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SENT VIA EMAIL DIGITAL DELIVERY RECEIPT REQUESTED

Mr. Andrew Corry Facilities Manager MHVC 66 Ranch CorryAT@ChurchofJesusChrist.org

Corporation Service Company Registered Agent for the Corporation of the Presiding Bishop of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints 1821 Logan Ave Cheyenne, WY 82001 USA

Subj: Emergency Administrative Order under Section 1431 of the Safe Drinking Water Act, MHVC 66 Ranch PWSID #WY5601446, Docket No. SDWA-08-2024-0035

Dear Mr. Corry and Registered Agent:

Enclosed is an Emergency Administrative Order (Order) issued by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency to the Corporation of the Presiding Bishop of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints (Respondent) under section 1431 of the Safe Drinking Water Act, 42 U.S.C. § 300i.

The EPA has determined that conditions exist at the MHVC 66 Ranch Public Water System (System) that may present an imminent and substantial endangerment to the persons served by the System. The EPA has made this determination based on a notification from Energy Laboratory on July 5, 2024, that the System has *E. coli* contamination, as described in the Order.

Pursuant to the authority set forth in section 1431 of the Act, 42 U.S.C. § 300i, the EPA is authorized to take actions necessary to protect human health. The Order and its requirements are necessary to ensure adequate protection of public health.

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The enclosed Order sets forth the actions that must be taken to ensure that the people served by the System are provided with safe drinking water. The Order requires the Respondent to, among other things, take the following actions: issue a boil water advisory and provide an alternate source of water until notified by the EPA to discontinue; submit a plan and schedule for corrective actions; disinfect and flush the System; and take additional total coliform bacteria samples.

The penalties for failing to comply are set forth in the Order. If you have any questions or wish to discuss the Order, please contact Rachel Brookins via email at brookins.rachel@epa.gov, or by phone at (800) 227-8917, extension 6509, or (303) 312-6509. Any questions from Respondent's attorney should be directed to Noah Stanton, Assistant Regional Counsel, via email at stanton.noah@epa.gov or by phone at (800) 227-8917, extension 6163, or (303) 312-6163.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

Tiffany Cantor, Manager Water Enforcement Branch Enforcement and Compliance Assurance Division

ENCLOSURES

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