

Florida Department of Environmental Protection

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Virginia B. Wetherell Secretary

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CERTIFIED MAIL
RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Susan K. Wilson Florida Tire Recycling, Inc. 9675 Range Line Road Port St. Lucie, Florida 34987-9110

Re: Unpermitted Dredging, Section 1, Township 37S, Range 38E

Dear Mrs. Wilson:

The Stipulation Order between the Department and Florida Tire Recycling, Inc., which was signed on January 13, 1994, directed that the tires and tire shreds shall be cleared from a 50' perimeter around the site within 30 days of entry of the Stipulation Order. This area encompasses the unpermitted ditch.

The Department understands that Florida Tire, concerned about possible additional enforcement actions for unpermitted work within waters of the State, has delayed removal of those tires and tire shreds.

In return for immediate removal of the tires and tire shreds, the Department is willing to forego any additional enforcement actions; however, the Department is insistent upon the use of appropriate turbidity screens and re-installation of the earthen plug between Florida Tire's unpermitted ditch and waters of the State adjacent to the west side of Range Line Road. This action will have no effect on the current enforcement action for the creation of the unpermitted ditch.

Should you have questions or comments, please contact Marion Hedgepeth, Program Administrator, in West Palm Beach at (407)433-2650.

Sincerely,

Mary E. S. Williams

Director of District Management

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