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Jon J Napier Hunnell Hills Community Water System 360 SW Bond Street #400 Bend, OR 97702

RE: Notice of failure to correct significant deficiencies at the Hunnell Hills Community Water System

Dear Mr. Napier,

Records indicate you are the registered agent for Hunnell Hills Community Water System, a cooperative supplying drinking water to homes located along West Quail Haven Drive near Bend, Oregon. Hunnell Hills Community Water System (hereinafter "Water Supplier") is therefore a water supplier as defined in ORS 448.115(12) and OAR 333-061-0020(150) and has specific responsibilities as defined in OAR 333-061-0025.

The Hunnell Hills water system is a community public water system identified by ID# 4100090, that serves approximately 45 people and is subject to regulation according to the Oregon Drinking Water Quality Act (Oregon Revised Statutes 448.115 to 448.290) and Oregon Administrative Rule (OAR) 333-061-0005 to OAR 333-061-0272.

The Oregon Health Authority, Public Health Division, Center for Health Protection, Drinking Water Services (DWS) has reviewed the operation of the Hunnell Hills water system. This review has found that Water supplier is not in compliance with OAR 333-061-0076(5) and therefore not meeting its responsibilities as a water supplier.

OAR 333-061-0076(5) requires water suppliers to correct significant deficiencies or to be in compliance with an approved corrective action schedule. Water Supplier has not reported that significant deficiencies were corrected by the February 18, 2020 due date for the Hunnell Hills water system. One deficiency, sanitary seal and casing not watertight, is considered a direct pathway for contamination to enter a water system and is a priority for correction. The failure to correct this deficiency by the due date following the sanitary survey is a violation of OAR 333-061-0076(5) and (7).

Water Supplier must submit written verification to me that this deficiency is corrected within 30 days of the date of this letter.

If Water supplier does not comply with the deadline specified in this letter, the continued non-compliance may result in additional enforcement action, which could include the assessment of civil penalties in the amount of \$50.00 for every distinct rule violation and for every day the Hunnell Hills water system is in violation of a rule as prescribed by OAR 333-061-0090. Please contact me at (971) 673-0461 if you have any questions about the compliance action specified in this letter.

Respectfully,

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Oregon Health Authority, Drinking Water Services

cc: Robert Andrews, President, Hunnell Hills Community Water System Butch Rogers, Hunnell Hills Community Water System Jeff Freund, Deschutes County Environmental Health Michelle Byrd, Oregon Health Authority, Drinking Water Services