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March 10, 2010

Jason Brengman
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2500 Owens Road
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**Re: American Wood Fibers / Pickaway County
Industrial Storm Water Permit 4GR00509*DG**

Dear Mr. Brengman:

This letter is written in regard to the storm water inspection that I conducted at American Wood Fibers, Inc., located at 2500 Owens Road, in Circleille, Ohio. The inspection was conducted on March 2, 2010, to determine compliance with your industrial storm water permit. You stated that your company produces wood fiber and wood pellets. I did note a discharge from a storage area of your facility to a storm water drainage ditch that runs along Owens Road.

The following items were noted during the inspection:

1. Your company had a storm water pollution prevention plan (SWP3) and a spill prevention plan at the facility.
2. There were opened/ripped bags of wood fiber that spilled on to the parking lot in the storage area located in the front of your building. The wood fiber was being washed off the site into a drainage ditch along Owens Road. Better housekeeping must be implemented to prevent the discharge of pollutants to waters of the state. Please see attached pictures.
3. The area in the rear of the building flows to a storm water pond. There is no discharge outlet for this pond.
4. There is a fueling station with secondary containment in the rear of the building. Sawdust is used for spill absorbent material.

Ted Strickland, Governor
Lee Fisher, Lieutenant Governor
Chris Korteski, Director

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

Sincerely,



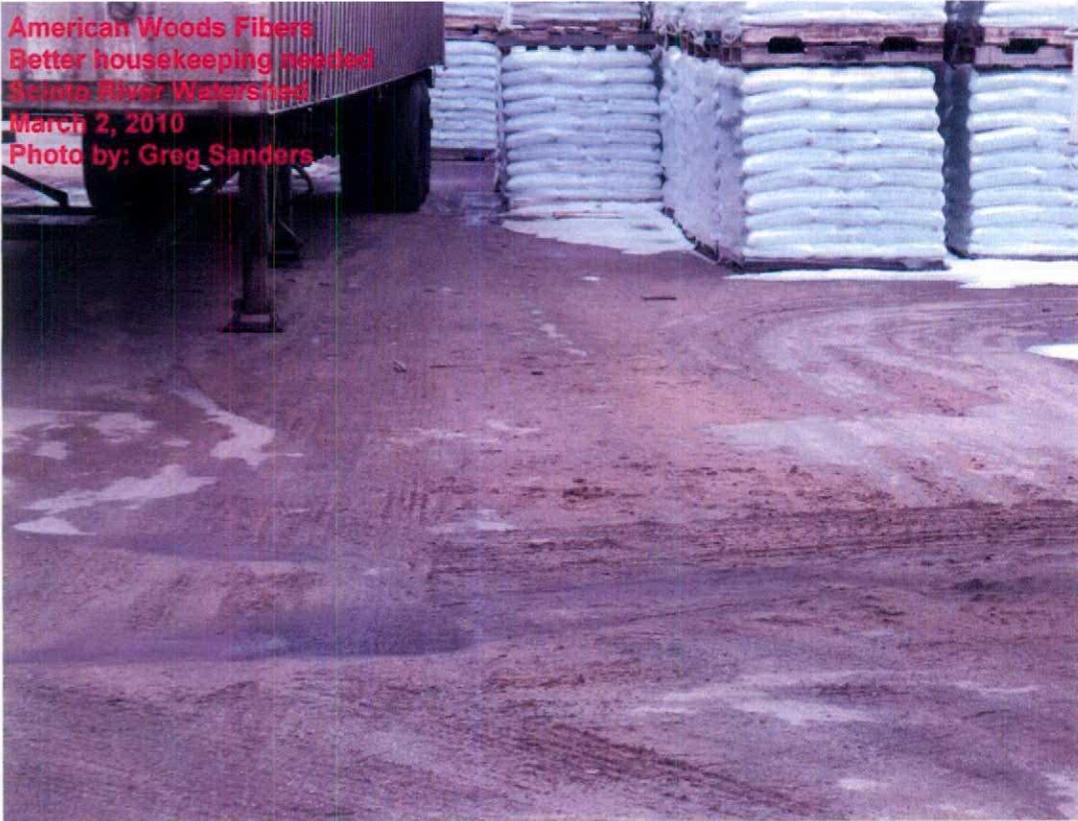
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Enclosures

c: Jeff Bohne, DSW/CDO

GS/nm American Wood Fibers, Inc., March 2, 2010

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