



John T. Kasich, Governor
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June 24, 2013

Paul Craver
Paul and Phyllis Craver
963 West Orange Road
Delaware, OH 43015

Re: **Construction Storm Water Inspection at River Rock Farms/ Delaware County**
Permit Number: 4GCO00081*AG

Dear Mr. Craver

This letter is written regarding a storm water inspection conducted by Paul Hafner and Sam Marotta of the Ohio EPA at River Rock Farms located at 963 West Orange Road on June 11, 2013. The purpose of the inspection was to evaluate compliance with the General Storm Water Permit associated with Construction Activities. During the inspection, our staff noted the following issues associated with construction activities at this site:

Sediment and Erosion Control:

- Please maintain the perimeter diversions on the west end of the site. Positive drainage must be maintained to all sediment basins during active construction.
- The sediment pond noted in figure one appears to be functioning as intended. Please ensure sediment clean out once the sediment has filled the impoundment in excess of 50 percent.
- Be aware the General Permit states that all barren areas which remain idle in excess of 21 days must be protected from erosion within seven days of the last earth disturbing activities. In addition, erosion protection must be implemented for all areas of final grade within seven (7) days. ***It is my understanding, fill operations are complete, as a result, temporary and or permanent stabilization is expected within seven days***

If you have any questions regarding this letter or the inspection, please do not hesitate to call me at our Central District Office at (614) 728-3844 or email at harry.kallipolitis@epa.state.oh.us. In addition, please provide a written response (**email preferred**) to the action items addressed above within ten days from receipt of this letter. A follow-up inspection will be conducted to ensure the minimum conditions of the General Permit have been met.

Sincerely,

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

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Figure 1 Sediment Pond With Skimmer