



**UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY
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Mayor Scott James
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Re: Administrative Order
Docket No. SDWA-03-2022-0108DS

Dear Mayor James:

On July 20, 2022, the United States Environmental Protection Agency Region 3 (“EPA”) filed an Administrative Order against the City of St. Albans as the owner and/or operator of the St. Albans Water 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 EPA did not receive a request for a conference. Thus, the effective date of the Order was August 1, 2022.

EPA received confirmation that the System certified that it complied with both AWIA requirements. Therefore, we are terminating this Order. If you have any further 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
SDWA & Wetlands Section
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cc: Regional Hearing Clerk, EPA, Region III (via email at R3_Hearing_Clerk@epa.gov)