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RE: Notice of Non-Compliance Regarding the Oregon Golf Club Public Water System

Records indicate American Golf Corporation of California, Inc. (Corporation) owns and operates the Oregon Golf Club (OGC) water system located at 25700 SW Pete's Mountain Road in West Linn, Oregon. The OGC water system is a non-transient non-community public water system identified by ID# OR4195024 that serves approximately 35 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 Corporation is therefore a water supplier as defined in ORS 448.115(12) and OAR 333-061-0020(211) and has specific responsibilities as defined in OAR 333-061-0025.

The Oregon Health Authority, Public Health Division, Center for Health Protection, Drinking Water Services (Authority) has reviewed the operation of the OGC water system. This review has found that the Corporation is not in compliance with OAR 333-061-0036(2)(c) and therefore not meeting its responsibilities as a water supplier.

## **DESCRIPTION OF RULE VIOLATIONS**

OAR 333-061-0036(2)(c) requires monitoring for lead and copper in tap water at all non-transient non-community water systems. Monitoring should have been conducted during the 2015 calendar year at the OGC water system, three years after the previous round of monitoring, but the required monitoring was not reported as required. Additionally, the Authority mailed a letter to Russell Vandehey at the Oregon Golf Club on June 6, 2016, requiring lead and copper monitoring be reported no later than October 10, 2016. This date has passed however and the required monitoring was not reported for a second consecutive year. This constitutes a violation of OAR 333-061-0036(2)(c).

## ACTIONS REQUIRED TO ACHIEVE COMPLIANCE

Due to the rule violations identified above, the Corporation must report to the Authority, lead and copper monitoring conducted during the month of June or July 2017 at the OGC water system and according to all the applicable provisions of OAR 333-061-0036(2)(c).

• The monitoring must be reported to the Authority no later than August 10, 2017.

If the Corporation does not comply with the deadlines specified in this letter, the continued non-compliance may result in the assessment of civil penalties in the amount of \$50 for every distinct rule violation and for every day the OGC water system is in violation of a rule as prescribed by OAR 333-061-0090. Please contact me at (971) 673-0407 if you have any questions about the compliance action specified in this letter.

Respectfully,

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