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November 6, 2020

James Gerber
New Hope Foursquare Church
4963 Swegle Road NE
Salem, OR 97301

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**Re: Water System Survey Significant Deficiencies/Rule Violations
New Hope Foursquare Church, PWS 41-94511**

**ENVIRONMENTAL
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Alisa Zastoupil, REHS,
Supervisor
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Dear Mr. Gerber:

A water system survey was completed for New Hope Foursquare Church on 10/30/2019 identifying significant deficiencies and rule violations to be corrected. A letter and copy of the survey report were mailed on October 31, 2019. Oregon Administrative Rule (OAR) 333-061-0076(6) and OAR 333-061-0032(6)(e) requires water systems that use groundwater sources to have completed corrective action or be in compliance with a Department-approved corrective action plan within 120 days of receiving written notice of a significant deficiency.

New Hope Foursquare Church was to complete corrective action by 3/5/2020 or have a Department-approved corrective action plan with a reasonable timeframe to complete the corrective action. To date, the deficiencies have not been corrected (No raw water sample tap, No operations & maintenance manual, Emergency response plan not completed). As a result, New Hope Foursquare Church is in violation and is now subject to formal enforcement which could include the assessment of civil penalties. In order to return to compliance and avoid formal enforcement action, your corrective action plan **must be received and approved by 12/7/2020**. Please send information to: Greg DeBlase, 3180 Center St NE #1101, Salem, OR 97301, gdeblase@co.marion.or.us, FAX 503-566-2986. A copy of the survey letter is enclosed for your reference.

Since New Hope Foursquare Church failed to take action within the required timeframe, you **must provide notification** to all persons served by the water system as soon as practical and by no later than 30 days after the date of this letter. The public notice must include the mandatory language and corrective action taken. You are also required to issue a repeat notice every three months until all deficiencies are corrected or you are in compliance with an approved corrective action plan. A copy of the Tier 2 public notice instructions and template are enclosed.

A copy of the public notice must be sent to the Oregon Health Authority - Drinking Water Program, PO Box 14350, Portland, OR 97293-0350 within ten (10) days after completion to



certify that New Hope Foursquare Church has fully complied with the distribution and public notification requirements.

Please contact me by phone at 503-588-5407 or via email at gdeblase@co.marion.or.us if you have questions or comments.

I appreciate your immediate attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Greg DeBlase, REHS". The signature is written in a cursive style and is centered on the page.

Greg DeBlase, REHS
Marion County Environmental Health

Enclosures: Tier 2 public notice template
Survey letter

cc: OHA-DWP Portland file