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Frank J. Markunas
~~L.M. Malcom, P.E.~~
Administrator

August 13, 2010

Ms. Kimberly Durocher
1212 Martin Road
Mogadore, OH 44260

Dear Ms. Durocher:

You are hereby cited for violations of the Ohio Administrative Code section 3745-19 (Open Burning Standards) and the Portage County Air Pollution Control Regulation 97.16. These violations have occurred on your property located at 1212 Martin Road in Suffield Township (Portage County).

On July 15, 2010, the Suffield Fire Department filed a report and provided you with a copy of the Open Burning Standards as a result of a fire observed on your property on July 13, 2010.

Again on July 25, 2010, the Suffield Fire Department responded to a call involving your property and found burning trash and an illegal fire. You were again advised of the Open Burning Standards and provided a copy thereof.

On July 29, 2010, our agency received a complaint alleging illegal open burning had occurred on your property on July 13 and July 25, 2010. You were contacted by our inspector during an investigation on July 29, 2010. The investigation found the complaint to be justified. The inspector explained the Open Burning Standards and provided you with a copy.

In light of these violations, you are urged to take appropriate steps to be sure that no further illegal open burning occurs on this property. **Within fifteen (15) days of receipt of this letter, please submit a written commitment to cease all further illegal open burning.**

Acceptance by this Agency of your commitment does not constitute a waiver of this Agency's authority to seek civil penalties as provided in Portage County Air Pollution Control Regulation 97.16, or to refer the matter to the Ohio EPA for their enforcement action (including imposition of civil penalties). The determination to pursue or to decline such penalties will be made at a later date.

If you have any questions, please contact Bonetta at 330/375-2480 extension 6055.

Sincerely,

Frank Markunas
Administrator

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