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Kevin Brown, Director Division of Drinking Water Utah Department of Environmental Quality P.O. Box 144810 Salt Lake City, UT 84114-4810

#### NOTICE OF VIOLATION

Docket No. **SDWA-08-2007-0011** The Other End 155 W 1000 S #22 Heber City, UT 84032 PWS ID# UTAH26050

Dear Mr. Brown:

The above referenced public drinking water system has violated certain provisions of the Safe Drinking Water Act (the Act), 42 U.S.C. § 300f, <u>et seq</u>., and the National Primary Drinking Water Regulations at 40 C.F.R. part 141. The violations consist of exceeding the maximum contaminant level (MCL) for total coliform, exceeding the acute MCL for total coliform, failure to monitor for bacteriological quality, failure to take four repeat samples following a positive total coliform sample in the preceding month, failure to monitor for nitrate, failure to provide public notice, and failure to notify the State of the violations. Our records, obtained from the Utah Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ), indicate the violations noted below. Please notify Kimberly Pardue Welch of my staff at (303) 312-6983 within 20 days if your records show any discrepancies with these determinations of violation.

Date of <u>Violation</u>	Violation
August and September 2003, January and March 2006	Exceeded the MCL for total coliform bacteria. [40 C.F.R. § 141.63(a)(2)]
August 2006	Exceeded the acute MCL for total coliform bacteria. [40 C.F.R. § 141.63(b)]
4 <sup>th</sup> quarter 2001 and 2002, 1 <sup>st</sup> quarter 2003, and 3 <sup>rd</sup> and 4 <sup>th</sup> quarters 2005	Failure to monitor for bacteriological quality. [40 C.F.R. § 141.21(a)]
July 2003, April and June 2006	Failure to take 4 repeat samples following a total coliform positive result. [40 C.F.R. § 141.21(b)]
September 2003, February, May, and September 2006	Failure to take five routine samples following a total coliform positive sample the preceding month. [40 C.F.R. § 141.21(b)(5)] (System took incorrect number (2) of samples in September 2003.)
2003 and 2004	Failure to monitor for nitrate. [40 C.F.R. § 141.23 (d)]
2002 – 2006	Failure to provide public notice of the above-referenced violations. [40 C.F.R. § 141.201]
2002 – 2006	Failure to report the above-referenced violations to the State. [40 C.F.R. §§ 141.31(b), 141.21(g)(2)]

This NOTICE OF VIOLATION is issued pursuant to section 1414(a) of the Act, 42 U.S.C. § 300g-3(a). If the State does not commence appropriate enforcement action within 30 days from the receipt of this notification, the EPA is authorized either to issue an Administrative Order under section 1414(g) of the Act, 42 U.S.C. § 300g-3(g), requiring the public water system to comply with the regulations or requirements, or to commence civil action under section 1414(b) of the Act, 42 U.S.C. § 300g-3(b).

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