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**NOTICE OF VIOLATION**

September 26, 2012

Jed Rauch  
3757 Fre Mar Road  
Lancaster, OH 43130

Dear Mr. Rauch:

This letter confirms our conversation of September 25, 2012 wherein I advised you that you were open burning in violation of Ohio Administrative Code (OAC) 3745-19-04(A). These actions are subject to fines and penalties.

Specifically, on September 24, 2012, and at 3757 Fre Mar Road, Lancaster, Ohio, you were open burning landscape waste within 1,000 feet from the nearest inhabited building off your premises.

We are noting that we sent your wife a Notice of Violation on November 9, 2011 for a similar incident.

This letter is not a final action of the Director of the Ohio EPA and is intended only as a notification of a violation of the Ohio environmental laws and regulations. It does not preclude Ohio EPA or any other governmental entity from further enforcement action.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call me at (614) 728-3808.

Sincerely,

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