



**Environmental
Protection Agency**

Ted Strickland, Governor
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June 9, 2010

RE: AMETEK
3GR00233*DG
STORMWATER
PORTAGE COUNTY

Mr. Earl Kidd
Ametek
627 Lake Street
Kent, OH 44240

Dear Mr. Kidd:

On June 4, 2010 this writer conducted an inspection of your facility, located at 627 Lake Street in Kent, Ohio to determine compliance with your Industrial General Storm Water NPDES permit referenced above. Phillip Rhodes, Ohio EPA Environmental Specialist II was also present during this inspection. Along with our observations from the inspection we have provided comments concerning your SWPPP below:

General:

1. This site was formerly a manufacturing company for central vacuum systems and electric vacuum motors.
2. Production is no longer conducted at this location as of March 2009.
3. Some equipment testing is still conducted on site.
4. The company will relocate in two years.

Inspection Observations:

1. While walking around the outside of the building we noticed a few areas of concern. The main area of concern was general trash cleanup. Excess trash was spilled around the trash compactor.
2. A ruptured barrel was leaking plastic pellets outside of the building.

Permit:

1. The SWPPP was last updated in November 2001. Update the SWPPP to express the current needs of the site.
2. The SWPPP should be revised and updated as needed no less than once per year.

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Action Items

- Update your SWPPP.
- Sweep up around the site as needed, especially around the trash compactor.
- Sweep up plastic pellets and dispose of ruptured barrel.

If you should have any questions concerning this letter, feel free to contact this writer at (330) 963-1125 or by email lindsey.olmstead@epa.state.oh.us.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "L. Olmstead", written over a horizontal line.

Lindsey A. Olmstead
Assistant to the District Engineer
Division of Surface Water

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