



Arkansas Department of Environmental Quality

Solid Waste Management Division

Complaint/Illegal Dump Investigation Worksheet


Complaint Lodged Against:

 Grant Youngblood
 12000 Youngblood Trl
 Scott, AR 72142

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County: Pulaski

AFIN: 60-00000

PDS ID: 2761

Access ID:

Complainant Name & Address:

Anonymous

Phone:

 Valid

 Invalid

 Unknown

Location Description:

I-30 to I-440 past Airport; England Hwy. exit onto Hwy. 165, go east 3 1/2 miles to Colonel Maynard Rd. (David D. Terry Lock & Dam) go 2 1/2 to 3 miles turn right Spectrum Road and go 2 – 3 city blocks, turn left on Youngblood Road, go a little way and cross Arkansas River levee, go straight and you should see burn areas.

Complaint Description of Waste:

Burns demolition debris. Mr. Youngblood burns this debris regularly. Should see burned debris in several area.

Complaint Received by: Scott McWilliams

Date Received: October 13, 2005

Section 1: Size of Waste Mass

		Pts	Points	Total
Length	>640 yd ³	5		0
Width	320 yd ³ to 640 yd ³ = 16 roll offs	5		0
Height	160 yd ³ to 320 yd ³ = 8 roll offs	4		0
Total	80 yd ³ to 160 yd ³ = 4 roll offs	3	3	15
Approx. Cyd	40 yd ³ to 80 yd ³ = 2 roll offs	2		0
	40 yd ³ or < = 1 roll off	1		0
{Section 1 Multiplier=5}		Size of Waste Mass Score		15

Section 2: Contents of Waste Mass

		Pts	Points	Total
Household Waste		5		0
Hazardous items {i.e. paint thinner, cleaning chemicals, oil cans, herbicides, medical waste, asbestos}		5	5	15
White Waste {i.e. Refrigerators and appliances that may contain Freon}		3		0
Construction/Demolition Waste		3	3	9
Approximate Number of Tires: 2		3	3	9
Abandoned Vehicles /Auto Parts: {May contain gasoline, oil, antifreeze or other automotive fluids}		2	2	6
Other Bulky Waste: {i.e. TV's, Furniture, Mattresses, etc.}		2	2	6
Yard Waste		1		0
Dead Animals		4		0
Other				0
{Section 2 Multiplier = 3}		Contents of Waste Mass Score		45

Section 3: Site Assessment		Pts	Points	Total
Air Pollution	Open Burning	5		0
Air Pollution	Evidence of Open Burning	4	4	16
Air Pollution	Strong; Foul Order Present	3		0
Water Pollution	Waste in or near standing or flowing water	5		0
Water Pollution	High probability of leachate (run-off) into ground/surface water	5	5	20
Public Health Risk Assessment	Vectors sighted	5		0
Public Health Risk Assessment	Evidence of Vectors {i.e. rats, flies, mosquitoes, snakes, scavengers}	4		0
Public Health Risk Assessment	Public Nuisance {i.e. feces and/or eggs and/or tunnels}	3		0
Site Usage Assessment	Site attended or maintained for a fee	5		0
Site Usage Assessment	History of previous complaints	5		0
Site Usage Assessment	Active, attractive nuisance; evidence of recent dumping	5	5	20
Site Usage Assessment	Dumping resumed at cleaned up or closed site	4		0
Site Usage Assessment	Old Site; no evidence of recent dumping; overgrown	2		0
{Section 3 Multiplier = 4}		SITE ASSESSMENT SCORE		56
		TOTAL for Section 1 & 2		60
Date Investigated: 10/17/05		Time Investigated: 1000 through 0115		(F9) TOTAL SCORE 116

GIS: N 34° 40' 24.2"; W 092° 08' 01.0"

Section 4: Violations

Solid Waste Management Act §8-6-205

X	(a)(2) To construct, install, alter, modify, use or operate any solid waste processing or disposal facility or disposal site without a permit from the department
X	(a)(3) To dispose of solid wastes at any disposal site or facility other than a disposal site or for which a permit has been issued by the department
	(a)(3) Individual's household disposal that creates a public or private nuisance or a hazard to health and/or violates a city ordinance or other law and/or involves the open dumping of garbage
	(a)(4) To dump, deposit, throw, or in any manner leave or abandon any solid wastes upon property owned by another person without the written permission of the owner or upon public property
X	(a)(5) To sort, collect, transport, process, or dispose of solid waste contrary to the rules, regulations or orders of the department, or create or likely to create a public nuisance or public health hazard or to cause or likely to cause water or air pollution (Ark. Water and Air Pollution Control Act §8-4-101 et seq)
	(a)(5)(b) A rebuttal presumption when one (1) or more items of solid waste bear the name to indicate that the person committed the unlawful act of disposal

Waste Tire Regulations #14 §9, Prohibitions:

	Tires disposed unless part of a permitted processing/collection facility
	Caused or permitted the open burning of tires

Air Pollution Control Code §8-4-310(a)(1)(2)(3)

X	5)(a) No person shall cause or permit the open burning of refuse, garbage, trade wastes or other waste material, or shall conduct a salvage operation by open burning
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Litter Act §8-6-406

	Dispose of litter upon any public or private property or into any body of water
	Vehicle is not covered to prevent the contents from departing from vehicle

Final Disposition

X	Investigated – Letter Sent	Investigated – No Evidence Found
	No Further Action Required	Complaint Forwarded To:

Kenneth Banks

Complaint Investigation and Illegal Dump Worksheet Attachment

Location: Youngblood Trail		County: Pulaski	
Inspector: Ken Burks		Date: 10/17/05	
Follow-Up Investigation	PDS ID: 2761	Access ID:	

Comments:
10/17/05 – I drove down Youngblood Trail until a gate blocked the way and proceeded to walk out across a field in the direction of several dirt piles. Approximately 200 yards from the end of the road, I noted two areas where dirt had been excavated. In both locations, waste was located in the excavations and was also piled next to the holes. The waste consisted of C/D, fuel tanks, oil cans, paint cans, batteries, metal siding, scrap metal, a mattress, and a couple of tires. Part of the waste showed evidence of being burned. I exited the area at 1015.

COMPLAINT UPDATE – The letter to Mr. Grant Youngblood was returned to this office marked as “No Mail Receptacle.”

FURTHER ACTION TAKEN/TO BE TAKEN:

I will send a letter to Mr. Youngblood.

Inspector Signature Ken Burks **Date** 10/17/05

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Department of Environmental Quality

October 17, 2005

Mr. Grant Youngblood
12000 Youngblood Trail
Scott, AR 72142

Dear Mr. Youngblood:

On October 17, 2005, I performed an investigation of your property located on Youngblood Trail in Pulaski County. This investigation was in response to a complaint alleging illegal dumping and burning of waste. My investigation revealed that you are in violation of the Arkansas Air Pollution Control Code A.C.A. §8-4-310, and the Arkansas Solid Waste Management Act, A.C.A. §8-6-205. Specifically, I found the following violation(s):

1. Operation of an unpermitted solid waste disposal facility, which is in violation of §8-6-205 (a) (3), and (5). The waste dumped at this site consists of construction/demolition waste, paint cans, auto parts, and other assorted waste. **"No person shall dispose of solid waste at any disposal site or facility other than a disposal site or facility for which a permit has been issued by the Department."**
2. Open burning of this waste which is in violation of the Arkansas Air Pollution Control Code, A.C.A. § 8-4-310(a)(1)(2), and (3).

By law anyone who violates any provision of the Solid Waste Management Act may be subject to criminal, administrative and civil penalties up to \$10,000. You should immediately cease the activity described and undertake measures to correct the above violation. You should notify me in writing at the address below, or call (501)682-0581 **within 20 days of the date of this letter**, with a plan of action for correcting these violations.

Please be advised, that failure to make contact with me in regard to this notification may warrant formal enforcement action. Your cooperation is appreciated.

Sincerely,



Kenneth Burks, Inspector
Solid Waste Division

cc: Enforcement Branch Files
Flora Wrather, Illegal Dump Program













