

John R. Kasich, Governor Mary Taylor, Lt. Governor Craig W. Butler, Director

DECEMBER 19, 2018

Andrew Cline Andy's Tire & Auto, LLC 653 Walnut Street East Liverpool, OH 43920 Re: Andy's Tire & Auto LLC Non-permit Related Exemptions Approval Scrap Tires Columbiana County ST022776

Subject: Andy's Tire & Auto, LLC, Columbiana County Exemption from Requirement of Ohio Administrative Code (OAC) Rule 3745-27-56(C)(11)(f)

Ohio EPA DEC 19118 Entered Directors Journal

Dear Mr. Cline,

On January 3, 2018, the Ohio Environmental Protection Agency (Ohio EPA), Division of Materials and Waste Management (DMWM), Central Office (CO) received a letter dated November 1, 2017 from Andy's Tire & Auto, LLC (Andy's Tire) located at 653 Walnut Street, East Liverpool, Ohio in Columbiana County. The letter requested an exemption from the requirement of OAC Rule 3745-27-56(C)(11)(f), in accordance with OAC Rule 3745-27-03(B).

OAC Rule 3745-27-56(C)(11)(f) requires that any portable equipment used for the purpose of consolidating loads of scrap tires for shipment shall not be located or operated at any one site for longer than sixty days unless one or more the following applies:

- The transporter submits a written request for additional time and receives written approval from Ohio EPA allowing a single extension for no more than sixty days;
- The transporter is also the owner or operator of a class I or class II scrap tire recovery facility and is operating at that licensed facility;
- The transporter applies for and receives a class I permit or class II registration and a solid waste facility license to operate a scrap tire recovery facility at the site.

Andy's Tire requested an exemption from the requirement of OAC Rule 3745-27-56(C)(11)(f). Since the portable equipment is used for mosquito control and load consolidation, Andy's Tire requests to permanently locate the equipment at 653 Walnut Street, East Liverpool, Ohio.

Pursuant to ORC 3734.02(G) and OAC Rule 3745-27-03(B), the director may, by order, exempt any person generating, collecting, storing, treating, disposing of, or transporting solid wastes, including scrap tires, from any requirement of ORC Chapter 3734 or any

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rules adopted thereunder if granting the exemption is unlikely to adversely affect the public health or safety or the environment.

Ohio EPA has reviewed the exemption request and has determined that granting Andy's Tire an exemption from the requirement of OAC Rule 3745-27-56(C)(11)(f) is unlikely to adversely affect public health or safety or the environment. Therefore, pursuant to ORC Section 3734.02(G) and OAC Rule 3745-27-03(B), Andy's Tire is hereby granted an exemption from the requirement of OAC Rule 3745-56(C)(11)(f) in order to permanently locate the portable equipment at 653 Walnut Street, East Liverpool, Ohio. This exemption shall remain in effect unless otherwise revoked.

You are hereby notified that this action of the Director is final and may be appealed to the Environmental Review Appeals Commission pursuant to ORC Section 3745.04. 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 made payable to "Treasurer, State of Ohio." The Commission, in its discretion, may reduce the fee if by affidavit it is demonstrated 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 30 East Broad Street, 4th Floor Columbus, Ohio 43215

If you have any questions concerning this letter, please contact Colum McKenna of Ohio EPA, NEDO at (330) 963-1268.

Sincerely,

Craig W. Butler Director, Ohio EPA

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