

**HAMILTON COUNTY**  
**ENVIRONMENTAL**  
**S E R V I C E S**

April 25, 2011

Mr. Casey Stang  
Casey's Lawnmower Shop  
4278 Hamilton-Richmond Road  
Oxford, OH 45056

RE: Warning letter for open burning in violation of OAC 3745-19-04.

Dear Mr. Stang:

Recently our agency received a citizen's complaint for open burning for waste disposal at Casey's Lawnmower Repair on Main Street in Darrrtown. During the April 21 field visit by Hamilton County Department of Environmental Services (HC-DOES), open burning in violation of Ohio Administrative Code § 3745-19-04 (C)(4) was documented at that property.

Please be advised that the Ohio Administrative Code (OAC) prohibits any open burning for waste disposal on your premises. You may not cause or allow open burning. Violations of the OAC open burning standards may result in enforcement action, with possible referral to the Ohio EPA.

Be advised that failure to comply with the requirements of this letter may result in additional enforcement action, including possible referral of this case to the Office of the Ohio Attorney General. Acceptance by the Ohio EPA of a compliance plan does not constitute a waiver of the EPA's authority to seek civil penalties as provided in Section 3704.06 of the Ohio Revised Code.

The determination to pursue or to decline to pursue such penalties in this case will be made by the Ohio EPA at a later date. The violations identified above also constitute a violation of Butler County Health Department rules. Butler County Health Department rules are enforced by the Hamilton County Department of Environmental Services.

Sincerely,



Michael Fair  
Environmental Compliance Specialist

cc: Chief Corby Hansel, Milford Township Fire Department  
Kerri Castlen, Enforcement Supervisor, HC-DOES  
Sheriff Richard Jones, Butler County Sheriff's Office

