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City of Napoleon, Ohio 255 Riverview Avenue P.O. Box 151 Napoleon, Ohio 43545

August 16, 1994

Attention: Marc Gerken

Dear Mr. Gerken,

In regards to your letter dated August 8 and my phone call to you on August 15 it is our feeling that adding 18" of base to achieve the correct fall for drainage toward the back of our lot would not have been good judgment both economically and design.

Over the past years we have had drainage problems related to this sewer. The city is aware of this and has mentioned to us that it is plugged with roots and needed to be cleaned or replaced. This drainage problem is not the result of our parking lot project; but aging of the city's system.

This problem is nothing new to the city and is not going to get better. Automatic Feed Company is a growing company and I would hope the city is willing to support our growth and not turn their backs on their responsibility.

Sincerely,

AUTOMATIC FEED COMPANY

Peter C. Beck Vice President

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cc: Mr. James Hershberger Mr. Jeff Marihugh

Mr. Robert Heft



City of NAPOLEON, OHIO

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May 20, 1994

Re: Automatic Feed Company

Parking Lot (Phase I)

Rupp - Rosebrock, Inc. 7-464 U.S. Rt. 24

Liberty Center, Ohio 43532 Attn: Mr. John Rosebrock

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Travis B. Sheaffer
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City Manager Terry Dunn

Finance Director Rupert W. Schweinhagen

Law Director David M. Grahn

City Engineer Marc S. Gerken Gentlemen:

We have reviewed your plan submittal concerning the parking/service drive improvements for Phase I of the above referenced project. We have reviewed and approved the lot grades and swale curb, but have comments regarding the storm sewer required for the three (3) new catch basins located in the swale curb.

There already is an existing twelve (12) inch sewer as you have indicated but this sewer is drastically undersized for its tributary area and we feel that by increasing the volume and intensity of the storm flow will cause more surcharging along the line than previously experienced.

We suggest that the three (3) catch basins be drained to the existing catch basin located along the east side of the building. Our only concern with this suggestion, is that we do not know exactly what the size and slope of the outlet sewer is to determine its adequacy.

Should you have any questions please call, otherwise we will await your decision regarding the sewer.

Respectfully,

Marc S. Gerken, P.E.

City Engineer

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Encl.

cc: Sonny Helberg



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Mayor Robert G. Heft Automatic Feed Company 476 E. Riverview Ave. Napoleon, Ohio 43545 Attn: Mr. Peter Beck

Dear Mr. Beck:

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Re: Parking Lot Improvements

City Manager Terry Dunn This correspondence is in regard to your recently completed project. As we indicated in our May 20, 1994 correspondence to Rupp-Rosebrock, Inc., your contractor, the existing sewer you are utilizing for drainage is drastically undersized for its tributary area.

Finance Director Rupert W. Schweinhagen We indicated to Mr. Rosebrock that a new out fall sewer from the point of your hook up to the creek would be the ultimate solution. He indicated that your firm did not wish to spend additional costs. Therefore, please be aware that surcharging could occur and if the improvements do pose a problem, the City of Napoleon will not accept the responsibility.

Law Director David M. Grahn Our long range plans (over the next ten (10) years) is to divert some of this tributary area to another drainage point but this has not been initialed as of yet, due to finances.

City Engineer Marc S. Gerken

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Acting City Manager

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Enclosure

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