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Re: Open Burning Complaint
Wood County
Notice of Violation

July 13, 2007

CERTIFIED MAIL

Mr. Joel Haynes
Tractor Supply Company
18201 N. Dixie Highway
Bowling Green, Ohio 43402

Dear Mr. Haynes:

This office has received a complaint concerning open burning on your company's property. This complaint was substantiated upon a visit by an Ohio EPA representative on May 11, 2007, during which he met with the temporary Manager, Jason Hurt. 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. Haynes, The Tractor Supply Company 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 this Agency by July 27, 2007.

Please be advised that the submission of information to respond to this letter does not constitute 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

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Enclosure

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

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