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REGION III**

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Re: Administrative Order
Docket No. SDWA-03-2022-0109DS

Dear Mr. Baisden:

On July 21, 2022, the United States Environmental Protection Agency Region 3 (“EPA”) filed an Administrative Order against the Eastern Wyoming PSD as the owner and/or operator of the Eastern Wyoming PSD Stephenson WTP public water system (“the System”). The Order addressed the requirements of the 2018 America’s Water Infrastructure Act (“AWIA”) (Public Law 115-270), which required public water systems to conduct and submit a certification of their Risk and Resilience Assessment (“RRA”) and to prepare or revise an Emergency Response Plan (“ERP”) by the dates specified in AWIA.

The Administrative Order provided that the effective date of the Order would be 10 days after the receipt of the Order, or 10 days after a conference between EPA and the System if the System requested a conference pursuant to the Order. The Order was delivered on July 22, 2022, and on July 22, 2022 a representative of Eastern Wyoming PSD contacted EPA to request a conference. Representatives of the System conferred with a representative of EPA about this matter on August 15, 2022. Thus, the effective date of the Order is Monday August 25, 2022.

Pursuant to the Order, the System must complete the RRA and submit certification of the RRA completion no later than August 31, 2022. The System must revise or complete the ERP and submit certification of the completion or revision of the ERP no later than November 27, 2022. Please note that failure to comply with the provisions of the attached Order may subject the Eastern Wyoming PSD to further enforcement action. If you have any questions pertaining to this matter, please contact Andrea Lewis of my staff at (215) 814-2074 or lewis.andrea@epa.gov, or have your attorney contact Nina Rivera at (215) 814-2667 or rivera.nina@epa.gov.

Sincerely,

Renee Bryant, Section Chief
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cc: Regional Hearing Clerk, EPA, Region III (via email at R3_Hearing_Clerk@epa.gov)