



**Environmental
Protection Agency**

John R. Kasich, Governor
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June 14, 2012

CERTIFIED MAIL

NOTICE OF VIOLATION

Mr. Ronald Capitena
6177 Green Rd.
Ashtabula, Ohio 44004

Dear Mr. Capitena:

The Ohio EPA has received information from the North Kingsville Volunteer Fire Dept. which responded to illegal open burning of construction debris and other trash on your property at 6177 Green Rd, North Kingsville, Ohio. The open burning occurred on May 5 and 7, 2012.

The purpose of this letter is to advise you that the open burning on May 5 and 7, 2012, was in violation of OAC Rule 3745-19-03 which prohibits open burning for the purpose of waste disposal in restricted areas. Further OAC Rule 3745-19-06 provides a penalty of up to two hundred-fifty dollars (\$250) per day per violation of the open burning regulations.

It is the responsibility of property owners to see that no illegal open burning is conducted on their property. Therefore, any further burning must cease immediately upon receipt of this letter.

If further violations are reported to this office, we will have no alternative than to refer the matter to our legal staff in Columbus for appropriate action. We hope that voluntary compliance will be forthcoming and this action will not be necessary.

Should you have any questions regarding this letter, please contact the undersigned at (330) 963-1241.

Sincerely,

Richard Kolosionek
District Representative
Division of Air Pollution Control

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