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September 26, 2011

Christopher Phelps
Maronda Homes
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Re: **Notice of Violation**
Walker Pointe / Pickaway County

Dear Mr. Phelps:

This letter is written regarding the storm water inspection I conducted on September 14, 2011, of the construction activities at Walker Pointe located along Walker Road, in Commercial Point, Ohio. The Agency understands that these construction activities are currently covered under the General Storm Water Permit Associated with Construction Activities. There were at least two active home sites under construction during my inspection. Please consider this another formal notice of violation. There have been violations of your general permit at this site for quite some time. You will need to address the issue below or your general permit may be revoked. Based on the site inspection and the General Storm Water Permit, the following need to be addressed at the site:

Sediment and Erosion Controls:

- The active home construction sites needed to have straw waddles or silt fence installed around the perimeter or at least on the down slope. The homes sites that are barren without construction will also need erosion controls. The home site along Walker Road had a turbid discharge to the road side ditch and to a storm water drain. This is a violation of your permit and state law. Please see attached pictures.
- Be aware the General Permit states that all barren areas which remain idle in excess of 21 days must be protected from erosion within seven days of the last earth disturbing activities. In addition, erosion protection must be implemented for all areas of final grade within seven (7) days.
- Please maintain the concrete wash-out pit.
- The dandy bags on the storm water drains need to be maintained.
- Please have the contractors apply as a co-permittee on the storm water permit or obtain a lot notice of intent. This can be obtained at the following weblink: <http://www.epa.state.oh.us/dsw/storm/stormform.aspx>.

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- If any lots are sold to another developer or home builder, the new developer may need to complete and submit a lot notice of intent application. This is used when a portion of a construction site is bought and sediment and erosion control responsibility is transferred to the owner of the individual lot. This application may be obtained at the following weblink:
<http://www.epa.state.oh.us/dsw/storm/stormform.aspx>.

If you have any questions regarding this letter or my inspection, please do not hesitate to call me at our Central District Office at (614) 728-3851.

Sincerely,



Gregory L. Sanders
Environmental Specialist
Division of Surface Water
Central District Office

Enclosure

c: Jeff Bohne, Water Quality Supervisor, DSW/CDO

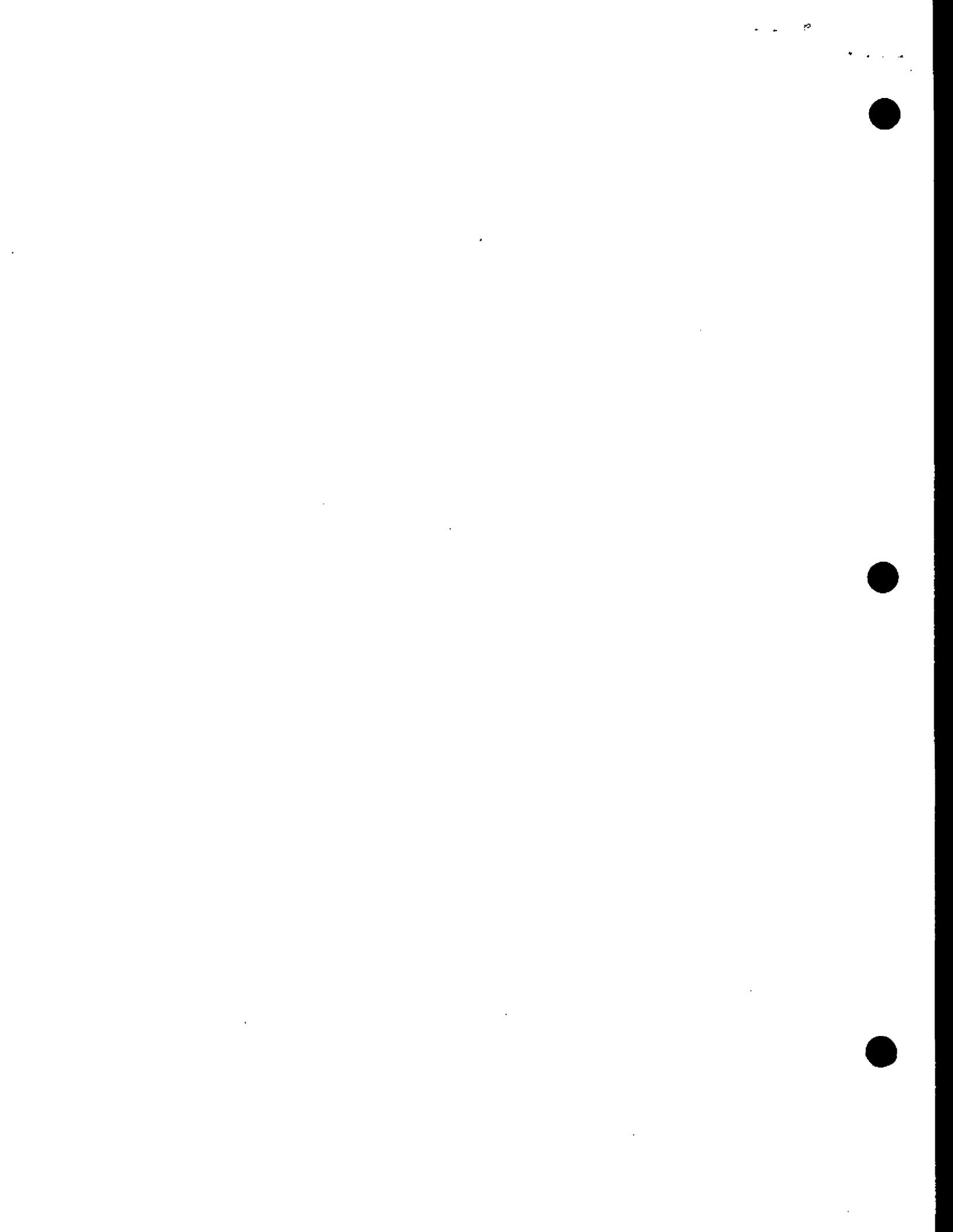
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