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Walter W. Longtin River Village Mobile Home Park 3605 SW 4<sup>th</sup> Ave. Ontario, OR 97914

RE: Notice of Non-Compliance regarding River Village Mobile Home Park Public Water System

Mr. Longtin:

Our records indicate that you own the River Village Mobile Home Park (River Village) water system located at 3200 N. Oregon St. in Ontario, Oregon. Therefore, you are a water supplier as defined in Oregon Revised Statute (ORS) <u>448.115(12)</u> and Oregon Administrative Rule (OAR) <u>333-061-0020(207)</u>, and have specific responsibilities as defined in <u>OAR 333-061-0025</u>.

River Village is a community public water system identified by public water system ID #41- 05854 serving approximately 30 people and is subject to regulation under ORS 448.115 to 448.290 and <u>OAR 333-061-0005</u>.

The Oregon Health Authority, Public Health Division, Center for Health Protection, Drinking Water Services (DWS) has reviewed the operation of the River Village water system. This review has found that you are not in compliance with the following Oregon administrative rules, and therefore not meeting your responsibilities as a water supplier as prescribed by the Oregon Drinking Water Quality Act (ORS 448.115 to ORS 448.290) and rules.

## DESCRIPTION OF RULE VIOLATIONS

• Violation No. 1: <u>OAR 333-061-0030(1)</u> specifies that the maximum contaminant level (MCL) for arsenic in drinking water is 0.010 mg/L. The River Village water system exceeded the MCL for arsenic as specified in 333-061-0030(1) based upon the results of samples collected August 8, 2012; May 7, 2013; and August 23, 2013. You were notified in a letter dated June 9, 2014 that also requested you submit dates for the

completion of activities related to the development of a new groundwater well. However, a response to the letter was not received as of the date of this notice. This constitutes a violation of OAR 333-061-0030(1).

- Violation No. 2: You are required by OAR <u>333-061-0036(2)(a)</u> to conduct sampling at the River Village water system to determine compliance with the MCL for arsenic, but failed to submit arsenic sampling results for each of the following monitoring periods:
  - 2<sup>nd</sup> quarter 2014
    3<sup>rd</sup> quarter 2014

This constitutes two violations of OAR 333-061-0036(2).

## ACTIONS REQUIRED TO ACHIEVE COMPLIANCE

Due to the rule violations identified in this notice, you are required to complete the following action relating to River Village water system:

- Compliance Action No. 1: You must submit a corrective action plan no later than December 31, 2014 clearly identifying what action will be taken to ensure water at the River Village water system has levels of arsenic below the MCL.
- Compliance Action No. 2: You must ensure samples for arsenic are collected in ٠ accordance with OAR 333-061-0036(2)(a) and that results are reported no later than December 1, 2014.

If you do not comply with the deadlines specified in this letter, the continued noncompliance may result in additional enforcement action including the assessment of civil penalties as prescribed by OAR 333-061-0090. Please contact Bill Goss at Drinking Water Services at 541-966-0900 to discuss the compliance actions specified in this letter.

Respectfully,

Janet Brock

Janet Brock Compliance Specialist OHA - Drinking Water Services

cc: Bill Goss, OHA-DWS Technical Staff