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Re: Open Burning
Crawford County
Notice of Violation

October 15, 2007

CERTIFIED MAIL

Mr. David Dayne, Manager
Galion Airport
City of Galion
301 Harding Way East
Galion, Ohio 44833

Dear Mr. Dayne:

This office has received a complaint concerning open burning on Galion Airport property. This complaint was substantiated upon our conversation on October 9, 2007, and my conversation with a member of the Galion Fire Department. By means of this letter we hope to inform you of the seriousness of open burning, and inform you that open burning is a strictly regulated activity in Ohio, regulated pursuant to Ohio Administrative Code 3745-19 (copy enclosed).

Mr. Dayne, The Galion Airport has been found in violation of OAC 3745-19.

At this time, we ask that you submit a written response to the Ohio EPA, regarding this complaint, your understanding of the regulations, and what measures will be taken to prevent any further violations. Your response should be received by the Agency by October 29, 2007.

Please be advised that the submission of information to respond to this letter does not constitute a waiver of Ohio EPA's authority to seek civil penalties pursuant to ORC Section 3704.06. The Ohio EPA will make a decision on whether to pursue or decline to pursue such penalties regarding this matter at a later date.

Keep in mind that penalties of up to \$25,000 could be assessed.

If you have any questions concerning this letter or the regulations, please call me at (419) 373-3120.

Sincerely,

Joseph L. Grob
Environmental Specialist 3
Division of Air Pollution Control

/s/

Enclosure

pc: Crawford County Health Department
Lisa Holscher, U.S. EPA, Region V
Tom Kalman, DAPC-CO
(DAPC, NWDO File)
NWDO Follow-up File
ec: Tom Sattler, Supervisor

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MR. DAVID DAYNE, MANAGER
CITY OF GALION AIRPORT
CITY OF GALION
301 HANDING WAY EAST
GALION, OHIO 44833

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GALION, OH 44833

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