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October 25, 2011

CERTIFIED MAIL

Mr. Ryan Zeman
Sonshine Commercial Cleaning
1250 W. Dorothy Lane
Kettering, Ohio 45409

NOTICE OF VIOLATION

Dear Mr. Zeman:

On October 6, 2011 I conducted an inspection of Sonshine Commercial Cleaning on Dorothy Lane in response to a complaint alleging dumping waste water to a storm sewer. After an inspection of the southwest corner of the parking lot at the Dorothy Lane location where several Sonshine vans were parked and conversations with an employee and yourself, I determined that Sonshine Commercial Cleaning was in fact discharging waste water to the parking lot which drains into the storm sewer catch basin adjacent to the parked vans.

The discharge of cleaning waste water to the storm sewer without a permit is a violation of Ohio Revised Code 6111.04. Sonshine Commercial Cleaning must cease discharging waste waters to the storm sewer.

You provided information about a future move to a "warehouse type" of location for the operation. We discussed that a discharge to a sanitary sewer at a warehouse may be an option and I provided a contact (Rick Day at 937-781-2663) at the Montgomery County Sewer Authority that could help you with the permitting process to allow such a discharge.

Please respond within 30 days of the date of this letter with a plan for the legal disposal of waste waters generated from your operation. If you have any questions feel free to call me at 937-285-6058. I thank you in advance for your cooperation.

Sincerely

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