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Charles Driscoll  
Nelson Farms Associates Inc  
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**Re: Construction Storm Water Inspection at Nelson Farms Sections 1, 2 and 3  
Delaware County  
Permit Number: 4GC01352\*AG**

Dear Mr. Driscoll:

This letter is written regarding a storm water inspection conducted by Abigail Tamkin and Vinod Tujalpuram of the Ohio EPA at Nelson Farms located on State Route 315, north of Home Road and East of Liberty Road in Liberty Township on August 24, 2010. The purpose of the inspection was to evaluate compliance with the General Storm Water Permit Associated with Construction Activities. During the inspection, our staff noted the following issues associated with construction activities at this site:

**Sediment and Erosion Control:**

- Most of the inlet protection boxes in the barren area appear to working as intended, but sediment appears to have breached these inlet protections on several of the catch basins. Please continue to conduct your weekly inspections to ensure that they remain in good condition.
- The orange and black catch basin protections do not appear to be adequately controlling sediment, as there are large amounts of sediment visible inside of these structures, particularly in the ones near the barren area (See Figure 1). Please install a more effective type of inlet protection suitable for the drainage areas.

If you have any questions regarding this letter or the inspection, please do not hesitate to contact me at our Central District Office at 614-728-3844 or email at [harry.kallipolitis@epa.state.oh.us](mailto:harry.kallipolitis@epa.state.oh.us).

Sincerely,

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Nelson Farms Phase 1, 2, & 3  
Olentangy River Watershed

Photo by: Vinod Tujalpuram/Abigail Tamkin  
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Figure 1: Note muddy grate inside of inlet protection