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February 11, 1992

Mr. Lee Christiansen
Vision Quest Estates, Inc.
P.O. Box 4
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re: Crossed Arrows Park Subdivision

Dear Mr. Christiansen:

On June 10, 1991 I investigated a complaint that sewage was being discharged onto the ground at the Crossed Arrows Park Subdivision. I found and photographed sewage discharging from a pipe which appeared to be an inspection port for monitoring wastewater levels in the disposal field which is located along Saddle Hill Road. The sewage covered a large area and extended to a drainage east of the field. The disposal field is clearly failing.

W.S. 35-11-301(a)(i.) and Chapter II of the Wyoming Water Quality Rules and Regulations provide that no person, except when authorized by a permit issued pursuant provisions of the act, shall cause, threaten or allow the discharge of any pollution or wastes. The owners of the Crossed Arrows Park Subdivision are in violation of W.S. 35-11-301(a)(i.) and Chapter II for discharging without a permit.

Any person who violates any provision of the Environmental Quality Act, or any rule, standard, permit, license or variance adopted thereunder, is liable to a penalty of ten thousand (\$10,000) for each day of violation. Penalties may be recovered in a civil action brought by the Attorney General in the name of the People of the State of Wyoming.

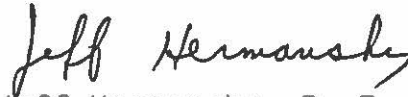
The Department of Environmental Quality, Water Quality Division (DEQ/WQD) would prefer to resolve this violation without resorting to legal action. Therefore, you need to take steps to stop the discharge and develop a permanent solution for your sewage disposal in accordance with all the applicable regulations.

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Within 30 days of receipt of this letter, you must submit a schedule for compliance. Construction of a new disposal field or another type of treatment system must be completed in a timely manner. Please be aware that the DEQ/WQD must issue a permit to construct before construction begins and that an engineer licensed in Wyoming must sign the plans that are submitted.

Please contact either Steve Gerber or me if you have any questions.

Sincerely,



Jeff Hermansky, P. E.
Environmental Engineer

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