



**Environmental
Protection Agency**

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September 2, 2011

Tim Matuska
Hanover Marine
1 High Tech Ave.
Painesville, OH 44077

RE: HANOVER MARINE, OHD 980 999 890, LAKE COUNTY

Dear Mr. Matuska:

On August 23, 2011, represented by Edward D'Amato conducted a site visit at Hanover Marine's Fairport Harbor plant. The reason for the visit was to follow up on the remaining items from my June 16, 2009 inspection and subsequent correspondence. Four drums of what appears to be old resin and one tote with unknown contents remain from that inspection.

The following violation remains outstanding from that inspection:

**1. Hazardous Waste Determination
OAC 3745-52-11**

To correct this violation, the waste in these containers must be disposed immediately. You must send copies of the disposal paperwork to this office. The paperwork must be received **within 30-days** of the date of this letter.

In addition to the above violation, Ohio EPA has the following concern that must be addressed:

2. There were additional drums of unknown material on the west side of the building, both adjacent to the building and about 50 yards away near some boat molds. Hanover Marine is responsible for identifying whether these drums contain hazardous waste and managing/disposing of any hazardous wastes properly.

To address this concern, Hanover Marine must identify the contents of all of the drums. Any drums of waste must be disposed in accordance with Ohio EPA regulations.

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I understand that Hanover Marine is a new company which purchased the assets of Tartan and C&C Yachts/Grand River Investments since my initial inspection, and that you have only recently been given responsibility for environmental concerns at the facility. However, Hanover Marine is now responsible for all wastes currently on the premises and any wastes it generates.

To help educate you on the environmental rules Hanover Marine needs to follow, I gave you the contact information for Adrienne LaFavre with Ohio EPA's Office of Compliance Assistance and Pollution Prevention (OCAPP). I strongly encourage you to contact her as soon as possible to arrange a compliance assistance visit. As I explained, OCAPP's services are free, confidential, and not enforcement-oriented. Mrs. LaFavre can be contacted at: (330) 963-1250 or adrienne.lafavre@epa.state.oh.us

Failure to list specific deficiencies in this communication does not relieve Hanover Marine from the responsibility of complying with all applicable Ohio EPA laws and regulations. Please be advised that present or past instances of non-compliance can continue as subjects of pending or future enforcement actions.

Please feel free to contact me at (330) 963-1170 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,



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