



**Environmental
Protection Agency**

John R. Kasich, Governor
Mary Taylor, Lt. Governor
Scott J. Nally, Director

July 27, 2012

Re: Belmont County
Open Burning
Complaint 30002402

Mr. Clarence Moore
Motorcycle Moore's
60110 Somerton Highway
Barnesville, Ohio

Dear Mr. Moore:

I am writing this letter in response to a complaint received by this office on June 20, 2012. The complaint alleges that you burn tires in a barrel at your shop.

On July 24, 2012, I investigated this complaint and spoke to you. Evidence of the open burning of trash, plastics, rubber hoses, a filter and other solid waste materials was observed. As I explained at that time, plastics, hoses, filters, rubber, tires, etc. cannot be open burned anywhere in Ohio. Any type of waste that is generated by a business also cannot be burned. I gave you a pamphlet that explains Ohio's open burning rules.

Open burning of improper waste materials at this location is in violation of Ohio Administrative Code (OAC) rule 3745-19-04 and is punishable by a fine. If you continue to open burn improper waste materials at this location or any other location in Ohio, legal action may be taken against you.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact me at 740-380-5217 or 1-800-686-7330.

Sincerely,

Lisa Duvall
Environmental Specialist
Division of Air Pollution Control

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