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Mr. Ashok M. Sanghavi
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501 Eagle Mountain Road
Charleston, WV 25311

Re: Request for Dewatering Ponds for
Decommission at Shawnee Park, Institute,
West Virginia

Dear Mr. Sanghavi:

This is in response to letter received November 3, 2017 from S & S Engineers on behalf of the Kanawha County Commission requesting a one-time discharge to dewater Ponds Nos. 1 and 2. These ponds were used to irrigate the golf course at Shawnee Park, Institute WV by pumping water from the Kanawha River to these ponds. The dewatering of the ponds is necessary to decommission the ponds to build the Multi-Sport Complex.

After review and consideration of your request, please be advised that the Division does not object to the permittee's request to perform the dewatering of river water pumped to these ponds as discussed above as long as the permittee strictly adheres to the following conditions:

1. The one-time discharge to the Kanawha River shall consist only of the river water that has collected in the ponds due to pumping water from the Kanawha River to the ponds for irrigation of the golf course.
2. The commission shall notify Environmental Enforcement's District field office, at 304-926-0470, prior to the initiation of any procedures. This will afford the Department with an opportunity to have personnel available to observe the activities.
3. The work shall be performed in accordance with the Work Plan, as presented, in your letter received November 3, 2017.
4. Any solids contained in the wastewater shall not be allowed to discharge. Any, and all, solids shall be properly removed, and disposed of, in a manner acceptable to the Division.

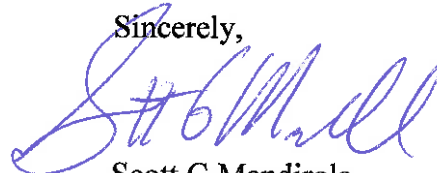
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5. The discharge of the water shall not cause violation of numeric and narrative water quality standards (including conditions not allowable) as prescribed in Title 47, Series 2 of the of the WV Legislative Rules.
6. The proposed discharges shall be visually inspected on at least a daily basis when discharging and a log maintained to document compliance with conditions not allowable in State waters described in Item No. 4. Any observed condition not allowable shall be immediately reported to agency personnel and the discharge ceased.
7. The temporary discharge, once initiated, shall occur no longer than a continuous 14 day period beginning with the first discharge. Additionally, the temporary discharge shall cease on or before January 31, 2018.
8. The commission shall contact Alan Kee, Environmental Enforcement, 304-926-0499 x3802 for appropriate procedures to decommission the ponds prior to any activities following dewatering of the ponds.

While the Division understands the need to perform this work, this correspondence shall not constitute an affirmative defense in any enforcement action brought against the permittee for violations resultant to the performance of the work activities noted above.

If you have any questions concerning this approval, please contact Renee Clevenger of my staff at 304-926-0499, x-1016.

Sincerely,



Scott G Mandirola
Director

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cc: Env. Insp. Supervisor
Env. Inspector Kanawha County