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Mr. Clyde Ross
6522 Cherry Lane
Hillard, Ohio 43026

Warning Letter

Dear Mr. Ross:

The purpose of this letter is to inform you that the open burning at your construction sight located at 7220 State Route 56, Champaign County, Ohio 43318, constitutes a violation of Ohio Administrative Code (OAC) 3745-19-04 which regulates open burning outside restricted areas.

Based on our phone conversation, I would like to thank you for your cooperation and assistance to assure no future open burning violations will occur at any of your present or future construction sights.

Please be aware that future violations of the OAC air pollution rules may result in this case being referred to our Central Office for enforcement action. The Ohio EPA reserves the right, pursuant to Chapters 3704, 3714, 3734, 3745, and 3750 of the Ohio Revised Code and any other applicable state or federal laws or regulations to seek civil and/or criminal action, reimbursement of response costs and any other appropriate legal or equitable relief for any violation of law.

If you have any additional questions or concerns about open burning or air pollution regulations, please feel free to contact me at (937) 285-6063.

Sincerely,

Craig Osborne
Environmental Specialist
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