necessary to respond to this letter. Please continue to operate the existing facilities to the best of your abilities. If you have any questions, please contact me at 419-373-3020, or email at rick.zuzik@epa.ohio.gov.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Richard A. Zuzik". The signature is written over a horizontal line and is partially obscured by a large, stylized "X" mark.

Richard A. Zuzik, MSE
Division of Surface Water

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Enclosure

pc: Ann Scott, IFM
ec: Thomas Poffenbarger, DSW, NWDO
Tracking

Get New Data

Permit No	Reporting Period	Station	Reporting Code	Parameter	Limit Type	Limit	Reported Value	Violation Date
2PB00002*HD	March 2015	001	00610	Nitrogen, Ammonia (NH3)	30D Conc	2.0	4.01375	3/1/2015
2PB00002*HD	March 2015	001	00610	Nitrogen, Ammonia (NH3)	7D Conc	3.0	5.75	3/1/2015
2PB00002*HD	March 2015	001	00610	Nitrogen, Ammonia (NH3)	7D Conc	3.0	4.44	3/15/2015
2PB00002*HD	March 2015	001	00610	Nitrogen, Ammonia (NH3)	7D Conc	3.0	3.965	3/22/2015
2PB00002*HD	March 2015	001	80082	CBOD 5 day	30D Conc	10.0	15.1875	3/1/2015
2PB00002*HD	March 2015	001	80082	CBOD 5 day	7D Conc	15.0	18.25	3/8/2015
2PB00002*HD	March 2015	001	80082	CBOD 5 day	7D Conc	15.0	16.65	3/22/2015
2PB00002*HD	March 2015	001	50092	Mercury, Total (Low Le	30D Conc	22.2	50.7	3/1/2015
2PB00002*HD	March 2015	001	50092	Mercury, Total (Low Le	30D Qty	0.0000	.00014	3/1/2015
2PB00002*HD	February 2015	001	00610	Nitrogen, Ammonia (NH3)	30D Conc	2.0	8.31375	2/1/2015
2PB00002*HD	February 2015	001	00610	Nitrogen, Ammonia (NH3)	7D Conc	3.0	6.96	2/1/2015
2PB00002*HD	February 2015	001	00610	Nitrogen, Ammonia (NH3)	7D Conc	3.0	3.395	2/8/2015
2PB00002*HD	February 2015	001	00610	Nitrogen, Ammonia (NH3)	7D Conc	3.0	11.55	2/15/2015
2PB00002*HD	February 2015	001	00610	Nitrogen, Ammonia (NH3)	7D Conc	3.0	11.35	2/22/2015
2PB00002*HD	November 2014	001	00530	Total Suspended Solids	30D Conc	12.0	22.825	11/1/2014
2PB00002*HD	November 2014	001	00530	Total Suspended Solids	7D Conc	18.0	31.65	11/8/2014
2PB00002*HD	November 2014	001	00530	Total Suspended Solids	7D Conc	18.0	31.5	11/15/2014
2PB00002*HD	November 2014	001	00610	Nitrogen, Ammonia (NH3)	30D Conc	2.0	7.1425	11/1/2014
2PB00002*HD	November 2014	001	00610	Nitrogen, Ammonia (NH3)	7D Conc	3.0	8.36	11/1/2014
2PB00002*HD	November 2014	001	00610	Nitrogen, Ammonia (NH3)	7D Conc	3.0	10.01	11/8/2014
2PB00002*HD	November 2014	001	00610	Nitrogen, Ammonia (NH3)	7D Conc	3.0	6.1	11/15/2014
2PB00002*HD	November 2014	001	00610	Nitrogen, Ammonia (NH3)	7D Conc	3.0	4.1	11/22/2014
2PB00002*HD	November 2014	001	80082	CBOD 5 day	30D Conc	10.0	15.2812	11/1/2014
2PB00002*HD	November 2014	001	80082	CBOD 5 day	7D Conc	15.0	18.375	11/8/2014
2PB00002*HD	November 2014	001	80082	CBOD 5 day	7D Conc	15.0	20.35	11/15/2014
2PB00002*HD	October 2014	001	00530	Total Suspended Solids	30D Conc	12.0	13.4812	10/1/2014
2PB00002*HD	October 2014	001	00530	Total Suspended Solids	7D Conc	18.0	18.75	10/15/2014
2PB00002*HD	October 2014	001	00530	Total Suspended Solids	7D Conc	18.0	21.4	10/22/2014
2PB00002*HD	October 2014	001	00610	Nitrogen, Ammonia (NH3)	30D Conc	1.2	2.96625	10/1/2014
2PB00002*HD	October 2014	001	00610	Nitrogen, Ammonia (NH3)	7D Conc	1.8	2.62	10/15/2014
2PB00002*HD	October 2014	001	00610	Nitrogen, Ammonia (NH3)	7D Conc	1.8	7.755	10/22/2014
2PB00002*HD	October 2014	001	31648	E. coli	30D Conc	161	2234.22	10/1/2014
2PB00002*HD	October 2014	001	31648	E. coli	7D Conc	362	2420.	10/1/2014
2PB00002*HD	October 2014	001	31648	E. coli	7D Conc	362	1179.61	10/8/2014
2PB00002*HD	October 2014	001	31648	E. coli	7D Conc	362	2550.48	10/15/2014
2PB00002*HD	October 2014	001	31648	E. coli	7D Conc	362	3422.39	10/22/2014
2PB00002*HD	December 2014	001	00610	Nitrogen, Ammonia (NH3)	30D Conc	2.0	3.625	12/1/2014
2PB00002*HD	December 2014	001	00610	Nitrogen, Ammonia (NH3)	7D Conc	3.0	7.295	12/1/2014
2PB00002*HD	December 2014	001	01119	Copper, Total Recovers	30D Conc	22.0	28.	12/1/2014
2PB00002*HD	January 2015	001	00610	Nitrogen, Ammonia (NH3)	30D Conc	2.0	3.4475	1/1/2015
2PB00002*HD	January 2015	001	00610	Nitrogen, Ammonia (NH3)	7D Conc	3.0	5.18	1/8/2015
2PB00002*HD	January 2015	001	00610	Nitrogen, Ammonia (NH3)	7D Conc	3.0	5.635	1/22/2015
2PB00002*HD	January 2015	001	80082	CBOD 5 day	7D Conc	15.0	17.1	1/22/2015