



**Environmental
Protection Agency**

John R. Kasich, Governor
Mary Taylor, Lt. Governor
Scott J. Nally, Director

July 22, 2011

Re: Scioto County
Vacant Property
Storm Water Construction Activity
Notice of Violation
OGC00052*AG

Dan Cassidy
Shawnee Forestry Product & Land Development
1349 Calverts Ln.
West Portsmouth, OH 45663

Dear Mr. Cassidy:

On May 4, 2011, I visited your site along State Route 139. The purpose of the inspection was to determine the compliance of this site with the National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit for discharges of stormwater 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 within 7 days to any area that will lie dormant for more than one year. 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.

At the time of my inspection, several barren areas around the site needed stabilized. Apply seed and straw to these areas to provide permanent vegetative cover.

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 me at (740) 380-5277.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Aaron Wolfe', with a long horizontal stroke extending to the right.

Aaron Wolfe
Storm Water Coordinator
Division of Surface Water

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