

May 28, 2019

Peter Moore
Breitenbush Hot Springs Retreat and Conference Center
Breitenbush Hot Springs
PO Box 578
Detroit, OR 97342

RE: Notice of failure to correct significant deficiencies at the Breitenbush Hot Springs public water system 4193461

Records indicate that Breitenbush Hot Springs Retreat and Conference Center owns and operates the Breitenbush Hot Springs (Breitenbush) public water system located at 53000 Breitenbush Road, Detroit, OR 97342. Breitenbush is a community public water system identified by ID# OR4193461 that serves approximately 200 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. Breitenbush Hot Springs Retreat and Conference Center is therefore a water supplier as defined in ORS 448.115(12) and OAR 333-061-0020(150) and have specific responsibilities as defined in OAR 333-061-0025.

The Oregon Health Authority, Public Health Division, Center for Health Protection, Drinking Water Services (DWS) has reviewed the operation of the Breitenbush water system. This review has found that you are not in compliance with OAR 333-061-0076(6) and therefore not meeting your responsibilities as a water supplier.

OAR 333-061-0076(6) requires water suppliers to correct significant deficiencies or to be in compliance with an approved corrective action schedule following a sanitary survey. You have not reported that the significant deficiencies were corrected by the May 1, 2019 deadline. One deficiency, *No screened vent*, is considered a direct pathway for contamination to enter a water system and a priority for correction. The failure to correct this deficiency by the due date following the sanitary survey is a violation of Oregon Administrative Rule (OAR) 333-061-0076(6). You must submit written verification to me that this deficiency is corrected within 30 days of the date of this notice. If you do 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 \$100 for every distinct rule violation and for every day the Breitenbush Hot Springs 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,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Abbie Spielman". The signature is written in a cursive style and is set against a light gray rectangular background.

Abbie Spielman
Oregon Health Authority, Drinking Water Services

cc: Greg Largent, Breitenbush Bush Hot Springs
Christia Skerbeck, Oregon Health Authority, Drinking Water Services