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Harold Swiger  
S.M. Stroller  
10995 Hamilton-Cleves Hwy  
Harrison, Ohio 45030

Dear Mr. Swiger:

Your request for waiver of the 6:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. restriction to open burning is hereby granted pursuant to ORC 1503.18C. This permission relates to prescribed burning between March 1, 2010 - May 31, 2010 at the following location(s):

- Fernald Preserve: Irwin Prairie Center Fire (3.55 Acres), Bader Corner Fire (5.01 Acres), Morgan's Corner Fire (4.1 Acres), 2010 OSDF Fire (6 Acres), Boot Fire (11.8 Acres), Trent Lochs Fire (12.33 Acres), and Knollman Savanna Fire (8.55 Acres)

The burning restriction is only effective during the months of March, April, May, October, and November.

As required by the Division of Forestry Prescribed Fire Manager Program, you must be on site the day of the burn to oversee the fire. You will also need to have a prescribed burn plan prepared that addresses site information, purpose and objectives of the burn, personnel and equipment needs, smoke management, weather factors, firing techniques, and safety considerations. This plan is required to be on-site and followed during the prescribed burning operations.

This approval does not relieve you of securing the appropriate permission from local or EPA agencies that may have jurisdiction as well, or from any liability for damages such fire may cause.

Please relate details of your planned burn to the local (if applicable) Division of Forestry office. The local fire department with jurisdiction should also be notified the day of the burn to avoid unnecessary false alarm responses.

Sincerely,

David Lytle, Ph.D., Chief  
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cc: Mike Bowden



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