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

September 10, 2010

Mr. Joseph Senk  
9083 Akron-Cleveland Road  
Northfield, OH 44067

Dear Mr. Senk:

You are hereby cited for violations of the Ohio Administrative Code section 3745-19 (Open Burning Standards) and Summit County Health Code Part 20 Paragraph 97.01(Open Burning). These violations have occurred on your property at 9083 Akron-Cleveland Road in Northfield Center Township (Summit County).

On September 5, 2010 our office received a complaint regarding open burning occurring on your property. The complaint alleges the burning of pallets, plywood, and possibly garbage for the last three (3) days. During an investigation on September 7, 2010 the complaint was found to be justified. Written orders and a copy of OAC 3745-19 were given to Rick.

On August 30, 2010 our office received a complaint regarding open burning occurring on your property. During an investigation on August 31, 2010, the inspector observed illegal burning in a barrel behind the house. Contact was attempted at this time and written orders were left on the door.

On November 13, 2007 our office received a complaint regarding open burning at this location. During an investigation on November 14, 2007, the inspector observed illegal burning occurring in a barrel behind the house. A "Notice of Violation" was sent to you on November 16 (certified mail, returned) and December 5, 2007 (regular mail).

On October 30, 2007 our office received a complaint regarding open burning at this location. Contact was attempted during investigation by our agency on November 1, 2007. A copy of the Ohio Administrative Code Open Burning Standards was left at the home and a follow-up letter regarding open burning and another copy of the regulations were sent to you on November 5, 2007.

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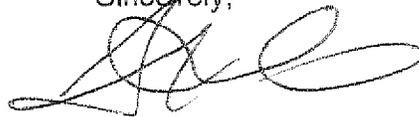
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In light of the most recent violations, you are urged to take appropriate steps to be sure that no further illegal open burning occurs on this property. **Within seven (7) days of receipt of this letter, please submit a written commitment to cease 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 Summit County Health Code Part 20 Paragraph 97.01, 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,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Frank Markunas', written over a horizontal line.

Frank Markunas  
Administrator

BG:FM  
Enclosure  
Certified Mail