

**Environmental
Protection Agency**

John R. Kasich, Governor
Mary Taylor, Lt. Governor
Scott J. Nally, Director

September 7, 2011

Re: Pike County
Best Sand Company
Walker Ridge Facility
0IJ00048*AD, Inspection
Correspondence (IWW)

Mr. Chuck Cash
Best Sand Company
1183 Walker Ridge Road
Beaver, Ohio 45613

Dear Mr. Cash:

On August 10, 2011, Aaron Wolfe and I conducted an inspection of the Walker Ridge Facility settling ponds. The purpose of the inspection was to determine the facility's compliance status with the terms and conditions of NPDES permit number 0IJ00048*AD. A copy of the inspection report is attached.

The new settling ponds, site layout and reclamation project were still under construction during our inspection. Please call me at (740) 380-5268 for an update on the project.

Sincerely,

Jack Knapp
District Representative
Division of Surface Water

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Enclosure: Inspection Report

NPDES
Compliance Inspection Report

A. NATIONAL DATA SYSTEM CODING

Permit No.	NPDES No.	Date	Inspection Type	Inspector	Facility Type
01J00048*AD	OH0135321	August 10, 2011	R	S	2

B. FACILITY DATA

Name and Location of Facility Inspected	Entry Time	Permit Effective Date
Best Sand Company Walker Ridge Facility 1183 Walker Ridge Beaver, Ohio 45613	9:00 a.m.	March 1, 2008
	Exit Time	Permit Expiration Date
	9:30 a.m.	February 28, 2013

Name(s) and Title(s) of On-Site Representative(s)	Phone Number(s)
Chuck Cash	(740) 226-6021
Name, Address and Title of Responsible Official	Phone Number
Best Sand Company 11830 Ravenna Road Chardon, Ohio 44024	(440) 285-3132

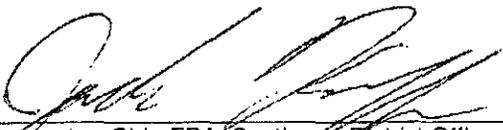
C. AREAS EVALUATED DURING INSPECTION

<u> </u> S Permit	<u> </u> S Flow Measurement	<u> </u> N/A Pretreatment
<u> </u> S Records/Reports	<u> </u> N/A Laboratory	<u> </u> N/A Compliance Schedules
<u> </u> S Operations & Maintenance	<u> </u> S Effluent/Receiving Waters	<u> </u> S Self-Monitoring Program
<u> </u> S Facility Site Review	<u> </u> N/A Sludge Storage/Disposal	<u> </u> Other
<u> </u> N/A Collection System		

(S = Satisfactory, M = Marginal, U = Unsatisfactory, N = Not Evaluated)

D. SUMMARY OF FINDINGS/COMMENTS (attach additional sheets if necessary)

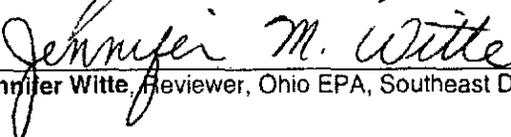
See attached letter.



Jack Knapp, Inspector, Ohio EPA, Southeast District Office

9/7/11

Date



Jennifer Witte, Reviewer, Ohio EPA, Southeast District Office

9/8/11

Date