

## **REVISED COPY**

June 12, 2018

RE: Toledo, City Of

Plan Approval

**Drinking Water Program** 

**Lucas County** 

PWSID: OH4801411

Package Number: 1209467

Ms. Patekka Bannister Commissioner of Plant Operations 420 Madison Ave, Suite 400 Toledo, OH 43604

Subject: Application No. 1209467-WS; Detail Plans for TOLEDO HAB GENERAL PLAN; Plans Received From Black & Veatch

Ladies and Gentlemen:

The Ohio Environmental Protection Agency has reviewed the enclosed plans submitted pursuant to Ohio Revised Code Sections 6109.07 et. seq., or accepted the certification of plan review by an authorized professional engineer pursuant to a contract therefore. These plans are approved subject to the condition of compliance with all applicable laws, rules, regulations, and standards. The applicant is responsible for obtaining all other necessary approvals, waivers or releases required by state, federal or local law prior to implementing this plan. Further, all construction must be supervised by a registered engineer, if required by law, or expert qualified in such work.

- (a) The enclosed report contains a description of the facilities approved which may include information regarding approved operating rates, capacities, and requirements, and is incorporated herein.
- (b) In accordance with OAC 3745-90-05(B), the owner shall implement the approved cyanotoxin general plan in accordance with the approved schedule and continue to monitor for microcystins in accordance with OAC 3745-90-03 to demonstrate treatment effectiveness.
- (c) In accordance with OAC 3745-90-05(C), if the owner fails to comply with item (b) of this plan approval, it is a violation of the treatment technique requirement of the HAB rules and the owner shall issue a tier 2 notification in accordance with OAC 3745-81-32.
- (d) If there are any "substantial changes" to either source water or treatment, as defined in OAC 3745-91-01, the owner shall contact the Division of Drinking and Ground Waters, Northwest District Office to determine if a revision to the Cyanotoxin General Plan is needed.
- (e) The Cyanotoxin General Plan shall be reviewed annually and updated as needed. Any revisions to the general plan shall be submitted to the Division of Drinking and Ground Waters, Northwest District Office for review.

If a Water Supply Revolving Loan Account (WSRLA) loan is desired, it will be necessary to comply with the requirements of Ohio Revised Code 6109.22. If compliance with WSRLA requirements necessitates any revisions to the plans as herein approved, a resubmittal and approval of the plans will be required before construction.

Should there be any questions regarding the requirements, meaning, or interpretation of any of the above which we may clarify, please contact the Division of Drinking and Ground Waters, Northwest District Office, Ohio

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## **Environmental Protection Agency.**

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Environmental Review Appeals Commission 30 East Broad Street, 4<sup>th</sup> Floor Columbus, OH 43215

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Sincerely,

Craig W. Butler Director

CWB/am

cc: Lucas County Health Department

ec: Justin Bowerman, Ben Sloan, NWDO, DDAGW Judy Stottsberry, CO, DDAGW Nick Burns, P.E., Black and Veatch