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**Re: Construction Storm Water Inspection at COTA Fields Avenue Paratransit Facility  
Franklin County  
Permit Number 4GC03003\*AG**

Dear Mr. Bradley:

This letter is written in follow-up to a construction storm water inspection conducted by Elizabeth Schaller and Stephen Riley of Ohio EPA at COTA Fields Avenue Paratransit Facility in Columbus, Ohio on July 12, 2010. The purpose of the inspection was to evaluate compliance with the General Storm Water Permit Associated with Construction Activities. The following was noted:

**Sediment and Erosion Control:**

- The silt fence on the Fields Avenue side of the site has failed and will require maintenance at this time.
- The sediment basin for this site appears to be functioning as intended. Please be aware the general permit states that all sediment controls will be inspected and maintained every seven days or within 24 hours of a precipitation event equal to or greater than 0.5 inches to ensure continued effectiveness of the sediment basin.

**Post Construction Requirements:**

- The General Permit mandates specific water quality treatment for storm water following the completion of construction. Please be able to demonstrate your post construction requirements per the General Permit will be met. Please submit to my attention the water quality calculations demonstrating compliance. This information can be sent to my attention via a response letter, or to my email.

Ted Strickland, Governor  
Lee Fisher, Lieutenant Governor  
Chris Korleski, 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 614-728-3844 or email at [harry.kallipolitis@epa.state.oh.us](mailto:harry.kallipolitis@epa.state.oh.us).

Sincerely,



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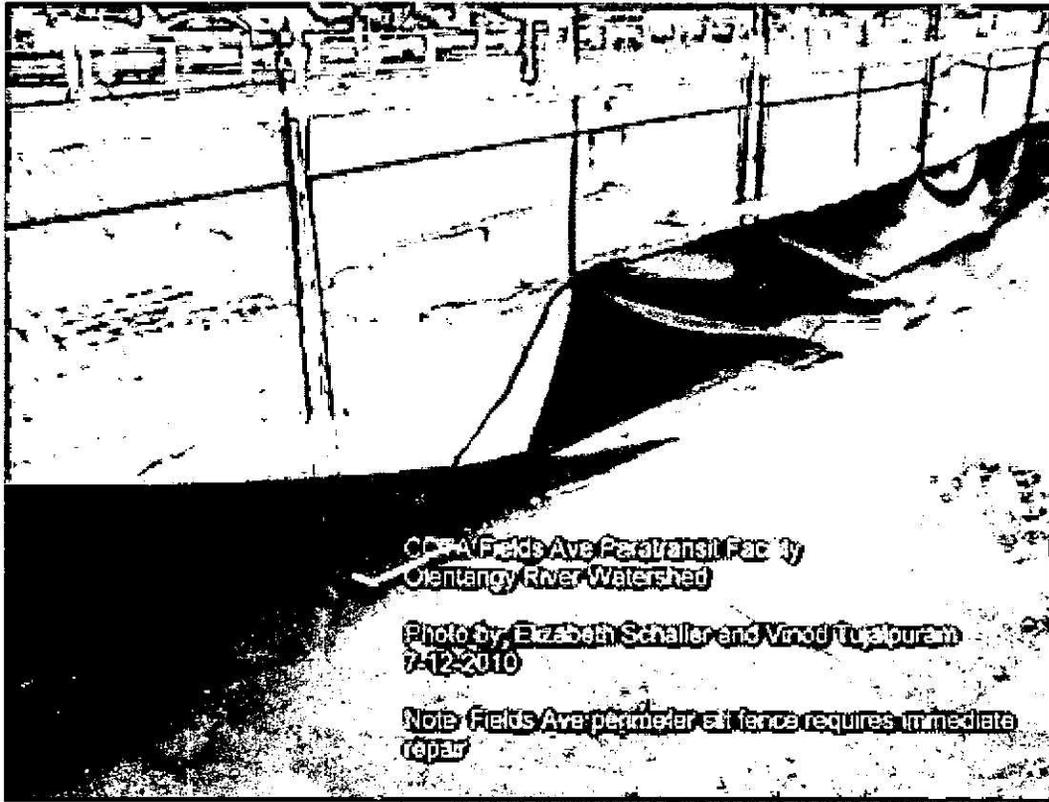


Figure 1: Silt fence along Fields Avenue must be repaired

