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July 23, 2009

Re: Jackson County
Holzer Clinic
Storm Water Construction Activity
Notice of Violation
0GC00655*AG

Mr. Jim Blevins
Holzer Medical
90 Jackson Pike
Gallipolis, Ohio 45631

Dear Mr. Blevins:

On July 13, 2009, I visited your site on Pattonsville Road in Jackson. The purpose of the inspection was to determine the compliance status of this site with the National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit for discharges of storm water associated with construction activity. The inspection was conducted under the provisions of Ohio's water pollution control statutes, Ohio Revised Code (ORC) Chapter 6111. The following areas need to be addressed:

Permit Coverage:

1. Part III.G.2.b.i (Table 1) of the permit requires that permanent stabilization be applied to areas at final grade within 7 days of the last disturbance. Permanent stabilization is defined as the establishment of permanent vegetative cover, decorative landscape mulching, matting, sod, rip rap and landscaping techniques to provide permanent erosion control. **Please seed bare areas of the hillside towards US 35 and reseed bare areas in the yard next to the employee parking lot.**

Sediment and erosion controls for your site must meet the guidelines and design criteria set forth in the above mentioned *Rainwater and Land Development* manual. A copy of this manual may be obtained by contacting the Ohio Department of Natural Resources, Division of Soil and Water Conservation, at (614) 265-6610.

Within fourteen (14) days of receipt of this letter, please submit to me at this office a written notification as to actions taken or proposed to eliminate violations of the permit. Your response should include the dates, either actual or proposed, for the completion of the actions. If you have any questions, please contact Aaron Wolfe at (740) 380-5277 or me at (740) 380-5413.

Please be advised that failure to comply with the terms and conditions of your NPDES permit may be cause for enforcement action pursuant to the Ohio Revised Code Chapter 6111.

Sincerely,

Dustin Tschudy
Storm Water Section
Division of Surface Water

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