



**Environmental
Protection Agency**

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

August 24, 2012

Re: Muskingum County
South Elementary School
Storm Water Construction Activity
Notice of Violation
0GC01162*AG

Mr. Darrell Lear
Zanesville City Schools
160 N. Fourth Street
Zanesville, Ohio 43701

Dear Mr. Lear:

On August 2, 2012, I visited your site on 1063 Superior Street in Zanesville, Ohio. The purpose of the inspection was to determine the compliance of this site with the National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit for discharges of storm water associated with construction activity. The inspection was conducted under the provisions of Ohio's water pollution control statutes, Ohio Revised Code (ORC) Chapter 6111. The following areas need to be addressed:

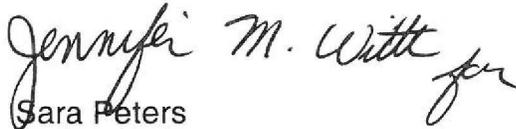
Part III.G.2.b.i. (Table 1) of the permit requires that permanent stabilization be applied within 7 days to any area that will lie dormant for more than one year. Permanent stabilization is defined as the establishment of permanent vegetative cover, decorative landscape mulching, matting, sod, rip rap and landscaping techniques to provide permanent erosion control.

Portions of your project do not meet the requirements above. Stabilize these areas immediately.

Sediment and erosion controls for your site must meet the guidelines and design criteria set forth in the above mentioned Rainwater and Land Development manual. A copy of this manual may be obtained by contacting the Ohio Department of Natural Resources, Division of Soil and Water Conservation, at (614) 265 6610.

Within fourteen (14) days of receipt of this letter, please submit to me at this office a written notification as to actions taken or proposed to eliminate violations of the permit. Your response should include the dates, either actual or proposed, for the completion of the actions. If you have any questions, please contact Aaron Wolfe at (740) 380-5277.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Jennifer M. Witt for". The signature is written in black ink and is positioned above the typed name.

Sara Peters
Storm Water Section
Division of Surface Water

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