



**Environmental
Protection Agency**

John R. Kasich, Governor
Mary Taylor, Lt. Governor
Scott J. Nally, Director

September 20, 2011

Re: Vinton County
Open Burning
Complaint 30002024

Certified: 70101060000178960903

Ms. Rachael Deal
27798 Albright Road
Londonderry, Ohio 45647-8980

Dear Ms. Deal:

I am writing this letter in response to a complaint received by this office on August 27, 2011. The complaint alleges that tires are being burned on your property.

On September 15, 2011, I investigated this complaint and spoke to you. Evidence of the open burning was observed. Wastes from the demolition of a trailer including wood and insulation had been burned. As I explained at that time, plastics, demolition wastes (including wood), insulation, carpet, garbage, etc., cannot be open burned in Ohio. I was also informed that the Vinton County Health Department has told you that you have to clean up your property.

Open burning of improper waste materials at this location is in violation of Ohio Administrative Code (OAC) rule 3745-19-04 and is punishable by a fine. I gave you a pamphlet that explains this rule. All open burning in violation of the requirements specified in OAC rule 3745-19-04 must stop immediately. If you continue to open burn improper waste materials, legal action may be taken against you.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact me at 740-380-5217 or 1-800-686-7330.

Sincerely,

Lisa Duvall
Environmental Specialist
Division of Air Pollution Control

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