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**Re: Construction Storm Water Inspection at West Campus Substation
Franklin County
Permit Number: 4GC03293 *AG**

Dear Mr. Carmody:

This letter is written regarding a storm water inspection conducted by Daelann Farnlacher of the Ohio EPA at West Campus Substation located at 1991 Kenny Road Columbus, Ohio on August 23, 2011. The purpose of the inspection was to evaluate compliance with the General Storm Water Permit associated with Construction Activities. During the inspection, our staff noted the following issues associated with construction activities at this site:

Sediment and Erosion Control:

- Our staff observed dewatering activities which resulted in offsite turbid discharges (see Figure 1). Measures must be implemented immediately to ensure there are no further turbid discharges resulting from your dewatering activities.
- It was noted that the silt fence has failed at the entrance to the site and will require reinstallation to ensure a proper functioning condition (see Figure 2).
- A stabilized construction entrance must be provided to minimize the vehicle tracking of mud onto public roads.

If you have any questions regarding this letter or the 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. In addition, please provide a written response (**email preferred**) to the action items addressed above within ten days from receipt of this letter. A follow up inspection will be conducted to ensure the minimum conditions of the General Permit have been met.

Sincerely,

Harry Kallipolitis
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c: Jeff Bohne, Water Quality Supervisor, DSW / CDO

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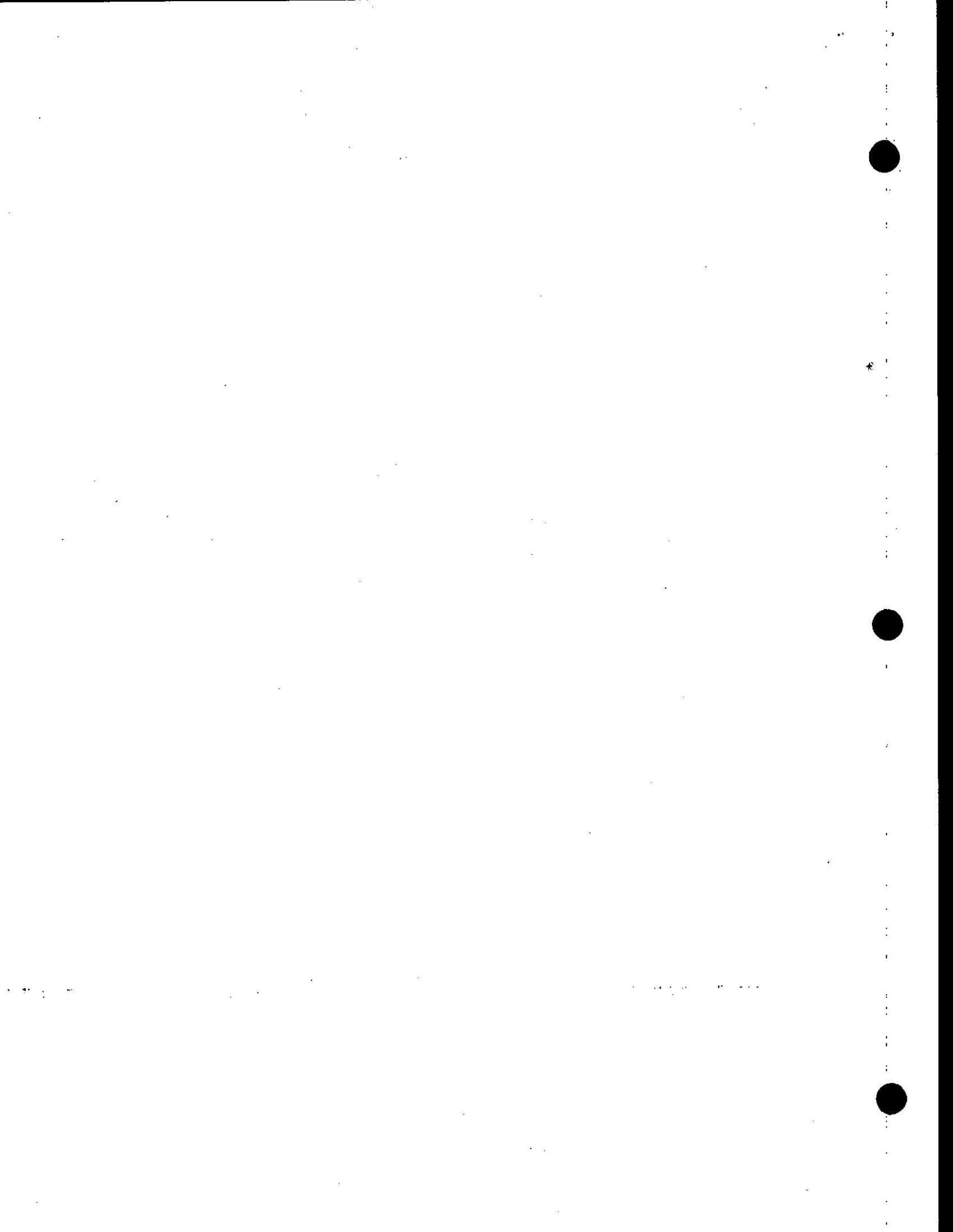




Figure 1



Figure 2

