

CITY OF TOLEDO



DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC UTILITIES

June 14, 2010

Mr. Al Hunter
3331 Bishop
Toledo, OH 43606

Dear Mr. Hunter:

This warning letter is just to confirm my investigation concerning a complaint regarding "Open Burning" that our division received on June 8, 2010. Our division is a contractual agent for the Ohio Environmental Protection Agency, and we respond to open burning complaints.

Upon investigation, a 55-gallon drum was used to burn construction waste, namely wooden boards from the remodeling of a porch. These boards had paint on them, and therefore cannot be considered clean seasoned firewood. Other construction material found in the burn was pieces of drywall.

Please be advised that another occurrence on your property could lead to a "Notice of Violation" with a penalty of up to \$250.00 per violation. Any questions you have can be directed to me at 419-936-3947. Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

Sincerely,

Chad Gogley
Environmental Specialist

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Cc: Karen P. Granata, Chief of Air Resources
Complainant