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Scott Schaller
Ohio State School for the Blind
500 Morse Rd
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**Re: Construction Storm Water Inspection at Ohio State School for the Blind / Franklin County
Permit Number 4GC03227*AG**

Dear Mr. Schaller:

This letter is written in follow-up to a construction storm water inspection conducted by Abigail Tamkin and Vinod Tujalpuram of the Ohio EPA at 5220 N High Street Columbus, Ohio on July 7, 2010. 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:

- The northernmost silt fence appears was installed correctly.
- There did not appear to be silt fence along the driveway entrance to the project. Please install silt fence on the north side of the driveway to minimize off-site sedimentation.
- The outlets risers on the two sediment basins on the south side of the project appeared to be small orifices, appropriate for post-construction drainage issues, but will not address sediment control during construction. Please adapt the current risers to perform the function of sediment control or demonstrate an appropriate alternative.

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.

Sincerely,

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

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