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April 23, 2007

**RE: SCIOTO COUNTY
SITE - GEN
20070150**

Mr. Earnest Howard
561 Shepard Fork Road
West Portsmouth, Ohio 45663

Dear Mr. Howard:

The Southeast District Office of Ohio EPA received a complaint that illegal disposal of demolition debris is occurring on your property off of Shepard Fork Road, in Scioto County, Ohio.

I conducted an inspection of the site on April 16, 2007. You were not at home on this inspection. I observed demolition debris (roofing shingles) dumped on your property at the end of the dirt road.

Illegal disposal of demolition debris is a violation of Chapter 3714 of the Ohio Revised Code (ORC) and Chapter 3745-27 of the Ohio Administrative Code (OAC). You are in violation of the following:

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

Illegal disposal of demolition debris must cease immediately. All demolition debris disposed at the described location must be removed from the property, and taken to a licensed solid waste or demolition debris landfill facility for proper disposal. Obtain copies of receipts from the landfill that received the debris, and provide those copies to this District Office in order to document your compliance. Please respond to this District Office within ten days of receipt of this letter to inform me of your intentions and actions regarding the open dump. I suggest that you obtain the services of a registered waste hauler.

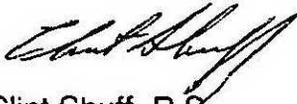
The disposal facility located nearest to you is the Pike Sanitation Landfill at 11775 State Route 220, Waverly, Ohio. The Portsmouth Exempt Transfer Station is also located on Elm Street in Portsmouth, Ohio. You may choose to use other permitted and licensed facilities as well.

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Compliance with the requirements outlined in the letter, or the solid and infectious waste provisions contained on ORC Chapter 3734 and the rules promulgated thereunder, does not relieve the owner of his or her obligation to comply with other applicable State and Federal laws and regulations.

Should you have questions, please contact me at 740-380-5246.

Sincerely,



Clint Shuff, R.S.
Environmental Specialist
Division of Solid and Infectious Waste Management

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cc: Mike Trapp, Scioto County Health Department
cc: Dan Palmer, Lawrence and Scioto County Solid Waste Management District