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**RE: BELMONT COUNTY
SITE - GENERAL**

56940 Pinch Run Road
Bellaire, Ohio 43906

To whom it may concern:

The Ohio Environmental Protection Agency has received a complaint concerning the open dumping of solid waste on a property located at 56940 Pinch Run Road near Bellaire, Ohio. On July 7, 2010, I investigated this complaint and found that solid wastes were being open dumped and open burned in an area across Pinch Run Road from the above address.

Open dumping of solid waste is a violation of Ohio Revised Code (ORC) chapter 3734.03 and Ohio Administrative Code (OAC) 3745-27-05(C).

ORC 3734.03 states in part:

ORC 3734.03 - No person shall dispose of solid wastes by open dumping or open burning.

OAC 3745-27-05(C) states:

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Please respond to this correspondence within 14 days of receipt. All solid wastes must be removed from the property for proper disposal. Receipts of disposal will be needed for proof of proper disposal.

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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