



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

Re: Erie County
Erie County Sanitary Landfill
Notice of Violation

November 28, 2012

Erie County Commissioners
2900 South Columbus Avenue
Sandusky, Ohio 44870

Dear Board of Commissioners:

As of November 27, 2012, the Ohio Environmental Protection Agency (Ohio EPA), Division Material and Waste Management (DMWM), Northwest District Office (NWDO) has not received the August and September 2012 Authorized Maximum Daily Waste Receipts (AMDWR) report for the Erie County Landfill.

Ohio Administrative Code (OAC) Rule 3745-27-19(B)(2) states, "The owner or operator shall conduct all construction and operation at a sanitary landfill facility in strict compliance with the applicable authorizing document, including permit to install, a plan approval, an operational report, an approved closure plan, an alteration concurred with in writing by Ohio EPA."

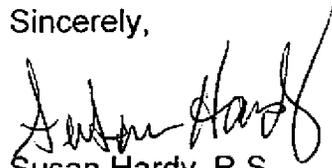
Ohio EPA Permit To Install number 03-12661 for the Erie County Landfill, effective July 2, 2002, permit condition (14)(f) states, "...A summary of each month's daily waste receipts shall be submitted to Ohio EPA, NWDO and the Erie County Health Department, if on the Director's approved list, by the fifteenth (15) day of the following month..."

The Erie County Landfill is in violation of OAC Rule 3745-27-19(B)(2) for not submitting the AMDWR reports for the months of August and September 2012. Ohio EPA expects the owner/operator to immediately take the necessary measures to return to compliance with Ohio's environmental laws. Within 14 days of receipt of this letter, the owner/operator is requested to provide AMDWR reports to this office. Documentation of the steps taken to return to compliance may be submitted via the postal service or electronically to susan.hardy@epa.state.oh.us.

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If you have any questions regarding this notification, please contact me at
(419) 373-3043.

Sincerely,



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File: DMWM/SW, Erie County, Erie Co. Landfill, Correspondence

Please be advised that the violations cited above will continue until violations have been properly abated. Failure to comply with Chapter 3734 of the Ohio Revised Code and rules promulgated thereunder may result in a civil penalty of up to \$10,000 per day for each violation. It is imperative that you return to compliance. If circumstances delay the abatement of violations, the owner/operator is requested to submit written correspondence of the steps that will be taken by date certain to attain compliance.