



UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY
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JAN 25 2011

CERTIFIED MAIL
RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Park County Commissioners
c/o Jill Shockley-Siggins, Chair
1002 Sheridan Ave.
County Courthouse
Cody, WY 82414-3598

Re: Notice of Safe Drinking Water Act
Enforcement Action against the
Camp Buffalo Bill
Public Water System
PWS ID #WY5601373

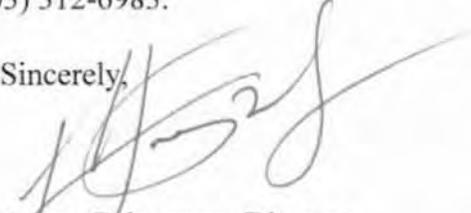
Dear County Commissioners:

The Safe Drinking Water Act requires that the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) notify locally elected officials of certain enforcement actions taken in their area.

EPA has issued an Administrative Order to Central Wyoming Council of Boy Scouts of America, owner of the Camp Buffalo Bill drinking water system, directing it to comply with the National Primary Drinking Water Regulations. The violations alleged in the Order include: failing to monitor for total coliform bacteria and failing to report these violations to EPA.

For more details, a copy of the Order is enclosed. **The Order does not require any response or action by the County Commission.** If you have any questions regarding the Order, please contact Kimberly Pardue Welch at (303) 312-6983.

Sincerely,



Arturo Palomares, Director
Water Technical Enforcement Program
Office of Enforcement, Compliance
and Environmental Justice

Enclosure:
Administrative Order



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Mark Francis, Registered Agent
Central Wyoming Council of Boy Scouts of America
Camp Buffalo Bill
3939 Mountain Rd.
Casper, WY 82602

Re: Administrative Order
Camp Buffalo Bill
Public Water System
Docket No. **SDWA-08-2011-0013**
PWS ID #WY5601373

Dear Mr. Francis:

Enclosed is an Administrative Order (Order) issued by the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) under the authority of the Safe Drinking Water Act, 42 U.S.C. §§ 300f *et seq.* Among other things, the Order alleges that the Central Wyoming Council of Boy Scouts of America (the Central Wyoming Council) has violated the National Primary Drinking Water Regulations (the drinking water regulations).

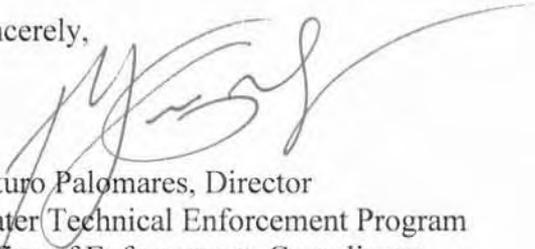
The Order is effective upon the date received. Please review the Order and within 10 days provide EPA with any information you believe EPA may not have. If the Central Wyoming Council complies with the Order, EPA may close the Order without further action. Failure to comply with the Order may lead to substantial civil penalties and/or a Federal court injunction ordering compliance.

To submit information or request an informal conference with EPA, please contact Kimberly Pardue Welch at the above address (with the mailcode 8ENF-W) or by phone at (800) 227-8917, extension 6983 or (303) 312-6983. Any questions from the Central Wyoming Council's attorney should be directed to Dana Stotsky, Enforcement Attorney, who

may be reached at the above address (with the mailcode 8ENF-L) or by phone at (800) 227-8917, extension 6905 or (303) 312-6905.

We urge your prompt attention to this matter.

Sincerely,



Arturo Palomares, Director
Water Technical Enforcement Program
Office of Enforcement, Compliance
and Environmental Justice

Enclosures:
Order

cc:
WY DEQ/DOH (via email)
Andrew Allgeier, Director of Camp Operations
Joe Alexander, Shoshone National Forest Supervisor
Tina Artemis, EPA Regional Hearing Clerk

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IN THE MATTER OF:)
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Central Wyoming Council of)
Boy Scouts of America)
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Respondent.)

Docket No. **SDWA-08-2011-0013**

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER

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HEARING CLERK

1. This Order is issued under the authority vested in the Administrator of the United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) by the Safe Drinking Water Act, 42 U.S.C. § 300f *et seq.* (the Act), as properly delegated to the undersigned officials.

2. Central Wyoming Council of Boy Scouts of America (Respondent) is a Wyoming nonprofit corporation that owns and/or operates the Camp Buffalo Bill Water System (the system), which provides piped water to the public in Park County, Wyoming, for human consumption.

3. The system is supplied by a groundwater source consisting of an infiltration gallery off the North Fork of the Shoshone River and a cistern. The water is continuously disinfected with a sodium hypochlorite solution.

4. The system has approximately 13 service connections and regularly serves an average of approximately 225 individuals daily at least 60 days out of the year. Therefore, the system is a "public water system" as defined in § 1401(4) of the Act, 42 U.S.C. § 300f (4), and 40 C.F.R. § 141.2. The system is also a "transient, non-community water system" as defined in 40 C.F.R. § 141.2.

5. Respondent is subject to the Act and the National Primary Drinking Water Regulations (drinking water regulations) at 40 C.F.R. part 141. The drinking water regulations are "applicable requirements" as defined in § 1414(i) of the Act, 42 U.S.C. § 300g-3(i).

6. The drinking water regulations include monitoring requirements. EPA has sent Respondent annual notifications of the specific monitoring requirements that apply to the system.

VIOLATIONS

7. Respondent is required to monitor the system's water during the 3rd quarter (July – September) each year for total coliform bacteria. 40 C.F.R. § 141.21. Respondent failed to monitor the system's water for total coliform bacteria during the 3rd quarter of 2009 and 3rd quarter of 2010 and, therefore, violated this requirement.

8. Respondent is required to report any failure to comply with any coliform monitoring requirement to EPA within ten days of discovering the violation. 40 C.F.R. § 141.21(g)(2).

Respondent failed to report the violations listed in paragraph 7, above, to EPA and, therefore, violated this requirement.

ORDER

Based on the above violations, Respondent is ordered to perform the following actions upon Respondent's receipt of this Order (unless a different deadline is specified below):

9. Respondent shall monitor the system's water during the 3rd quarter (July – September) for total coliform bacteria, as required by 40 C.F.R. § 141.21. Respondent shall report analytical results to EPA within the first 10 days following the month in which sample results were received, as required by the drinking water regulations. 40 C.F.R. § 141.31(a). Respondent shall report any violation of the total coliform monitoring requirements to EPA within 10 days of discovery, as required by 40 C.F.R. § 141.21(g)(2).

10. Respondent shall direct all reporting required by this Order to:

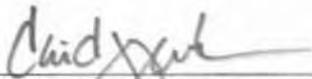
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GENERAL PROVISIONS

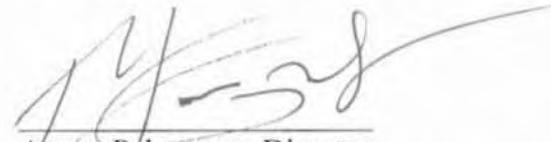
11. This Order does not constitute a waiver, suspension, or modification of any requirement of the Act or drinking water regulations. Issuance of this Order is not an election by EPA to forgo any civil or criminal action.

12. Violation of any part of this Order or the drinking water regulations may subject Respondent to a civil penalty of up to \$37,500 (as adjusted for inflation) per day of violation, 42 U.S.C. § 300g-3; 40 C.F.R. part 19.

Issued: January 25, 2011.



Michael T. Risner, Director
David Janik, Supervisory Attorney
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