



## REGIONAL AIR POLLUTION CONTROL AGENCY

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September 18, 2008

### CERTIFIED MAIL

Mrs. Janis Ray

4726 Ozark Ave.

Dayton, OH 45332-3206

### WARNING LETTER

Dear Mrs. Ray:

On May 19, 2008, the Regional Air Pollution Control Agency (RAPCA) received a complaint from a local citizen regarding the open burning of leaves, brush, and wood on your property at 4726 Ozark Ave, Dayton, OH. On May 20, 2008, RAPCA conducted an inspection and documented evidence of open burning at the location noted above.

On September 17, 2008, RAPCA received additional complaints from burning from your property 4726 Ozark Ave, Dayton, OH. The complainant stated that green brush and newspaper was being burned on your property. I have attached a news release that went out from our office today.

The open burning for the purpose of land clearing waste is not permitted per Ohio Administrative Code (OAC) rule 3745-19-03 Open burning in an unrestricted area. A brief rule summary is included for your review. Only clean, dry wood is permitted for a recreational fire which is **limited in size to 3X2 feet and is limited to three hours**. The Fire Department may have additional requirements and you should contact them before burning as well.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, you may contact me at (937) 225-4435.

Sincerely,

Jason C. Simon

Air Pollution Control Specialist

Abatement Unit

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