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**RE: Construction Storm Water Inspection at Sage Creek Section 5/ Delaware County. Permit Number: 4GC04238\*AG**

Dear Mr. Schlanger,

This letter is written regarding a storm water inspection conducted by Jerome Hoke of the Ohio EPA at Sage Creek Section 5 located adjacent to 2572 Sweet Clover Lane on August 27, 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:**

- The silt fence on the west side of the site was not installed properly (See Figure 1). The General Permit states that silt fence must be entrenched into the ground four to six inches. Maintenance is expected within three (3) days from receipt of this letter.
- Dewatering activities appeared to be occurring on site (See Figure 2). Dewatering activities must not result in turbid discharge to waters of the state.
- The straw waddle adjacent to the stream is not a sufficient form of sediment control. It was overburdened in several places (See Figure 3) and should be replaced with higher quality sediment controls, such as silt fence, as soon as possible.
- 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

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earth disturbing activities. In addition, erosion protection must be implemented for all areas of final grade within seven (7) days. This refers specifically to the stockpiles on the east side of the site (See Figure 4).

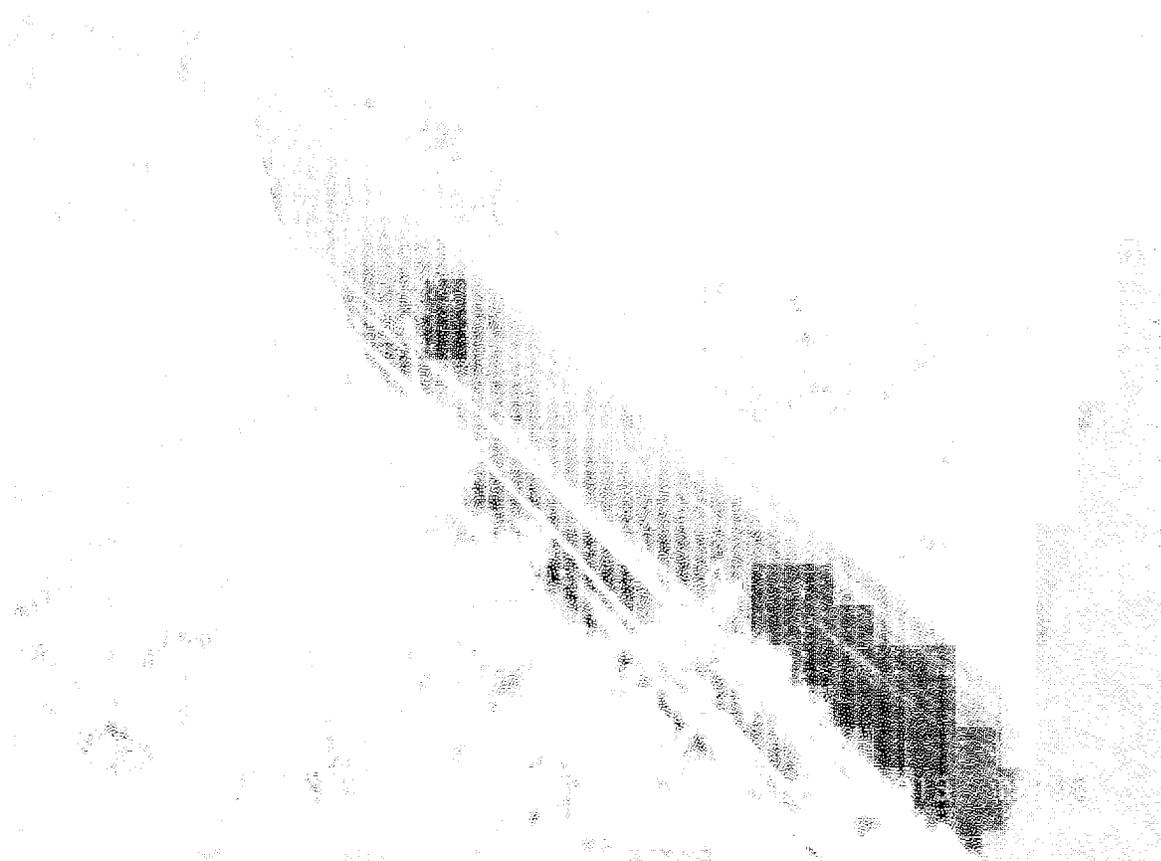
If you have any question regarding this letter or the inspection, please do not hesitate to contact me at our Central District Office at (614) 728-3844 or email at [harry.kallipolitis@epa.state.oh.us](mailto:harry.kallipolitis@epa.state.oh.us). A follow up inspection will be conducted to ensure the conditions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

Sincerely,

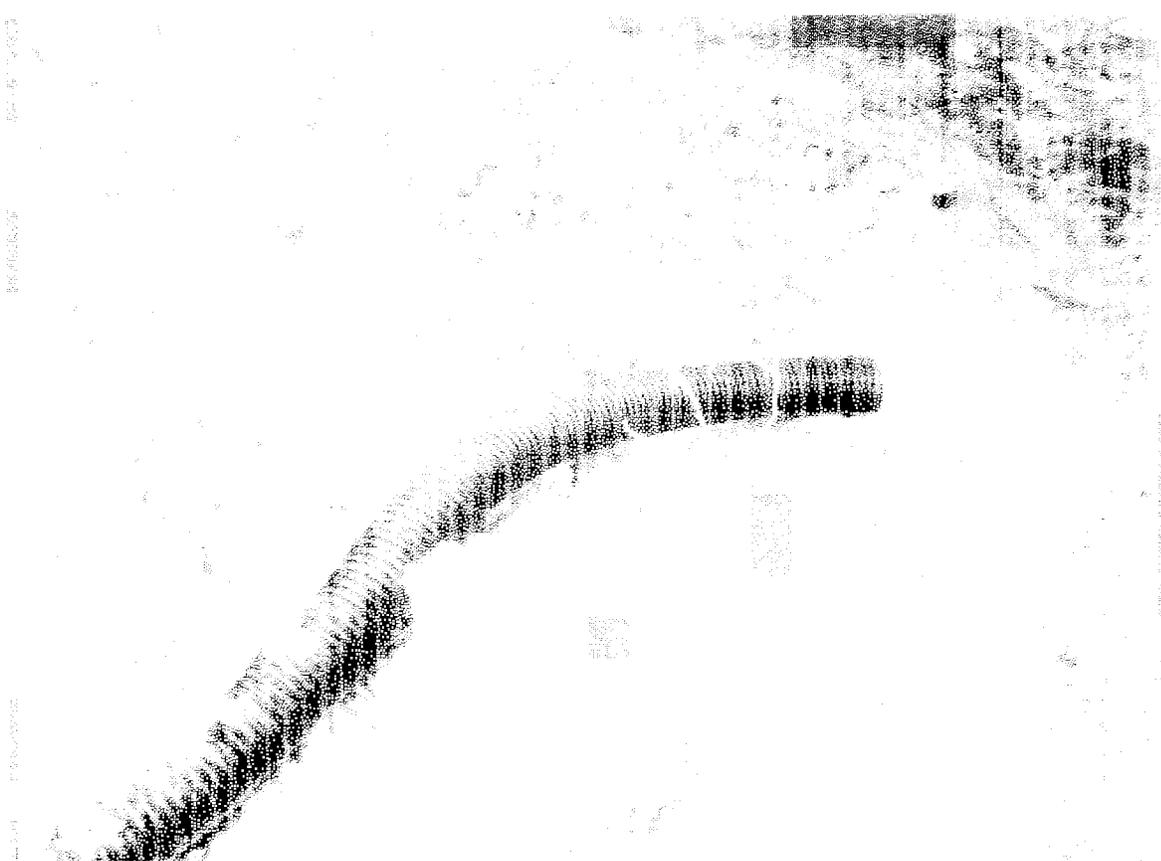


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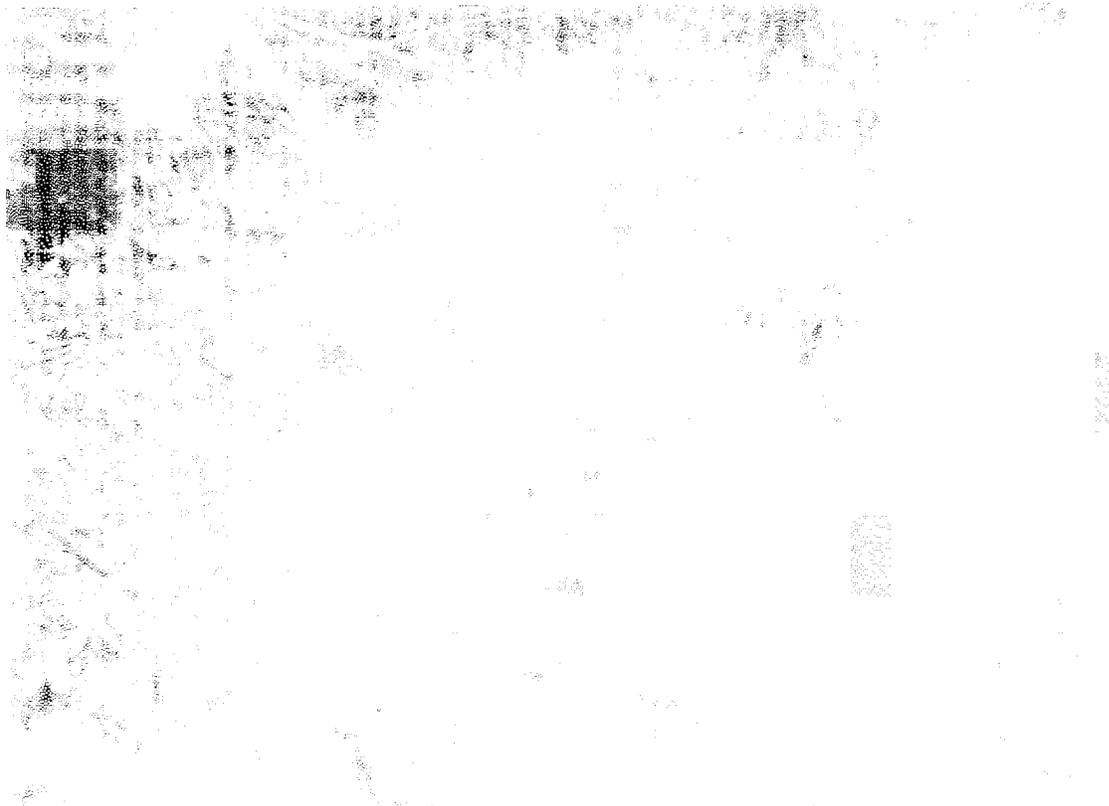
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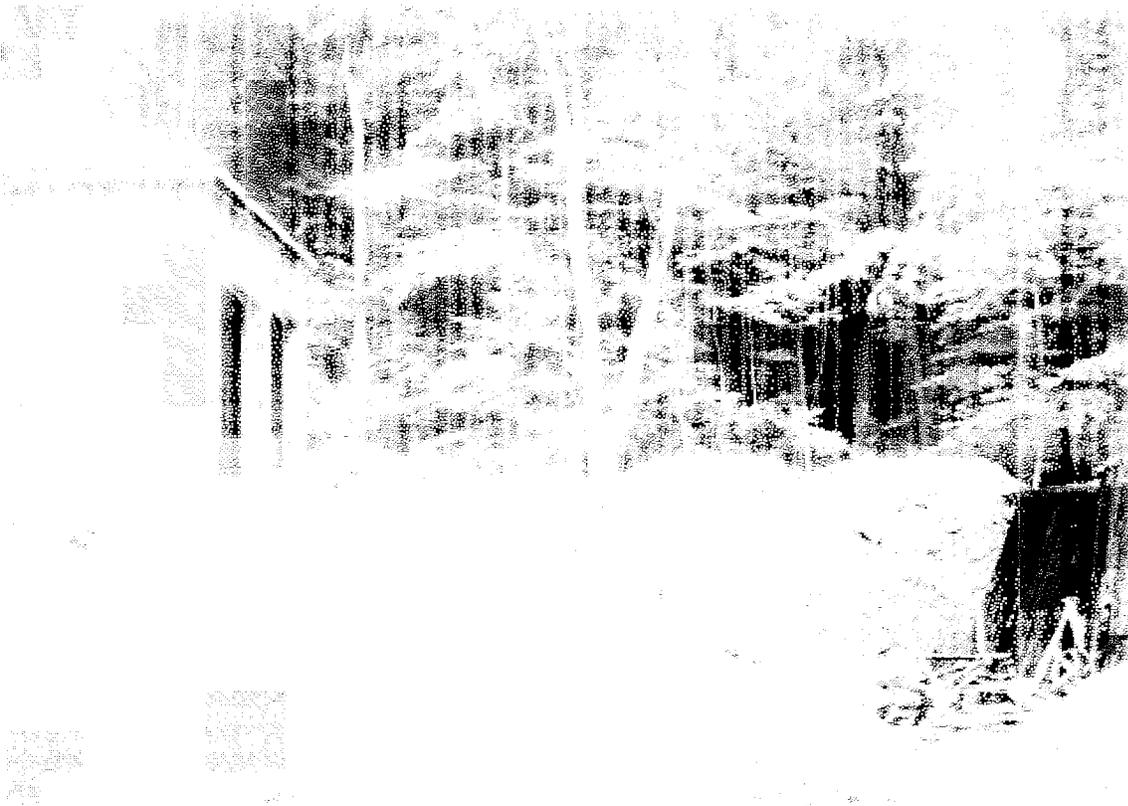
**Figure 1: Silt fence on west side requires maintenance.**



**Figure 2: Dewatering activities must not result in turbid discharge to waters of the State.**



**Figure 3: Straw bale adjacent to stream is overburdened. It must be replaced by higher quality sediment controls.**



**Figure 4: Stockpiles on site.**