



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

Re: Lucas County
New Start High School
Construction Storm Water
Facility ID No. 2GC00804

November 7, 2012

Mr. Gary Sautter
Assistant Business Manager
Toledo Public Schools
420 East Manhattan Boulevard, Room 114
Toledo, Ohio 43608

Mr. Troy Anderson
Menard Inc.
5101 Menard Drive
Eau Claire, Wisconsin 54703

Mr. Rick Kusmer
Mosser Construction Inc.
122 South Wilson Avenue Drawer D
Fremont, Ohio 43420

Mr. Nathan Marlatt
Anderzack-Pitzen Construction
424 East Main Street
Metamora, Ohio 43540

Ms. Rhonda Perkins
Dem/Ex Group Inc.
805 South Adams Street
Manito, Illinois 61546

Dear Messrs. Sautter, Anderson, Kusmer, Marlatt and Ms. Perkins:

On November 1, 2012, I inspected New Start High School at 2100 Tremainsville Road, Toledo (photos taken). The purpose of my visit was to evaluate compliance of the site with the National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit for storm water discharges associated with construction activity. The inspection was conducted under the provisions of Ohio's water pollution control statutes, Ohio Revised Code (ORC) Chapter 6111.

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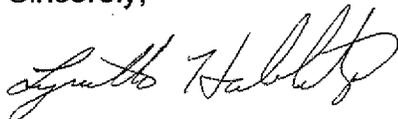
It appears that construction activities at New Start High School are complete. A finished building and paved parking areas were present. It appeared that an extended detention pond had been installed north of the school building to meet the post construction storm water management requirements of the permit. 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 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
- Another operator(s) has assumed control over all areas of the site that have not been fully stabilized.

Your site does not appear to meet the above requirements. Grass was growing; however, there were several bare spots, such as in the island along the driveway in front of the building. A sidewalk also appeared to have been recently installed between the YMCA and Longfellow Elementary. The ground adjacent to the sidewalk had not been stabilized. When a 70% density of perennial vegetative cover has been achieved and you have installed the post construction storm water management facilities required by the permit, you may 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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cc: Patekka Pope Bannister, City of Toledo Division of Environmental Services
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