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**Re:** Tuscarawas County  
Sandy Valley Schools  
Storm Water Construction Activity  
Notice of Violation  
0GC00637\*AG

Mr. Rock Vanfossen  
Sandy Valley Local School District  
5362 State Route 183 NE  
Magnolia, Ohio 44643

Dear Mr. Vanfossen:

On June 27, 2007, I visited your site on S.R. 183. The purpose of the inspection was to determine the compliance of this site with the National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit for the discharge of stormwater associated with construction activity. The inspection was conducted under the provisions of Ohio's water pollution control statutes, Ohio Revised Code (ORC) Chapter 6111. The following areas need to be addressed:

1. The sediment basin contained grey water from construction activities. It is important to ensure that this water is not discharged into waters of the state.
2. **The top soil stock piles need stabilization and a diversion ditch should be established around the base of the piles. The ditch must then be routed to a nearby sediment pond.** Part III.G.2.b.i. (Table 2) of the permit requires that any area that will lie dormant for more than 21 days, but less than a year be stabilized within 7 days of the most recent disturbance.

Sediment and erosion controls for your site must meet the guidelines and design criteria set forth in the above mentioned *Rainwater and Land Development* manual. A copy of this manual may be obtained by contacting the Ohio Department of Natural Resources, Division of Soil and Water Conservation, at (614) 265-6610.

Within fourteen (14) days of receipt of this letter, please submit to me at this office a written notification as to actions taken or proposed to eliminate violations of the permit. Your response should include the dates, either actual or proposed, for the completion of the actions. If you have any questions, please contact me at (740) 385-8501 or Aaron Wolfe at (740) 380-5277.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Nathan Weber".

Nathan Weber  
Storm Water Section  
Division of Surface Water

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