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June 10, 2009

RE: Summit County
City of Akron
University of Akron Student Housing

NOTICE OF DEFICIENCIES

Mr. Robert T. Smalling
Kenmore Construction
700 Home Avenue
Akron, OH 44310

Dear Mr. Smalling:

On June 3, 2009, this office performed a compliance inspection of storm water best management practices (BMPs) at the above referenced site, in response to concerns from the Summit Soil and Water Conservation District (SWCD). While on site I spoke with Dustin Thonen and yourself. Our records indicate that this site is covered by an Ohio EPA General Storm Water Permit for Construction Activities # 3GC04242*AG.

Our inspection revealed that the storm water BMPs for this site are already in place. However, the following items should be addressed:

- The inlet protection structure next to the sediment basin must be repaired and maintained. Accumulated sediment built up around the inlet protection structure should be removed and placed upland for disposal.
- The silt fence along Exchange Street is installed improperly and is allowing sediment to leave the site. This silt fencing must be replaced and maintained.
- There are no BMPs installed to prevent sediment from leaving the site on the perimeter of the site paralleling Vine Street. A silt fence or filter sock should be installed.
- Vehicles were observed tracking sediment off site. The construction entrance must be redressed, lengthened and maintained. A Tire Washing Station is recommended to prevent the construction entrance from being covered and to further help keep all sediment on site.
- The storm drains on the corner of Vine and Exchange are being clogged with debris and sediment (refer to the pictures attached). Inlet protection should be installed to protect these storm drains.

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- All streets adjacent to the site were tracked with sediment. Street sweeping should be performed daily at a minimum to ensure that this sediment does not get into the storm drains.
- Regular inspections of your BMPs should be conducted and records of these inspections should be kept on site. Please refer to the following link for further details:

http://www.epa.state.oh.us/dsw/storm/const_SWP3_check.html

Please provide this office with a letter of response indicating the corrective action you will take to address these deficiencies, within 7 days of receipt of this letter. All corrective actions should be completed by June 20, 2009.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (330) 963-1138 or you may e-mail me at marcus.hollenbank@epa.state.oh.us. Thank you for your prompt attention to these matters.

Sincerely,



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cc: Joan Hug-Anderson, Summit SWCD
Dustin Thonen, Kenmore Construction
Dave Pierson, University of Akron
Engineer, City of Akron



There is debris and sediment getting into this storm drain. All trash should be removed and inlet protection should be installed.



This storm drain is taking in large amounts of sediments. The area around this storm drain must be cleaned and inlet protection should be installed.