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Mr. Eldon Hongo
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Re: Emergency Administrative Order Addendum under Section 1431 of the Safe Drinking Water Act, Bunkhouse Bar and Grill Public Water System, PWS ID #WY5601129
Docket No. SDWA-08-2021-0026

Dear Mr. Hongo:

This is an Addendum to the Emergency Administrative Order (Order) issued to you on June 15, 2021. The purpose of this letter is to approve the August 30, 2021 schedule (Schedule) for coming into consistent compliance with the E. coli and required corrective measure of the Order. The Schedule is hereby incorporated into the Order pursuant to paragraph 19. Each milestone and deadline specified below is an enforceable provision of the Order.

Table with 2 columns: Milestone and Deadline. Contains 11 rows of corrective actions and their completion dates.

12. Submit permit application to DEQ for water system. The permit includes the following: a new sanitary hydrant between the cistern and well, a new overflow and vent on the cistern with #24 mesh screen, a new 1400-gallon cistern, a new riser for cistern with shoe box lid, concrete splash pad for overflow, float, and a bypass around the new cistern.	Completed August 27, 2021
13. DEQ Permit issued by this date.	September 13, 2021
14. Abandon the existing cistern in place.	September 14, 2021
15. Install new sanitary hydrant between the cistern and well, new overflow and vent on the cistern, a new 1400-gallon cistern, new riser for the cistern with a shoe box lid, concrete splash pad for overflow, float, and a bypass around the new cistern.	September 14, 2021
16. Disinfect well, cistern and waterline to well pit.	September 14, 2021
17. Flush system of all chlorine.	September 15, 2021 & September 16, 2021
18. Take 5 water samples from the cistern for total coliform and E. coli.	September 16, 2021
19. In the early evening, after the bar closes, disinfect from the well pit through the distribution system and let set 24 hours.	September 19, 2021
20. Flush all the lines until no chlorine is detected. Take a special water sample from the women's restroom and measure the chlorine residual.	September 20, 2021
21. Take a special water sample from the women's restroom and measure the chlorine residual.	September 21, 2021
22. Take a special water sample from the women's restroom and measure the chlorine residual.	September 22, 2021
23. Should have the last water test result back by late afternoon. If all pass, then the bar will need to get permission to reopen with full use of well and cistern system.	September 23, 2021
24. After receiving written notice from the EPA that it may discontinue consecutive daily special total coliform sampling, begin weekly special total coliform sampling (one sample per week).	Upon notification by EPA
25. After receiving written notice from the EPA that it may discontinue weekly special total coliform sampling, resume monthly routine total coliform sampling. Provide safe water to the public.	Upon notification by EPA

Within 10 calendar days of completing all steps included in the above Schedule, please notify the EPA of the project's completion as required by the Order. The EPA is authorized to seek penalties if these deadlines are not met. If you have a reasonable basis to believe it may be unable to meet any deadline in the Schedule, you must notify the EPA well in advance of the Scheduled deadline to request an extension. The EPA may, in its discretion, consider granting an extension.

In addition, the EPA acknowledges that the COVID-19 pandemic also may impact construction projects. If you have specific COVID-19 issues that would affect the timeframes listed herein, please contact Christina Carballal via email at Carballal-Broome.Christina@epa.gov or by phone at (800) 227-8917, extension 6046, or (303) 312-6046 as soon as possible. The EPA may, in its discretion, consider granting an extension.

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 Christina Carballal at (800) 227-8917 extension 6046 or 303-312-6046, or by email at carballal-broome.christina@epa.gov. Any questions from your counsel should be directed to Mia Bearley, Senior Assistant Regional Counsel, (800) 227-8917, extension 6554, or at (303) 312-6554, or by email at bearley.mia@epa.gov.

Sincerely,

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