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**To: Public Water Systems Under Ohio Revised Code Chapter 6109**

7/10/2020

**Re: Termination of the Ohio Environmental Protection Agency's March 31, 2020 State of  
Emergency Public Water System Order (PWS Order)**

WHEREAS, the State rescinded Section 15 (Travel) of the ODH April 2020 Stay Healthy and Safe at Home Order and replaced it with an Urgent Health Advisory on May 20, 2020. With the rescission of the aforementioned Order and enactment of the Urgent Health Advisory, Ohio's citizens are no longer required to stay at home or in their place of residence.

WHEREAS, On April 27, 2020, Ohio Governor Mike DeWine announced the Responsible Restart Ohio Plan, to allow for a phased reopening of Ohio's economy, under which many of Ohio's businesses and industries have reopened operations under protocols and industry-specific operating requirements.

WHEREAS, based on the foregoing, the State of Emergency PWS Orders issued by Ohio EPA on March 31, 2020 are no longer necessary.

**ORDER**

I, Laurie A. Stevenson, Director of the Ohio Environmental Protection Agency, pursuant to the authority granted to me in R.C. 6109.04 hereby modify the March 31, 2020 State of Emergency PWS Order termination date to make termination effective on July 10, 2020. This Modified Order is effective immediately upon entry of this document into the Ohio EPA Director's Journal.

**IT IS SO ORDERED:**

**Ohio Environmental Protection Agency**



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Laurie A. Stevenson  
Director

7/10/2020

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