



**Environmental  
Protection Agency**

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

Re: Crawford County  
Buckeye Central K-12 School  
Construction  
Storm Water

April 27, 2012

Ms. Tara Meyerink, Superintendent  
Buckeye Central Local School District  
938 South Kibler Street  
New Washington, Ohio 44854

Dear Ms. Meyerink:

On April 3, 2012, Michelle Sharp and I inspected Buckeye Central K-12 located at 938 South Kibler Street, New Washington. The purpose of the visit was to evaluate compliance of the site with the National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) general permit for storm water discharges associated with construction activity, Facility ID No. 2GC02956. The inspection was conducted under the provisions of Ohio's water pollution control statutes, Ohio Revised Code (ORC) Chapter 6111.

The project consisted of modifications to the storm water pond. It appeared that construction activities were complete. Your April 19, 2012, e-mail confirmed this. A Notice of Termination (NOT) must be filed to relieve you of the obligation to comply with this general permit. An NOT may be filed if one or more of the following conditions have been met:

- Final stabilization has been established on all areas of the site for which the permittee is responsible. Final stabilization means that either:
  1. All soil disturbing activities at the site are complete and a uniform perennial vegetative cover of at least 70% density has been established over the entire site. All temporary erosion and sediment control measures have been removed, properly disposed of, and all trapped sediment has been permanently stabilized; or
  2. For construction projects on land used for agricultural purposes, final stabilization may be accomplished by returning the disturbed land to its pre-construction agricultural use. If not returned to its pre-construction agricultural use, the land must meet the final stabilization criteria above.

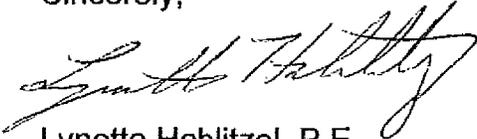
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- Another operator(s) has assumed control over all areas of the site that have not been fully stabilized.

Once a 70% density of perennial vegetation has been reached on all disturbed ground, please file the NOT form. The NOT form and instructions can be found on our website: <http://www.epa.ohio.gov/dsw/storm/stormform.aspx>. NOTs must be mailed to Ohio EPA's Central Office within 45 days of when the above criteria are met.

If there are any questions, please contact me at (419) 373-3009.

Sincerely,



Lynette Hablitzel, P.E.  
Division of Surface Water  
Storm Water Program

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