



State of Ohio Environmental Protection Agency

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May 3, 2010

**Re:** Jefferson County  
Apex Sanitary Landfill &  
Apex Limestone Plant  
01N00198 & 01I00022  
Compliance Evaluation Insp.  
Correspondence (IWW)

Mr. Rick Barr, District Manager  
Apex Environmental, LLC  
11 County Road 78  
P.O. Box 157  
Amsterdam, Ohio 43903

Dear Mr. Barr:

On April 20, 2010, Ohio EPA conducted a Compliance Evaluation Inspection at the Apex facility in Jefferson County. The purpose of the inspection was to determine compliance with terms and conditions of National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit numbers 01N00198\*ED (Sanitary Landfill) and 01I00022\*CD (Limestone plant).

Apex has not reported any discharge to date for Permit 01N00198 (Sanitary Landfill).

The following list summarizes violations which have been reported for permit 01I00022 (Limestone Plant/IM) through Monthly Operating Reports (MORs) since April 1, 2008:

Station	Reporting Code	Parameter	Limit Type	Limit	Reported Value	Violation Date
003	00530	Total Suspended Solids	1D Conc	70	80.	7/1/2008
003	00530	Total Suspended Solids	30D Conc	35	80.	7/1/2008

2009 and 2010 sampling results for Outfall 003 indicate Apex is compliant with the NPDES permit. The pond reportedly went through some maintenance in 2008.

The following list of codes is enclosed for use in reporting laboratory results.

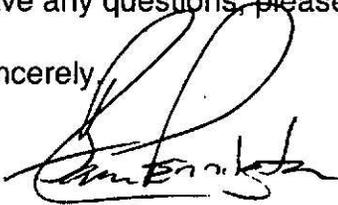
- AA - Below Detectable Limit
- AB - Analytical Data Lost
- AC - Facility Not Discharging (or No Sludge Hauled)
- AD - Automatic Analyzer Out of Service

- AE - Analytical Data Not Valid
- AF - Sample Site Inaccessible Due to Flooding or Freezing
- AH - Sample Not Taken, Explanation Included
- AJ - Above Range of Automatic Analyzer
- AK - Biological Sample Too Numerous to Count
- AL - No Discharge For the Month
- AN - Sample Not Taken, Plant Not Normally Staffed (Saturdays, Sundays, and Holidays)

More information about eDMR is at: <http://www.epa.state.oh.us/dsw/edmr/eDMR.html>

The assistance and cooperation received during the inspection was appreciated. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at (740) 380-5272.

Sincerely,



Aaron Pennington  
District Representative  
Division of Surface Water

AP/dh

Enclosures

**NPDES  
Compliance Inspection Report**

**A. NATIONAL DATA SYSTEM CODING**

Permit No.	NPDES No.	Date	Inspection Type	Inspector	Facility Type
01100022*CD	OH0120758	April 20, 2010	C	S	2

**B. FACILITY DATA**

Name and Location of Facility Inspected	Entry Time	Permit Effective Date
Apex Limestone Plant 11 County Road 78 Amsterdam, Ohio 43903	~10:15 A.M.	August 1, 2008
	Exit Time	Permit Expiration Date
	~12:20 P.M.	July 31, 2013

Name(s) and Title(s) of On-Site Representative(s)	Phone Number(s)
Rick Barr, District Manager Scott, Lockhart, Corporate Engineer	(740) 543-4389
Name, Address and Title of Responsible Official	Phone Number
Rick Barr, District Manager PO Box 157 Amsterdam, Ohio 43903	(740) 543-4389

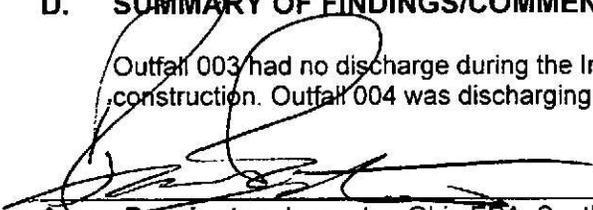
**C. AREAS EVALUATED DURING INSPECTION**

<u>S</u> Permit	<u>S</u> Flow Measurement	<u>NA</u> Pretreatment
<u>S</u> Records/Reports	<u>N</u> Laboratory (Ream and Haager)	<u>NA</u> Compliance Schedules
<u>S</u> Operations & Maintenance	<u>S</u> Effluent/Receiving Waters	<u>S</u> Self-Monitoring Program
<u>S</u> Facility Site Review	<u>    </u> Other	

(S = Satisfactory, M = Marginal, U = Unsatisfactory, N = Not Evaluated, NA = Not Applicable)

**D. SUMMARY OF FINDINGS/COMMENTS** (attach additional sheets if necessary)

Outfall 003 had no discharge during the inspection. Outfall 010 has no reported history of discharge since construction. Outfall 004 was discharging a clear effluent during the inspection

  
Aaron Pennington, Inspector, Ohio EPA, Southeast District Office

4-26-2010  
Date

  
Timothy M. Campbell, Reviewer, Ohio EPA, Southeast District Office

5/3/10  
Date