



**Environmental  
Protection Agency**

Ted Strickland, Governor  
Lee Fisher, Lt. Governor  
Chris Korleski, Director

Re: Crawford County  
Arnold Street Improvements  
Construction  
Storm Water

January 5, 2011

Mr. Eugene Toy  
City of Crestline  
100 North Seltzer Street  
Crestline, Ohio 44827

Dear Mr. Toy:

On December 1, 2010, Michelle Sharp and I inspected the Arnold Street Improvements project from Washington Street to S.R. 181, Crestline. The purpose of the visit was to evaluate compliance of the site with the National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit for storm water discharges associated with construction activity, Facility ID No 2GC01835\*AG. The inspection was conducted under the provisions of Ohio's water pollution control statutes, Ohio Revised Code (ORC) Chapter 6111.

At the time of my visit, construction activities appeared to be complete. A Notice of Termination must be filed to relieve you of the obligation to comply with this general permit. An NOT may be filed if one or more of the following conditions have been met:

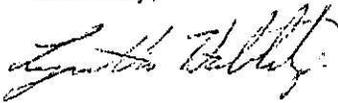
- Final stabilization has been established on all areas of the site for which the permittee is responsible. Final stabilization means that either:
  1. All soil disturbing activities at the site are complete and a uniform perennial vegetative cover of at least 70% density has been established over the entire site. All temporary erosion and sediment control measures have been removed, properly disposed of, and all trapped sediment has been permanently stabilized; or
  2. For construction projects on land used for agricultural purposes, final stabilization may be accomplished by returning the disturbed land to its pre-construction agricultural use. If not returned to its pre-construction agricultural use, the land must meet the final stabilization criteria above.
- Another operator(s) has assumed control over all areas of the site that have not been fully stabilized.

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It appears that your site meets the above criteria. If you believe the same is true, please file the NOT form. The NOT form and instructions can be found on our website: <http://www.epa.ohio.gov/dsw/storm/stormform.aspx>. NOTs must be filed with Ohio EPA's Central Office within 45 days of when the above criteria are met.

If there are any questions, please contact me at (419) 373-3009.

Sincerely,



Lynette Hablitzel, P.E.  
Division of Surface Water  
Storm Water Program

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