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Thomas Ryder
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RE: Failure to comply with Notice of Violation and Administrative Order and possible civil penalties.

On February 16, 2022, The Oregon Health Authority, Public Health Division, Center for Health Protection, Drinking Water Services (DWS) issued an administrative order (Order) to James and Rowena Lang, Tammy Lyons, and Thomas Ryder (hereinafter “Water Supplier”) due to violations at the Oasis Café public water system (hereinafter “Water System”), identified by PWS ID# OR4193644 and located at 5838 US Highway 20 in Juntura, Oregon.

Specifically, the Order required coliform monitoring to be conducted and reported at least once every month, for six consecutive months. Coliform monitoring for the months of May and July 2022 was not reported to DWS, which is a violation of the Order. Water Supplier is now at risk of being assessed civil penalties in the amount of \$50 for every distinct rule violation and for every day the Water System is in violation of a rule (OAR 333-061-0090).

In the event Drinking Water services assesses a civil penalty against Water Supplier, you will be notified in writing and provided an opportunity for a hearing pursuant to the Oregon Administrative Procedures Act (ORS chapter 183).

To avoid being assessed civil penalties, Water Supplier must immediately report coliform monitoring and continue to report coliform monitoring for six consecutive months according to all the applicable provisions of OAR 333-061-0036(6).

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "BK Daniels", is placed over a light gray rectangular background.

Brad K. Daniels

Enforcement Coordinator

Oregon Health Authority, Drinking Water Services

cc: Jessica Alexander, Malheur County Environmental Health
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