

PUBLIC NOTICE

FINAL ISSUANCE OF CERTIFICATE OF REGISTRATION AS A TRANSPORTER OF INFECTIOUS WASTE

Notice is hereby given that on March 2, 2007, the director of Ohio EPA issued an infectious waste transporter certificate to Healthcare Waste Solutions Inc, 380 Locust St, McKeesport, PA 15132, ID No.: 00-T-00295. Persons wishing to be notified of further actions or proceedings for this project must submit a request in writing to Ohio EPA, Division of Solid and Infectious Waste Management, Attn: Systems Management Unit, P.O. Box 1049, Columbus, Ohio 43216-1049, tel.: (614) 644-2621. This final action was not preceded by a proposed action and may be appealed to the Environmental Review Appeals Commission, at 309 South Fourth Street, Suite 222, Columbus, Ohio 43215.

**PUBLIC NOTICE
OHIO ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY
RENEWAL OF LABORATORY CERTIFICATION UNDER OHIO'S VOLUNTARY
ACTION PROGRAM**

Notice is hereby given that on March 5, 2007, the Director of the Ohio Environmental Protection Agency ("Ohio EPA"), pursuant to Ohio Revised Code ("ORC") 3746.04(B)(6) and Ohio Administrative Code ("OAC") 3745-300-04, issued a renewal of laboratory certification to Accutest Laboratories ("Accutest") of 2235 U.S. Route 130, Dayton, New Jersey. The certification number assigned to Accutest remains CL0056.

You are hereby notified that this action of the Director is final and may be appealed to the Environmental Review Appeals Commission pursuant to Section 3745.04 of the Ohio Revised Code. The appeal must be in writing and set forth the action complained of and the grounds upon which the appeal is based. The appeal must be filed with the Commission within thirty (30) days after the notice of the Director's action. The appeal must be accompanied by a filing fee of \$70.00 which the Commission, in its discretion, may reduce if by affidavit you demonstrate that payment of the full amount of the fee would cause extreme hardship. Notice of the filing of the appeal shall be filed with the Director within three (3) days of filing with the Commission. Ohio EPA requests that a copy of the appeal be served upon the Ohio Attorney General's Office, Environmental Enforcement Section. An appeal may be filed with the Environmental Review Appeals Commission at the following address:

Environmental Review Appeals Commission
309 South Fourth Street, Room 222
Columbus, Ohio 43215

If you would like to review a copy of the certificate, or any documents related to the laboratory's certification, please contact Ohio EPA, Division of Emergency and Remedial Response, Voluntary Action Program, P.O. Box 1049, Columbus, OH 43216-1049, or by telephone at (614) 644-2924.

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You are hereby notified that this action of the Director is final and may be appealed to the Environmental Review Appeals Commission pursuant to Section 3745.04 of the Ohio Revised Code. The appeal must be in writing and set forth the action complained of and the grounds upon which the appeal is based. The appeal must be filed with the Commission within thirty (30) days after the notice of the Director's action. The appeal must be accompanied by a filing fee of \$70.00 which the Commission, in its discretion, may reduce if by affidavit you demonstrate that payment of the full amount of the fee would cause extreme hardship. Notice of the filing of the appeal shall be filed with the Director within three (3) days of filing with the Commission. Ohio EPA requests that a copy of the appeal be served upon the Ohio Attorney General's Office, Environmental Enforcement Section. An appeal may be filed with the Environmental Review Appeals Commission at the following address:

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PUBLIC NOTICE

OHIO EPA ISSUES DRAFT MODIFIED HAZARDOUS WASTE PERMIT

On March 7, 2007, Ohio EPA issued a draft modified Hazardous Waste Facility Installation and Operation Permit (Permit) to RMI Titanium Company Extrusion Plant (RMI Extrusion) for its facility at 1601 21st Street, Ashtabula, Ohio 44004. The EPA Identification Number for this facility is OHD980683544.

Why does RMI Extrusion need this Permit modification?

RMI Extrusion is permitted to operate two hazardous waste container storage units at its facility. RMI Extrusion wishes to terminate corrective action tasks; remove authorization for storage from the permit; and allow early expiration of the permit. This draft modification contains the conditions under which the facility must operate if the Permit receives final approval. Details about this draft action can be viewed on Ohio EPA's Website under Stakeholders Involvement at <http://www.epa.state.oh.us/dhwm/>.

When and where will Ohio EPA hold a Public Meeting?

You may request Ohio EPA to hold a public meeting for its draft permit modification. You should send your request to: Ohio EPA, Division of Hazardous Waste Management, Attn: Regulatory and Information Services, P.O. Box 1049, Columbus, Ohio 43216-1049, telephone number (614) 644-2977, fax number (614) 728-1425, e-mail: dhwmcomments@epa.state.oh.us. If the request is granted, Ohio EPA will announce the time and location of the public meeting.

When and how do I submit written comments?

You can submit written comments anytime between March 8, 2007 and April 24, 2007. Send your comments to Ohio EPA, Division of Hazardous Waste Management, Attn: Regulatory and Information Services, P.O. Box 1049, Columbus, Ohio 43216-1049, telephone number (614) 644-2977, fax number (614) 728-1245, e-mail: dhwmcomments@epa.state.oh.us.

Where can I review the Permit modification package?

You can review these at one of the following locations:

Ashtabula County District Library, 335 West 44th Street, Ashtabula, Ohio 44004, (440) 997-9341;

Ohio EPA Northeast District Office, 2110 East Aurora Road, Twinsburg, Ohio 44087, (330) 963-1200; and,

Ohio EPA, Division of Hazardous Waste Management, 122 South Front Street,
Columbus, Ohio 43215,
(614) 644-2917.

What will Ohio EPA do with the comments?

After carefully considering public comments, Ohio EPA will reconsider the draft modified Permit, making any necessary changes, and issue the final modified Permit. Ohio EPA will issue a "response to public comments," specifying any changes made to the draft modified Permit. If you commented on the draft modified Permit, Ohio EPA will send you a copy of the "response to public comments" and the final permit decision.

**Crawford, Delaware, Franklin, Marion,
Morrow and Richland Counties**

Date of Public Notice: March 12, 2007

PUBLIC NOTICE

On the basis of staff review and application of standards and regulations, the Director of the Environmental Protection Agency public noticed a draft alternative general permit for storm water discharges associated with construction activity located within portions of the Olentangy River watershed on March 13, 2007. The draft permit will be issued as a final action unless the Director revises the draft after consideration of the record of a public hearing or written comments, or upon disapproval by the Administrator of the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency. Any person may submit comments on the draft permit and administrative record.

The alternative general permit for storm water discharges associated with construction activity located within portions of the Olentangy River watershed (Permit No. OHC200001) has been developed to address storm water issues associated with construction activity specific for the Olentangy River watershed. The draft permit would cover portions of the Olentangy River watershed, identified by 14-digit Hydrologic Unit Codes (HUC-14), and would authorize storm water discharges from construction activity disturbing one or more acres. Also, the permit would authorize some discharges that are not entirely storm water (such as trench dewatering), as well as storm water discharges from on-site concrete and asphalt batch plants. The permit identifies who can apply to be covered, how an entity obtains coverage and how a permittee terminates coverage. The permit contains requirements for permittees to prepare and implement storm water pollution prevention plans (SWP3s). The SWP3 is the permittee's plan to minimize contamination of storm water that will be discharged to surface waters from the site.

This public notice, associated fact sheet and general permit may be viewed over the internet at <http://www.epa.state.oh.us/dsw>. Copies are also available for inspection at the Ohio Environmental Protection Agency-Central Office, Division of Surface Water, 50 West Town Street, Suite 700, Columbus, Ohio between 8:00 A.M. and 5:00 P.M., Monday through Friday. Copies may also be obtained by contacting Jason Fyffe at (614) 728-1793 or via email at jason.fyffe@epa.state.oh.us.

The processing of this general permit and associated Notices of Intent for coverage is and will be done; respectively, in accordance with Ohio's antidegradation rule, Ohio Administrative Code (OAC) 3745-1-05, and NPDES general permit rules, OAC 3745-38.

An Ohio EPA public hearing to accept comments on the draft general permit has been scheduled at 4:00 P.M. on April 25, 2007 at Ohio EPA Central Office, Conference Room A, 50 West Town Street, Columbus, Ohio 43216. The public hearing will end when

everyone in attendance has had an opportunity to provide comments related to the draft general permit. In lieu of attending the public hearing, written comments may be submitted as outlined in the following paragraph.

Interested persons are invited to submit written comments on this general permit. Comments should be submitted in person or by mail no later than May 2, 2007. Deliver or mail all comments to:

Ohio Environmental Protection Agency
Division of Surface Water - Storm Water Section
50 West Town Street, Suite 700
P.O. Box 1049
Columbus, Ohio 43216-1049

The Ohio EPA permit number should appear next to the above address on the envelope and on each page of any submitted comments. All comments received on or before May 2, 2007 will be considered.

Date of Public Notice: March 6, 2007

**PUBLIC NOTICE
NOTICE OF RECEIPT OF 401 APPLICATIONS**

Public notice is hereby given that the Ohio Environmental Protection Agency (Ohio EPA) Division of Surface Water (DSW) has received an application for, and has begun to consider whether to issue or deny, a Clean Water Act Section 401 certification for an office campus expansion project. The application was submitted by Abercrombie and Fitch, 6301 Fitch Path, New Albany, Ohio 43054. The project is located north of State Route 161 and east of U.S. Route 62 in the Village of New Albany, Franklin County, Ohio. The Huntington District Corps of Engineers Public Notice Number for the project is 199900035-2. The Ohio EPA ID Number for the project is 073078.

As required by the Antidegradation Rule, three alternatives have been submitted for the project. The applicant's proposed preferred alternative, if approved, would permanently impact 1.23 acre of wetland and 413 linear feet of stream for the construction of an office campus expansion and a parking garage. It would also temporarily impact 110 linear feet of stream for construction and utility crossings. The applicant's proposed minimal degradation alternative, if approved, would permanently impact 1.03 acre of wetland and 413 linear feet of stream for the construction an office campus expansion and a parking garage. It would also temporarily impact 110 linear feet of stream for construction and utility crossings. The applicant's proposed non-degradation alternative, if approved, would have no direct impacts on waters of the state.

The discharges from the activity, if approved, would result in degradation to, or lowering of, the water quality of Blacklick Creek. The review of the application will be conducted, and a decision whether to grant or deny the application will be made, in accordance with Chapters 3745-1 and 3745-32 of the OHIO ADMINISTRATIVE CODE (OAC). In accordance with OAC 3745-1-05, an antidegradation review of the application will be conducted before deciding whether to allow a lowering of the water quality. Other alternatives resulting in lesser or no degradation, or lowering of water quality, will be considered by Ohio EPA during the review process.

No exclusions or waivers, as outline by 3745-1-05 of the Antidegradation Rule apply or may be granted by the Director of the OHIO EPA.

Starting March 6, 2007 copies of the application for the certification and technical support information may be inspected of Ohio EPA/DSW, Lazarus Government Center, 122 South Front Street, Columbus, Ohio, by first calling (614) 644-2001. Applications can be made available at Ohio EPA District Offices by calling the same number.

Written comments must be received by the Ohio EPA-DSW, Attention: Permits Processing Unit, P.O. Box 1049, Columbus, Ohio, 43216-1049 by the close of business on April 5, 2007. Comments received after this date may not be considered as part of the official record.

Persons wishing to 1) be on Ohio EPA's interested parties mailing list for this project, 2) request a public hearing, or 3) submit written comments for Ohio EPA's consideration in reviewing the application should do so in writing to OHIO EPA/DSW, Attention: Permits Processing Unit, P.O. Box 1049 Columbus, Ohio 43216-1049 within 30 days of the date of this public notice.

**PUBLIC NOTICE
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
OHIO ENVIRONMENTAL EDUCATION FUND AGENDA**

Public notice is hereby given that the Ohio Environmental Protection Agency (Ohio EPA) Office of Environmental Education (OEE) will conduct a public hearing to solicit input on the draft annual agenda for the Ohio Environmental Education Fund (OEEF) for the 2008 fiscal year.

The draft annual environmental education agenda describes proposed public outreach activities of the Office of Environmental Education, and proposed priorities for expenditures and administration of the OEEF. The OEEF General Grant Program provides approximately \$700,000 annually for projects costing up to \$50,000.00 each, and another \$100,000 is earmarked for Mini Grants to support small projects costing up to \$5,000.00 each.

The public hearing will be held on March 26, 2007 at 9:30 a.m. in Room B of the fifth floor conference center at the Ohio Environmental Protection Agency Central Office, located at 50 W. Town Street, Suite 700, Columbus, Ohio 43215. The public hearing will end when all interested parties have had an opportunity to provide testimony related to the draft annual agenda.

All interested persons are entitled to attend or be represented and give written or oral comments on the draft annual agenda at the hearing. Written comments must be received by the Ohio EPA-OEE, Attention: Carolyn Watkins, P.O. Box 1049, Columbus, Ohio, 43216-1049 by the close of business on March 30, 2007. Comments received after March 30, 2007, will not be considered as part of the official record of the public hearing. After the public hearing, the Director of Environmental Protection (Director) may make any modifications to the draft annual agenda that the Director considers appropriate based upon the comments received at the public hearing.

Copies of the draft annual agenda may be reviewed at Ohio EPA's Office of Environmental Education, 50 W. Town Street, Suite 700, Columbus, Ohio, or requested by calling (614) 644-2873 or e-mailing oeef@epa.state.oh.us. The draft annual agenda has also been posted on the OEE Web page at www.epa.state.oh.us/oeef/.

PUBLIC NOTICE

OHIO EPA RECEIVES HAZARDOUS WASTE CLOSURE PLAN

On February 26, 2007, Ohio EPA received a hazardous waste closure plan from Decorative Surfaces International Site, formerly Columbus Coated Fabrics Company, concerning several hazardous waste container storage buildings located at 1280 North Grant Avenue, Columbus, Ohio 43201. The EPA Identification Number for this facility is OHD004294351.

Why is Decorative Surfaces International submitting this Closure Plan?

At the request of Ohio EPA, Decorative Surfaces International submitted this closure plan. The plan identifies 12 buildings at the site where hazardous waste will be removed from the concrete floor slabs before demolition of these buildings. The plan also identifies hazardous waste removed from the site in 2004 and discusses possible releases of such waste. Specific decontamination procedures of the floor slabs in the building areas are presented. Other sections of the plan include air emissions; closure schedule; personnel health and safety; other decontamination efforts; surface and groundwater analysis; and cost estimate and financial assurance requirements.

When and how do I submit written comments about the Closure Plan?

You can submit written comments anytime between March 7, 2007 and April 6, 2007. Send your comments to Ohio EPA, Division of Hazardous Waste Management, Attn: Regulatory and Information Services, P.O. Box 1049, Columbus, Ohio 43216-1049, telephone number (614) 644-2977, fax number (614) 728-1245, e-mail address: dhwmcomments@epa.state.oh.us.

Where can I review the Closure Plan?

You can review the Closure Plan at the following locations:

Ohio EPA, Central District Office, 50 West Town Street, Suite 700, Columbus, Ohio 43215, tel: (614) 728-3778; and,

Ohio EPA, Division of Hazardous Waste Management, 50 West Town Street, Suite 700, Columbus, Ohio 43215, (614) 644-2977.

Ohio EPA PA No. 03-18611

Ohio Environmental Protection Agency Draft Plan Approval

PUBLIC NOTICE

Draft Plan Approval for wastewater treatment and/or disposal facilities

Ohio Environmental Protection Agency
Permits Section
50 West Town Street, Suite 700
P.O. Box 1049
Columbus, Ohio 43216-1049
(614) 644-2001

Public Notice No. : 07-03-041
March 8, 2007 of Issue of Public Notice: March 15, 2007

Name and Address of Applicant: Mr. Gary Baker, Village Administrator, 401 Main Street, Delta, OH 43515, Fulton County

Name and Address of Facility Where Discharge Occurs: Village of Delta WWTP, 516 Locust Street, Delta, OH 43515

Public notice is hereby given that Ohio Environmental Protection Agency (Ohio EPA) Division of Surface Water (DSW) has issued a draft plan approval for the Combined Sewer System Long-Term Control Plan for the Village of Delta. The plan is for elimination of all nine (9) combined sewer overflow locations by constructing a new separate sanitary sewer system. The estimated cost of the plan is \$10,168,880. The project is to be constructed over a period of 20 years and will be completed in five (5) phases each lasting four (4) years. The Combined Sewer System Long-Term Control Plan Addendum, which was received by Ohio EPA on November 2, 2006, contains an implementation schedule that will be included in the Village's NPDES permit, Ohio EPA number 2PB00003.

In accordance with OAC 3745-1-05, Ohio EPA will provide an opportunity for public comment concerning this project. Comments received shall be considered by the Director before the plan is issued as final. Any person may submit written comments on the draft plan and administrative record and may request a public hearing. A request for public hearing shall be in writing and shall state the nature of the issues to be raised. In appropriate cases, including cases where there is significant public interest, the director may hold a public hearing on a draft plan or plans prior to final issuance of the plan or plans. Written comments and/or public hearing requests must be received by the Ohio

EPA, Division of Surface Water no later than 30 days from the date of this public notice. Comments and/or public hearing requests should be delivered or mailed to both of the following locations: 1) Ohio Environmental Protection Agency, Division of Surface Water, Permits Processing Unit, 50 West Town Street, Suite 700, P.O. Box 1049, Columbus, Ohio 43216-1049 and 2) Ohio Environmental Protection Agency, Northwest District Office, 347 North Dunbridge Road, PO Box 466, Bowling Green, OH 43402. Comments received after this date may not be considered by the Director before issuing the final plan.

Copies of the draft Plan and technical support information may be reviewed and/or copies made at the Ohio EPA Northwest District Office, 347 North Dunbridge Road, PO Box 466, Bowling Green, OH 43402, by first calling, (419) 352-8461 to make an appointment.

PUBLIC NOTICE

**Ohio EPA Approves Authorization to Excavate and Drill at
the Swale Park Property, Findlay, Ohio**

Notice is hereby given that the Director of the Ohio Environmental Protection Agency (Ohio EPA) has issued as a final action an authorization to Shaw Environmental, Inc. on behalf of the City of Findlay under Ohio Administrative Code § 3745-27-13 to engage in drilling, and excavating activities at a former solid/hazardous waste disposal area known as Swale Park. Swale Park is located at 0 Defiance Avenue, Findlay, OH 45840. The City of Findlay's request for authorization is required since the area is considered a former waste disposal area. The activities will support the City's plans to remediate and redevelop the property. The site activities will include the installation of soil borings and/or excavation of test pits to collect environmental samples over approximately 77 acres of the site.

The effective date of this action is March 5, 2007. The action of the Director is final and may be appealed to the Environmental Review Appeals Commission pursuant to Section 3745.04 of the Ohio Revised Code. The appeal must be in writing and set forth the action complained of and the grounds upon which the appeal is based. The appeal must be filed with the Commission within thirty (30) days after notice of the Director's action. The appeal must be accompanied by a filing fee of \$70.00 which the Commission, in its discretion, may reduce if by affidavit you demonstrate that payment of the full amount of the fee would cause extreme hardship. Notice of the filing of the appeal shall be filed with the Director within three (3) days of filing with the Commission. Ohio EPA requests that a copy of the appeal be served upon the Ohio Attorney General's Office, Environmental Enforcement Section. An appeal may be filed with the Environmental Review Appeals Commission at the following address:

Environmental Review Appeals Commission
309 South Fourth Street, Room 222
Columbus, OH 43215

The authorization request and related materials are available for review at Ohio EPA's Northwest District Office by calling (419) 352-8461 for an appointment.

Date of Public Notice: March 6, 2007

**PUBLIC NOTICE
NOTICE OF RECEIPT OF 401 APPLICATION**

Public notice is hereby given that the Ohio Environmental Protection Agency (Ohio EPA) Division of Surface Water (DSW) has received an application for, and has begun to consider whether to issue or deny, a Clean Water Act Section 401 certification for a project to develop a multi-use retail development on approximately 120 acres of undeveloped land located on near the Junction of State Route 14 and Interstate 80. The application was submitted by Woodmont Streetsboro, LP, a Texas limited partnership, 2100 West 7th Street, Fort Worth, Texas, 76107. The project is located in the City of Streetsboro, Portage County, Ohio. The project is bordered on the southwest by State Route 14, the northwest by the entrance ramp to I-80, the north by I-80, and the east by Kickapoo Pass, which is part of a residential subdivision. The Buffalo District Corps of Engineers Public Notice Number for this project is 2005-874-6. The Ohio EPA ID Number for this project is 073077.

As required by the Antidegradation Rule, three alternatives have been submitted for the project. The applicant's proposed preferred alternative, if approved, would fill 0.75 of wetlands, 2,122 linear feet of ephemeral streams and 741 linear feet of intermittent streams. The applicant's proposed minimal degradation alternative, if approved, would fill 0.51 acres of wetlands, 1,317 linear feet of ephemeral streams and 741 linear feet of intermittent streams. The applicant's proposed non-degradation alternative, if approved, would have no direct impacts on waters of the state.

The discharges from the activity, if approved, would result in degradation to, or lowering of, the water quality of unnamed tributaries of Tinkers Creek, which is in the Cuyahoga River Watershed. The review of the application will be conducted, and a decision whether to grant or deny the application will be made, in accordance with Chapters 3745-1 and 3745-32 of the Ohio Administrative Code (OAC). In accordance with OAC 3745-1-05, an antidegradation review of the application will be conducted before deciding whether to allow a lowering of the water quality. Other alternatives resulting in lesser or no degradation or lowering of water quality will be considered by Ohio EPA during the review process.

No exclusions or waivers, as outlined by 3745-1-05 of the Antidegradation Rule apply or may be granted by the Director of Ohio EPA.

Starting March 6, 2007, copies of the application for the certification and technical support information may be inspected at Ohio EPA-DSW, P.O. Box 1049, Columbus, Ohio 43216-1049 by first calling (614) 644-2001. Applications can be made available at the Ohio EPA District Offices by calling the same number.

Persons wishing to 1) be on Ohio EPA's interested parties mailing list for this project, 2) request a public hearing or 3) submit comments for Ohio EPA's consideration in reviewing the application should do so in writing to Ohio EPA-DSW, Attention: Permits Processing Unit, P.O. Box 1049, Columbus, Ohio 43216-1049 within 30 days of the date of this public notice.

Date of Public Notice: March 3, 2007

**PUBLIC NOTICE
NOTICE OF RECEIPT OF 401 APPLICATION**

Public notice is hereby given that the Ohio Environmental Protection Agency (Ohio EPA) Division of Surface Water (DSW) has received an application for, and has begun to consider whether to issue or deny, a Clean Water Act Section 401 certification for a project to develop a residential subdivision on approximately 142 acres of undeveloped land located on Twinsburg-Warren Road (S.R. 82). The application was submitted by Aurora Meadows Ltd., 257000 Science Park Drive, Suite 270, Beachwood, Ohio 44122. The project is located south of State Route 82 and west of Cochran, Aurora Township, City of Aurora, Portage County, Ohio. The Buffalo District Corps of Engineers Public Notice Number for this project is 2005-01167(3). The Ohio EPA ID Numbers for this project are 073060 and 073059.

As required by the Antidegradation Rule, three alternatives have been submitted for the project. The applicant's proposed preferred alternative, if approved, would impact 2.43 acres of federal jurisdiction wetlands and 1.39 acres of isolated wetlands. The applicant's proposed minimal degradation alternative, if approved, would impact 1.14 acres of federal jurisdiction wetland and 1.39 acres of isolated wetlands. The applicant's proposed non-degradation alternative, if approved, would have no direct impacts on waters of the state.

The discharges from the activity, if approved, would result in degradation to, or lowering of, the water quality of the Pond Brook and Tinkers Creek watersheds of the Cuyahoga River. The review of the application will be conducted, and a decision whether to grant or deny the application will be made, in accordance with Chapters 3745-1 and 3745-32 of the Ohio Administrative Code (OAC). In accordance with OAC 3745-1-05, an antidegradation review of the application will be conducted before deciding whether to allow a lowering of the water quality. Other alternatives resulting in lesser or no degradation or lowering of water quality will be considered by Ohio EPA during the review process.

No exclusions or waivers, as outlined by 3745-1-05 of the Antidegradation Rule apply or may be granted by the Director of Ohio EPA.

Starting March 3, 2007, copies of the application for the certification and technical support information may be inspected at Ohio EPA-DSW, P.O. Box 1049, Columbus, Ohio 43216-1049 by first calling (614) 644-2001. Applications can be made available at the Ohio EPA District Offices by calling the same number.

Persons wishing to 1) be on Ohio EPA's interested parties mailing list for this project, 2) request a public hearing or 3) submit comments for Ohio EPA's consideration in reviewing the application should do so in writing to Ohio EPA-DSW, Attention: Permits Processing Unit, P.O. Box 1049, Columbus, Ohio 43216-1049 within 30 days of the date of this public notice.

Date of Public Notice March 7, 2007

**PUBLIC NOTICE
NOTICE OF CANCELLATION OF PUBLIC HEARING FOR SECTION 401
CERTIFICATION**

Public Notice is hereby given that the Ohio Environmental Protection Agency (Ohio EPA) Division of Surface Water (DSW) has cancelled the public hearing scheduled for March 8, 2007 at 6:30 p.m. at the Kent City Council Chambers, 325 Depeyster Street, Kent, Ohio regarding receipt of application for a 401 certification (Ohio EPA ID Number 062995) for a project to construct a medically based health and wellness center developed in partnership with Summa Health Care. The applicant Golden Pond LLC, 3321 Kensington Drive, Avon, OH 44011, withdrew their application.

PUBLIC NOTICE

**OHIO EPA ISSUES FINAL FINDINGS AND ORDERS TO
BRIDGESTONE FIRESTONE**

On March 6, 2007, Ohio EPA issued final Findings and Orders to Bridgestone Firestone, North American Tire, LLC for its facility located at 1200 Firestone Parkway, Akron, Ohio 44317. This facility is a small quantity generator of hazardous waste. The EPA I.D. number for this facility is OHD001288109.

Bridgestone Firestone, North American Tire must achieve compliance with Chapter 3734 of the Ohio Revised Code and the regulations promulgated thereunder according to the detailed compliance schedule which outlines civil penalties and payments. This final action was not preceded by a proposed action and is appealable to the Environmental Review Appeals Commission.

PUBLIC NOTICE

OHIO EPA RECEIVES AMENDED HAZARDOUS WASTE CLOSURE PLAN

On February 28, 2007, Ohio EPA received an amended hazardous waste closure plan from General Motors Corporation-Lordstown Metal Fabricating Plant (GM Metal Fabricating) for its hazardous waste container storage unit located at 2369 Ellsworth Bailey Road, Lordstown, Ohio 44481. The EPA Identification Number for this facility is OHD083321091.

Why is GM Metal Fabricating submitting this amended Closure Plan?

At the request of Ohio EPA, GM Metal Fabricating submitted this amended closure plan. The purpose of the plan is to address Ohio EPA's concern that groundwater in the former container storage area remains above the maximum concentration level for trichloroethane. The plan includes: 1) the discontinuance of the groundwater monitoring program; 2) excavation of the concrete basin and suspected soil source materials around the basin; and, 3) confirmation soil sampling on the walls and floor of the proposed excavation for trichloroethane. The plan also includes closure certification activities, a closure schedule, and revised cost estimate.

When and how do I submit written comments about this Closure Plan?

You can submit written comments anytime between March 9 and April 9, 2007. Send your comments to Ohio EPA, Division of Hazardous Waste Management, Attn: Regulatory and Information Services, P.O. Box 1049, Columbus, Ohio 43216, telephone number (614) 644-2977, fax number (614) 728-1245, e-mail address: dhwmcomments@epa.state.oh.us.

Where can I review the Closure Plan?

You can review the Closure Plan at the following locations:

Ohio EPA, Northeast District Office, 2110 East Aurora Road, Twinsburg, Ohio 44087, tel: (330) 963-1200; and,

Ohio EPA, Division of Hazardous Waste Management, 50 West Town Street, Suite 700, Columbus, Ohio 43215 (614) 644-2977.

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE OF ADJUDICATION HEARING

In the Matter of:

NORTON ENVIRONMENTAL COMPANY,

Ohio EPA Case No. 06-SW-006

Pursuant to the adjudication hearing request submitted by Norton Environmental Company (Norton), the Ohio Environmental Protection Agency (Ohio EPA) has scheduled an adjudication hearing. The hearing concerns the proposed denial of Norton's PTI Application No. 02-15841. Norton is requesting authorization for a 17.8 acre expansion between non-contiguous units of the Mt. Eaton Sanitary Landfill, resulting in 16.2 acres of vertical expansion area and 1.6 acres of lateral expansion area. The hearing is scheduled as follows:

April 16, 2007 - 9:00 a.m.
Ohio EPA Offices, 6th Floor Conference Center
Lazarus Government Center
50 West Town Street
Columbus, Ohio 43215

Adjudication hearing dates are subject to change without further public notice. Interested persons should contact W. Samuel Wilson, Esq., Adjudication Hearing Officer, at (614) 644-3037 to confirm that the hearing will proceed as presently scheduled.