

STATE OF MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT, GREAT LAKES, AND ENERGY

AIR QUALITY DIVISION



SRN: N8081; Calhoun County

December 6, 2024

UPS NEXT DAY DELIVERY

Ron Caldwell ReConserve of Michigan, Inc. 170 Angell Street Battle Creek, Michigan 49037

Dear Ron Caldwell:

SUBJECT: Consent Order AQD No. 2024-09, Stipulated Fines

On July 12, 2024, the Michigan Department of Environment, Great Lakes, and Energy (EGLE), Air Quality Division (AQD), and ReConserve of Michigan, Inc. (Company) entered into the enclosed Stipulation for Entry of Final Order by Consent (Consent Order) AQD No. 2024-09, to resolve violations of Part 55, Air Pollution Control, of the Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Act, 1994 PA 451, as amended, and Permit to Install (PTI) 184-08B.

In a Violation Notice (VN) dated November 12, 2024, the AQD cited the Company for violating the terms and conditions of the Consent Order. Specifically, the AQD alleges that the Company allowed fugitive dust fallout in violation of Rule 901.

Paragraph 9.A of Consent Order, in part, puts forth the following conditions:

"On and after the Effective Date of this Consent Order, the Company shall comply with Rule 901."

After reviewing the VN and the Company's response to the violations, the AQD has determined the amount of stipulated fine to be \$3,000.00.

The Company is hereby requested to submit the stipulated fines of \$3,000.00 in accordance with the provisions of paragraph 15 of the Consent Order, by January 6, 2025. To ensure proper credit, all payments shall include the Agreement Identification No. AQD40331-S on the face of the check. Stipulated fines submitted under this Consent Order shall be made by check, payable to the "State of Michigan" and mailed to the Michigan Department of Environment, Great Lakes, and Energy, Accounting Services Division, Cashier's Office, P.O. Box 30657, Lansing, Michigan 48909-8157.

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Sincerely,

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