

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

M187727036

FACILITY: ADM Edible Beans Specialties		SRN / ID: M1877
LOCATION: 2332 MAIN ST, UBLY		DISTRICT: Saginaw Bay
CITY: UBLY		COUNTY: HURON
CONTACT: Terry Cramer, Plant Manager		ACTIVITY DATE: 09/22/2014
STAFF: Gina McCann	COMPLIANCE STATUS: Compliance	SOURCE CLASS: MINOR
SUBJECT:		
RESOLVED COMPLAINTS:		

I (glm) performed a scheduled inspection at this facility and found it to be in compliance with the air rules.

This is a minor source in Ubyly and is an edible dry-beans elevator. This plant was formerly operated as one of the Wruble Elevators in the Thumb. It occasionally hands grains and corn, but the main commodity is edible beans. The plant became ADM in 1997. I met with Terry Cramer, plant manager. The previous plant manager, John Schmidt, has retired since the last inspection.

Terry provided a tour of the grounds including the maintenance facility. The facility is approximately 1.8 million bushel capacity and it mainly handles only dry beans and stores some fertilizer on site for CPS (Crop Production Services) in Ubyly. The facility does load out to rail car, but mainly operates 3 unloading/receiving pits. While the bean harvest is going on currently, there was little activity at the time of my visit.

The facility has a couple of dryers that are exempt from permitting, R285 (o). The plant does have a bag house connected to it. Since the farmers have gone to direct cut the amount of dirt/dust coming into the plant has decreased.

The grounds and the plant in general are very well kept. The AQD has not received any complaints about this elevator.

NAME *Glenn M. ...*

DATE 9/22/2014 SUPERVISOR *C. ...*