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Re: Seneca County
Sunny Farms Landfill
Ground Water

November 14, 2008

Mr. Chris Valerian
12386 Township Road 108
Fostoria, Ohio 44830

Dear Mr. Valerian:

The Ohio Environmental Protection Agency (Ohio EPA) reviewed the report dated September 8, 2008, and received on September 15, 2008, for compliance with OAC Rule 3745-27-10.

The facility is presently in assessment in two areas downgradient of the landfill due to statistically significant increases.

The September 8, 2008, report was submitted to fulfill the requirements of OAC Rule 3745-27-10(E)(12), the submittal of the semiannual assessment activities report.

COMMENTS

VIOLATIONS

1. **The owner/operator is in violation of Ohio Administrative Code (OAC) Rule 3745-27-10(E)(12) requiring the submittal of semiannual assessment activity reports. The owner/operator should submit the reports on a semiannual basis (every 6 months) in the future to avoid violations of this rule. The semiannual assessment activity report that was due in January/February 2008 was not received by the Ohio EPA/NWDO. The next semiannual assessment activity report should be submitted in January/February 2009.**

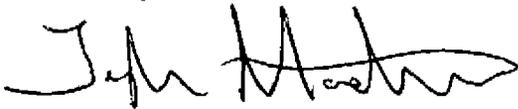
The Ohio EPA received the previous semiannual assessment activity report dated October 25, 2007, on October 29, 2007. The next assessment activities report was due in January/February 2008, but was never received by the Ohio EPA/NWDO. The current semiannual assessment activity report is dated September 8, 2008 and was received September 15, 2008, by the Ohio EPA.

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The time period between the submittal dates of the two reports is almost eleven months. The definition of semiannual is occurring, done or published every half year. The owner/operator should submit the next semiannual activity report in January/February 2009, and continue to submit semiannual assessment activity reports in January/February and July/August (the previous schedule) to maintain compliance with the rule.

If you have any questions please contact Jack Leow at the Ohio EPA, Northwest District Office, Division of Drinking and Ground Waters, 347 N. Dunbridge Rd., Bowling Green, Ohio 43402. Submit all reports/data to Tyler Madeker, Ohio EPA, Northwest District Office, Division of Solid and Infectious Waste Management, 347 N. Dunbridge Rd., Bowling Green, Ohio 43402.

Sincerely,



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