



State of Ohio Environmental Protection Agency

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March 9, 2007

**RE: MONROE COUNTY  
SITE - GENERAL**

Mr. Lester Ullman  
33429 State Route 26  
Rinard Mills, Ohio 45734

Dear Mr. Ullman:

On December 6, 2006, the Ohio Environmental Protection Agency received a complaint concerning property owned by you along State Route 26 Rinard Mills in Monroe County. This complaint alleged the open dumping of various solid wastes on this property. On December 7, 2006, Sheriff Deputy Truax and I investigated this complaint and found it to be valid. I observed the accumulation of appliances and bags of solid waste.

On March 8, 2007, I reinspected the property in questions and found that no work to remove the solid waste had been initiated. Failure to properly remove and dispose of all solid waste from this property will result in escalated enforcement against you and your property.

You remain in violation of Ohio Revised Code (ORC) chapter 3734.03 and Ohio Administrative Code (OAC) 3745-27-05(C).

ORC 3734.03 states in part:

ORC 3734.03 - No person shall dispose of solid wastes by open dumping or open burning.

OAC 3745-27-05(C) states:

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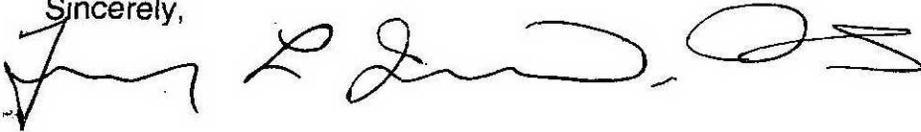
The solid waste must be removed from the above-mentioned property and disposed of at either a licensed solid waste disposal facility or taken to a legitimate recycling facility. Copies of receipts for disposal or recycling should be submitted to this office for proof of disposal.

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Please respond to this correspondence within 14 days of receipt. Your response should include details of your actions taken to properly dispose or recycle the current waste on your property.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at this office. You can reach me either by mail or by calling me at (740) 380-5443.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Trevor L. Irwin". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial "T" and a long horizontal stroke at the end.

Trevor L. Irwin, R.S.  
Environmental Specialist II  
Division of Solid and Infectious Waste Management

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cc: Deputy Tracy Truax, Monroe County Sheriff's Department