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L. M. Malcolm, P.E.
Administrator

June 15, 2009

Mr. Michael J. Kaufman
4828 Stillwell Spur
Akron, OH 44333

Dear Mr. Kaufman:

You are hereby cited for a violation of the Ohio Administrative Code section 3745-19 (Open Burning Standards) and Title 9 Section 97.01 of the Akron Code of Ordinances. This violation occurred on your property located at 150 North Rose Boulevard in the city of Akron (Summit County).

On June 10, 2009, our office received a complaint regarding open burning and smoke at 150 North Rose Boulevard. Subsequent investigation by our inspector revealed that an illegal fire had occurred on the night of June 9, 2009. The fire contained electronic appliances, books, metal, bottles, cans, wire, and other miscellaneous trash.

In light of this violation, you are urged to take appropriate steps to be sure that no further illegal open burning occurs on this or any other property you own. **Within seven (7) 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 Title 9 Section 97.01 of the Akron Code of Ordinances, 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 regarding this matter, please contact Bonetta Guyette at (330) 375-2480 extension 6055.

Sincerely,

Frank Markunas
Chief Engineer

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