

DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY  
AIR QUALITY DIVISION  
ACTIVITY REPORT: Scheduled Inspection

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FACILITY: STRICKER PAINT PRODUCTS		SRN / ID: B7607
LOCATION: 25345 NOVI RD, NOVI		DISTRICT: Southeast Michigan
CITY: NOVI		COUNTY: OAKLAND
CONTACT: Danny Stricker, Plant Manager		ACTIVITY DATE: 11/15/2013
STAFF: Erik Gurshaw	COMPLIANCE STATUS: Compliance	
SUBJECT: 2014 Targeted Inspection		SOURCE CLASS: MINOR
RESOLVED COMPLAINTS:		

SRN: B7607

COMPANY: Stricker Paint Products, Inc.

COMPANY ADDRESS: 25345 Novi Road, Novi, MI 48376

PURPOSE OF INSPECTION: Targeted

CONTACT PERSON: Mr. Danny Stricker, Plant Manager (Ph: 517-518-0459)

COMPANY PHONE NUMBER: 248-349-0793

On November 15, 2013, AQD staff, Erik Gurshaw, conducted a targeted, unannounced inspection at Stricker Paint Products located at 25345 Novi Rd. in Novi, Michigan. The purpose of the inspection was to determine compliance with the Federal Clean Air Act; Article II, Part 55, Air Pollution Control of Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Act, 1994 Public Act 451; Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, Air Quality Division (MDEQ-AQD) Rules; and the conditions of Permit-To-Install (PTI) #178-05 for the production of industrial and trade paints.

Upon arriving in the vicinity of Stricker Paint Products, Inc., AQD staff could not locate 25345 Novi Road. AQD staff, therefore, parked his car along Novi Road and walked to the area where Stricker Paint Products had once been located. AQD staff was able to locate a building at the base of a new bridge constructed on Novi Road over the Middle Rouge River. The building appeared to be the building in which Stricker Paint had operated. The building was boarded up and had been abandoned.

AQD staff called Mr. Danny Stricker, former Plant Manager at Stricker Paint Products, during the morning of November 18, 2013. AQD staff asked Mr. Stricker if Stricker Paint Products was out of business or if the business had moved to another location. Mr. Stricker told AQD staff that Stricker Paints ceased operation at the Novi Road location in December 2011 because their building off Novi Road had been bypassed as a result of the construction of the new bridge. Mr. Stricker indicated that Stricker Paint Products no longer exists. The Stricker family recently opened a business in the film industry in Howell, Michigan, but they are completely out of the paint business. AQD staff asked Mr. Stricker if he wanted the AQD to void PTI #178-05. Mr. Stricker said that he has no intention of fabricating paint products in the future and that PTI #178-05 could be voided. AQD staff asked Mr. Stricker to send him an E-mail stating that PTI #178-05 could be voided. The E-mail from Mr. Stricker is attached to this report.

As a result of this inspection, it was determined that Stricker Paint Products is out of business and that the building where the company was located has been abandoned. AQD staff will ask Sue Thelen to void PTI #178-05. AQD staff will also request Renee Denison to remove SRN B7607 from the State's database.

NAME

Erik A. Gurshaw

DATE

11/18/13

SUPERVISOR

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