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**RE: MORGAN COUNTY
TIRE - TTI OHIO**

Mr. Adam Ruby
TTI Tire Ohio
co/Predator LLC
1228 Frew Mill Road
New Castle, Pa 16107

Dear Mr. Ruby:

On January 16, 2008, I conducted an inspection of the TTI Ohio Scrap Tire Recovery Facility in Malta, Ohio. I also visited the site on December 13, December 14, and December 20, 2007. Site visits were also conducted on January 11 and January 15, 2008. These site visits were conducted to monitor progress made toward closure of the facility.

Photos taken during my January 16 site visit showed piles of material that still need to be removed for proper disposal. In addition, a thorough removal of all scrap tire residuals resulting from the September 12, 2007, fire is necessary. This includes scrap tire material that is found outside the building area.

I suggest we meet at the facility again soon to review the specific tasks yet to be completed. I may include a representative from ABC Manufacturing, the new owner of the property at this meeting. I spoke with Angela Miller of ABC Manufacturing on January 16 and advised her of your progress at the site toward closure.

Feel free to contact me at 740/380-5219 to schedule a meeting at the site.

Sincerely,

Peter C. Thompson
Division of Solid & Infectious Waste Management

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cc: Angela Miller, ABC Manufacturing