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Ravenna
Facilities Planning Area
Ravenna Facilities Planning Area
208 Clean Water Plan

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Ravenna Facilities Planning Area

I. Existing Situation
   A. County/ Basin: Portage/Lake Erie

B. Facilities Planning Area: Ravenna

C. Management Agency (MA):
   I. Primary MA
      a) City of Ravenna
   II. Secondary MA
      a) Portage County Water Resources Department
      b) City of Ravenna

D. Publicly-Owned Treatment Works:
   Ravenna WWTP, 2.3 MGD (2.8 MGD Summer/2.8 MGD Winter)

E. Facilities Plan:
   John David Jones & Associates, responsible for submittal of Ravenna Regional Facilities Plan; Portage County Sanitary Engineer, responsible for preparing the facilities plan for the township areas; Floyd G. Browne & Associates, completed Ravenna City Infiltration/Inflow Analysis; Portage County, completed the Lakeview Gardens Sanitary Sewer Evaluation Study (SSES) and the city’s consultant has completed an SSES for portions of the city’s sewer system.

F. Area Served:
   City of Ravenna, Ravenna Township, Shalersville Township (part), Rootstown Township (part), Franklin Township (part), Brimfield Township (part), and Charlestown Township (part).

G. Receiving Stream:
   Hommon Ditch of Breakneck Creek, a tributary to the Cuyahoga.

H. Contact Person/Address/Phone/Fax:
   a) Mr. Robert N. Finney, City Engineer
      City of Ravenna
      530 N. Freedom St.
      Ravenna, Ohio 44266
      Phone: (330) 296-5666
      Fax: (330) 297-2166
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      Portage County Water Resources
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      Ravenna, Ohio  44266
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I. **Population Served:**
The population projections used in the 201 Plan and those in the NEFCO 208 Clean Water Plan are compared below.

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The above population projections (Approved 208) were prepared in 1990. Updated projections are scheduled to be prepared after county population projections are produced by the Ohio Department of Development Office of Strategic Research.

II. **Wastewater Treatment Planning Prescriptions and Wastewater Planning Options**
Original source information provided by the Portage County Water Resources Department, June 30, 2000, and the City of Ravenna, July 14, 2000.

*City of Ravenna Jurisdiction*

**Areas Currently Served with Sanitary Sewers (yellow):**
Of 4000+ water customers, approximately 20 still have septic systems. No new building is permitted in areas that do not have public sewers. Any property owner’s boundary within 100 feet of a public sewer must tie-in to that sewer at the owner’s expense. None of the 20 on-site systems are presently a known health problem. If in the future a problem develops, the owners will be encouraged to extend a public sewer to their property if feasible. If a public sewer is not feasible, the owner will be required to repair or replace the on-site system in accordance with the regulations of the Portage County Health Department.

*Portage County Water Resources Department Jurisdictions*

**Areas Currently Served with Sanitary Sewers (yellow):**
*Shalersville (part), Ravenna (part), Franklin (part), Rootstown (part) and Brimfield (part) Townships* - These areas are currently served with sanitary sewers that have been constructed and are currently in operation. However, there may be undeveloped tracts of land and vacant lots subject to improvement. All new development and construction in the yellow areas of this facility planning area will be required to connect to and/or provide sanitary service to ensure that wastewater will be treated at an existing publicly-owned treatment works (POTW) with modifications or expansions as required to handle the flow. Existing non-residential private treatment systems (semi-public) shall be abandoned and connection made to the existing sanitary sewer system if available. Failing Home Sewage Treatment System (HSTs) serving single family homes shall be abandoned in accordance with Ohio Administrative Code 3701-29-02.
Areas That Are Expected to be Served with Sanitary Sewers within the Next 20 Years (orange):
Shalersville (part), Ravenna, Charlestown (part), Franklin (part), Brimfield (part) and Rootstown (part) Townships - These areas are proposed to be served with sanitary sewers. All new development and construction in the orange areas of this facilities planning area will be required to connect to and/or provide sanitary service to ensure that wastewater will be treated at an existing publicly-owned treatment works (POTW) with modifications or expansions as required to handle the flow. Existing non-residential private treatment systems (semi-public), which cease to operate properly, shall be abandoned and connection made to the existing sanitary sewer system. Failing residential Sewage Treatment Systems shall be abandoned in accordance with Ohio Administrative Code (OAC) 3701-29-21 as effective January 2015 or subsequent regulations.

Areas That Will be Served by a POTW or by Home Sewage and Semi-Public Sewage Disposal Systems (green):
Shalersville (part), Ravenna, Charlestown (part), Franklin (part), Brimfield (part), and Rootstown Township (part) - Future development will be served by an existing POTW modified or expanded as required to handle the flow or a non-discharging sewage disposal system. Non-discharging on-site septic systems are locally permitted at this time. New discharging systems are only permitted for repair of existing systems in cases where both central sewer and non-discharging systems are not available.

When public restrooms need to be provided on public park property where sewers are not available, holding tanks, or privies may be utilized to store or compost the wastewater and allowance made for the installation, operation, and maintenance. These restroom facilities shall not be connected to a potable water source (for use with sinks, flush toilets, kitchens) nor receive discharges from potable water facilities (including drainage from outside water fountains, kitchens etc.). These facilities must obtain an Ohio EPA Permit-To-Install and supply an operation and maintenance plan to the property owner for their acceptance. The operator shall obtain the appropriate semi-public, commercial operator document from the local jurisdiction or Ohio EPA as applicable.