



**Environmental
Protection Agency**

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

January 20, 2011

**RE: LAWRENCE COUNTY
SITE-GEN**

Mrs. D Dillon
59 Private Drive 60
Ironton, Ohio 45638

Dear Mrs. Dillon:

I am writing as a follow-up to my investigation of a complaint of open burning and open dumping of solid waste at your property on January 14, 2011. As I indicated to you during my visit, Ohio EPA received a complaint of illegal disposal of solid waste on your property.

During my investigation, I observed a burn barrel that had been used to burn waste from your home. In addition, I observed where ashes from this barrel had been dumped.

As I indicated to you on January 14, this practice is a violation of Ohio law. Specifically:

Ohio Revised Code Section 3734.03 - No person shall dispose of solid wastes by open dumping or open burning.

During my January 14 investigation, I suggested you retain the services of a trash hauler that will properly dispose of your waste at a licensed disposal facility. You indicated to me that you would make those arrangements.

Thank you for your cooperation in this matter. Please feel free to contact me at 740/380-5219 if you have any questions regarding my recent investigation or any other waste disposal issues.

Sincerely,

Peter C. Thompson
Division of Solid and Infectious Waste Management

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