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December 15, 2015

Mr. Lynn Zandbergen  
Great Lakes Trailer Washout  
8228 Neptune Drive  
Kalamazoo, Michigan 49009

SRN: U391502444, Kalamazoo County

Dear Mr. Zandbergen:

**VIOLATION NOTICE**

On December 10, 2015, the Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ), Air Quality Division (AQD), conducted a complaint inspection of Great Lakes Trailer Washout (Facility), located at 8228 Neptune Drive, Kalamazoo, Michigan. The purpose of this inspection was to determine the Facility's compliance with the requirements of the federal Clean Air Act; Part 55, Air Pollution Control, of the Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Act, 1994 PA 451, as amended (Act 451); the administrative rules; and to investigate a recent complaint that the DEQ, AQD, received on December 10, 2015, regarding foul odors attributed to operations at the Facility.

During the inspection, staff of the AQD observed the following:

Process Description	Rule/Permit Condition Violated	Comments
Trailer washout, wastewater catch area, and outside underground treatment system	R 336.1901 (Rule 901)	Odor was detected off site.

In the professional judgment of AQD staff, the odors that were detected were of sufficient intensity, frequency, and duration so as to constitute a violation of Rule 901. The AQD staff detected odors in a residential area near the Facility.

Please initiate actions necessary to correct the cited violation and submit a written response to this Violation Notice by January 4, 2016. The written response should include: the dates the violation occurred; an explanation of the causes and duration of the violation; whether the violation is ongoing; a summary of the actions that have been taken and are proposed to be taken to correct the violation and the dates by which these actions will take place; and what steps are being taken to prevent a reoccurrence.

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If the Facility believes the above observations or statements are inaccurate or do not constitute violations of the applicable legal requirements cited, please provide appropriate factual information to explain your position.

Thank you for your attention to resolving the violation cited above. If you have any questions regarding the violation or the actions necessary to bring this Facility into compliance, please contact me at the telephone number listed below.

Sincerely,



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Environmental Quality Analyst  
Air Quality Division  
269-567-3552

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cc: Ms. Lynn Fiedler, DEQ  
Ms. Mary Ann Dolehanty, DEQ  
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