



Environmental
Protection Agency

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

March 5, 2012

John Groff
City of Heath
1287 Hebron Road
Heath, OH 43056

**Re: Storm Water Inspection at State Route 79 / Licking County
Permit Number: 4GC02224*AG**

Dear Mr. Groff:

This letter is written in follow-up to my inspection of the construction activities associated with the State Route 79/Radian Drive improvement project are authorized under a General Storm Water Permit Associated with Construction Activities. My inspection was conducted on February 15, 2012. Based on my site observations, the following items were noted

Sediment and Erosion Control:

- Please maintain all sediment and erosion controls. Specifically in the area of Radian Drive as it appears many of the controls were compromised from recent rain events
- Please ensure all barrens which intend to remain idle in excess of 21 days are protected from erosion specifically through the winter months. In the event earth disturbing activities extend beyond a successful growing season, alternative measures such as a crimped mulch cover is expected.

Infiltration area off Radian Drive:

- As you are aware this office received complaints regarding the potential impact from storm water run-off to residences on Radian Drive. I further understand an infiltration area will be constructed to attempt to mitigate these concerns. It is imperative the infiltration area is installed following the completion of construction when all upland areas are fully stabilized and protected from erosion. Early installation of this control would significantly jeopardize the intended function as sediment would clog the areas designated for infiltration.

John Groff
City of Heath
Page -2-

If you have any question regarding this letter or the inspection, please do not hesitate to contact me at our Central District Office at (614) 728-3844 or email at harry.kallipolitis@epa.state.oh.us. A follow-up inspection will be conducted to ensure the conditions of the General Permit are met.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Harry Kallipolitis", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Harry Kallipolitis
Storm Water Coordinator
Division of Surface Water
Central District Office

c. Jim Kiracofe