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DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY
GRAND RAPIDS DISTRICT OFFICE



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DIRECTOR

March 26, 2018

Mr. Dan Schimmel
DSB Development LLC
1733 3 Mile Road NE
Grand Rapids, Michigan 49505

Mr. Jim Dykema
Dykema Excavators Inc.
1730 3 Mile Road NE
Grand Rapids, Michigan 49505

SRN: U411801495, Kent County

Dear Mr. Schimmel & Mr. Dykema:

VIOLATION NOTICE

On March 16, 2018, the Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ), Air Quality Division (AQD), conducted an inspection of the property located at 95 North Street NW, Kent City, Michigan. The purpose of this inspection was to determine DSB Development LLC'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 Air Pollution Control Rules; and to investigate a recent complaint received on March 14, 2018, regarding open burning by DSB Development LLC.

During the inspection, staff observed the following:

Process Description	Rule/Permit Condition Violated	Comments
Open Burning	Rule 310	AQD staff observed evidence of open burning on a property within Kent City Village limits.

On March 16, 2018, AQD staff observed evidence of the open burning of brush piles at 95 North Street NW, Kent City, which is within the Kent City Village limits. This constitutes a violation of Act 451, Rule 310 which prohibits open burning within 1400 feet of an incorporated city or village limit.

In order to comply with Rule 310, DSB Development LLC is advised to immediately discontinue any open burning.

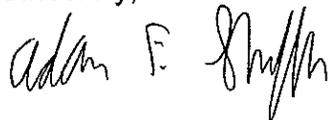
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Please initiate actions necessary to correct the cited violation and submit a written response to this Violation Notice by April 9, 2018 (which coincides with 21 calendar days from the date of this letter). The written response should include: the 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.

If DSB Development LLC 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 property into compliance, please contact me at the number listed below.

Sincerely,



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