

Kurt U. Schaefer
Director

September 30, 2025

Toni Westbrooks-Barnes, President Indian Creek Hills Property Owners Association, Inc. P.O. Box 638 Eldon, MO 65026 Via email to mailto:ichpoatours@aol.com

RE: Indian Creek Hills Subdivision, Unpermitted, Morgan County

Dear Toni Westbrooks-Barnes:

On May 2, 2025, the Missouri Department of Natural Resources and the Indian Creek Hills Property Owners Association, Inc. (ICHPOA) entered into Abatement Order on Consent (AOC) No. 2025-WPCB-1915 to resolve violations of the Missouri Clean Water Law and its implementing regulations.

As part of the AOC, the ICHPOA agreed and is ordered to submit to the department for review and approval, a Holding Tank Management Plan (HTMP) that recommends a proposed plan for managing the holding tanks, or other similar containment vessels, utilized in the ICHPOA subdivision as part of the interim method of wastewater handling, treatment, and disposal to serve the ICHPOA subdivision's wastewater needs until the ICHPOA subdivision is connected to the Rocky Mount Sewer District areawide sewer system.

On May 19, 2025, the department received the timely submission of the HTMP as required in the AOC. The department received subsequent revised versions of the HTMP on September 16 and 25, 2025.

The department has reviewed the HTMP and hereby approves the HTMP. The HTMP is hereby incorporated into the AOC as an enforceable condition of the AOC until the AOC is terminated by the department as described in Paragraph 39 on Page 12 of the AOC. The ICHPOA may hereby proceed with implementation of the HTMP in accordance with Paragraph 33 on Page 11 of the AOC.

If you have any questions regarding this correspondence, you may contact Erin Heidolph at Department of Natural Resources, Water Protection Program, Compliance and Enforcement Section, P.O. Box 176, Jefferson City, MO 65102-0176; by phone at 573-751-8309; or by email at cwenf@dnr.mo.gov. Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

Sincerely,

WATER PROFECTION PROGRAM

Joe Clayton

Compliance and Enforcement Section Chief

c: Laura Grootens, Unit Chief, Central Field Operations