

## City of Napoleon, Ohio

Department of Public Works

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Attn: Shayne Yaklin

Re: Illegal Downspout Connections

Dear Mr. Yaklin,

It has come to our attention that you currently have downspouts connected to the public storm sewer system. The <u>City of Napoleon, Ohio Engineering Department Rules & Regulations</u>, Section 4.1.6, Storm Sewer Sizing, prohibits connections of downspouts (roof drains) to storm sewers. The required modifications to the existing storm sewer are as follows:

- 1. The storm sewers protruding from the ground for downspout connections shall be removed down to the wye connection and permanently plugged.
- 2. All work shall be inspected by the City of Napoleon's Engineering Department. No work shall be backfilled prior to an inspection.
- 3. All work shall be completed within thirty (30) days from the date of this letter.

This letter shall serve as your final notice for this matter. If work has not been properly completed and inspected within thirty (30) days from the date of this letter, this matter shall be forwarded to the City of Napoleon's Law Director. Please note this violation is a misdemeanor offense. If you have any questions or require additional information, please contact our office.

Yours truly,

Chad E. Lulfs, P.E., P.S. City of Napoleon Engineer

cc: Dr. Jon A. Bisher, City Manager

Trevor Hayberger, City Law Director Rex Moll, Construction Inspector

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