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**RE: MUSKINGUM COUNTY
SITE - GENERAL**

City of Zanesville
Attention: Michael Sims
Director of Public Service
401 Market Street
Zanesville, Ohio 43701-3571

Dear Mr. Sims:

On December 29, 2009, Ohio EPA Southeast District Office received a complaint regarding the open dumping of solid waste at Jim Tucker City Park in Zanesville, Ohio. The City of Zanesville is the owner of this property. This property is being used as a clean hard fill location for the City of Zanesville. Included in the complaint was a photograph of a sewer pipe that had been placed on site.

The city has been made aware previously what material can be used for clean hard fill and what material would constitute a violation. This sewer pipe is considered demolition debris and needs to be removed for proper disposal.

This is a violation of Ohio Administrative Code Rule 3745-400-04(B), which states in part:

OAC Rule 3745-400-04(B) No person shall conduct or allow illegal disposal of construction and demolition debris. . .

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,

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