



Environmental
Protection Agency

John R. Kasich, Governor
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April 26, 2011

Lenny Neal
Kurtz Brothers
2850 Rohr Road
Groveport, OH 43125

Re: Kurtz Brothers-Rohr Road / Franklin County

Dear Mr. Neal:

This letter is written regarding the storm water inspection that I conducted at the Kurtz Brothers Compost Facility, located along Rohr Road in Franklin County, on April 20, 2011. Based on my site inspection, the following items were noted.

The sediment basin was overflowing its banks and discharging to the roadside ditch along Rohr Road. There was a portable generator and pump with a discharge hose to a storm water drain. The pump was not running during my inspection. Your storm water management plan states that if there are discharges from the sediment basin that the discharges would be continuously monitored. I talked with staff at the Rohr Road facility and they were not aware of the protocol for a discharge from the sediment basin. Please follow your storm water management plan and monitor all discharges from the sediment basin. Please train staff to be aware of storm water management issues. You may consider enlarging the sediment basin's volume.

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

Sincerely,

Gregory L. Sanders
Storm Water Unit
Division of Surface Water
Central District Office

Enclosure

c: Jeff Bohne, DSW/CDO

GS/nsm Kurtz Bros. - Rohr Road, April 20, 2011

