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DIRECTOR

November 30, 2022

Scott Hosford
Wolverine Scrap Metal Company
1721 Chicago Drive SW
Grand Rapids, Michigan 49519

SRN: P0920, Kent County

Dear Scott Hosford:

SECOND VIOLATION NOTICE

On September 7, 2022, the Department of Environment, Great Lakes, and Energy (EGLE), Air Quality Division (AQD), conducted an inspection of Wolverine Scrap Metal Company, located at 1721 Chicago Drive SW, Grand Rapids, Michigan. The purpose of the inspection was to determine Wolverine Scrap Metal Company'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; the Air Pollution Control Rules; and to investigate complaints which we received on September 7, 2022 and September 15, 2022, regarding black smoke and foul odors attributed to Wolverine Scrap Metal Company's operations.

On September 28, 2022, the AQD sent Wolverine Scrap Metal Company a Violation Notice citing a violation discovered as a result of the inspection and requested your written response by October 19, 2022. A copy of that letter is enclosed for your reference. As of this date, we have not received your response.

Please be advised that failure to respond in writing and identifying actions Wolverine Scrap Metal Company will take or has taken to resolve the cited violation may result in escalated enforcement action by the AQD. Please provide the information requested in our September 28, 2022 letter by December 14, 2022, which corresponds to 14 days from the date of this letter.

Please submit the written response to EGLE, AQD, Grand Rapids District, at 350 Ottawa Avenue NW, Unit 10, Grand Rapids, Michigan 49503 and submit a copy to Jenine Camilleri, Enforcement Unit Supervisor at EGLE, AQD, P.O. Box 30260, Lansing, Michigan 48909-7760.

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Be further advised that issuance of this Violation Notice does not preclude or limit EGLE's ability to initiate any other enforcement action under state or federal law as appropriate.

If you have any questions regarding the violation or the actions necessary to bring Wolverine Scrap Metal Company into compliance, please contact me at the number listed below.

Sincerely,



Michael Cox
Environmental Quality Analyst
Air Quality Division
616-240-3607

Enclosure

cc: Mary Ann Dolehanty, EGLE
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