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August 18, 2020

Suzanne Bohan, Director
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United States Environmental Protection Agency
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Enforcement and Compliance Assurance Division
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VIA EMAIL: latino.steven@epa.gov

August 19, 2020
7:00 AM

Received by
EPA Region VIII
Hearing Clerk

RE: EAO Ref 8ENF-W-SD/Wyola Public Water System, PSW ID #83090014

Dear Ms. Bohan and Mr. Latino:

I am in receipt of your letter and above-referenced order dated August 17, 2020, and hereby provide notice to you of the Crow Nation's intent to comply with the order. The Crow Nation is in the process of distributing a boil order advisory to all persons served by the Wyola Water System (See Attached Copy of Notice). The Crow Nation shall continue to provide the public notice until the EPA provides written notice that public notice may be discontinued. As you will see, the Notice meets the requirements of 40 CFR part 141, subpart Q.

The Crow Nation has also notified the impacted public that an alternative potable water supply is available at no cost to all impacted uses of the system as needed for drinking, cooking, maintaining oral hygiene, and dish washing. Crow Nation shall provide at least two liters of potable water daily per person at a central location in Wyola that is accessible to all impacted persons served by the system. The alternate water supply shall be made available until we receive written notification from the EPA that it is no longer necessary to supply.

Within 5 days we will provide EPA with a copy of our notification of the availability of an alternate water supply. And within 15 days we will provide EPA the corrective measures. Within 24 hours after the corrective action has been taken, the Crow Nation will comply with the Distribution System Disinfection and Monitoring requirements or the Order. And finally, Crow Nation will comply with the daily reporting requirements of the order.

Sincerely,

A.J. Not Afraid, Chairman