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MISSISSIPPI DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

Gary C. Rikard, Executive Director
July 18, 2016

Certified Mail No. 7010 1870 0003 4946 8923

Mr. Scott Young Young Packaging Supplies 6745 Mobile Highway Pensacola, Florida 32526

Dear Mr. Young:

Re: Young Tri Points Autoplex

Harrison County

COE No. SAM-2016-00332-RCV

WQC No. WQC2016016

Pursuant to Section 401 of the Federal Water Pollution Control Act (33 U. S. C. 1251, 1341), the Office of Pollution Control (OPC) issues this Certification, after public notice and opportunity for public hearing, for Tri Points Auto Center, an applicant for a Federal License or permit to conduct the following activity:

Young Tri Points Autoplex: This project is for the construction of the Tri Points Auto Center. A total of 0.70 wetlands of low quality pine savanna wetlands adjacent to Tchouacabouffa River will be impacted. The project is located along Highway 15 between East Gay Road and Promenade Retail Center, D'Iberville, Harrison County, Mississippi. [SAM-2016-00332-RCV, WQC2016016].

The Office of Pollution Control certifies that the above-described activity will be in compliance with the applicable provisions of Sections 301, 302, 303, 306, and 307 of the Federal Water Pollution Control Act and Section 49-17-29 of the Mississippi Code of 1972, if the applicant complies with the following conditions:

- 1. All fill material and excavation areas shall have side slopes of at least 3:1 (horizontal: vertical) and shall be immediately seeded, stabilized and maintained.
- Appropriate best management practices (BMPs) shall be properly installed and maintained to prevent the movement of sediment off-site and into adjacent drainage areas. Special care shall be taken prior to

and during construction to prevent the movement of sediment into adjacent avoided wetland areas. In the event of any BMP failure, corrective actions shall be taken immediately.

- The post-construction Storm Water Management Plan, submitted by Duplantis Design Group, PC on July 7, 2016, shall be implemented concurrent with the project construction and properly maintained to function as proposed.
- 4. Mitigation for the impact of 0.7 acres of pine savanna wetlands shall be provided by the purchase of mitigation credits from an approved mitigation bank. Written verification of the final purchase must be provided to the Office of Pollution Control prior to the commencement of any work in the wetland areas.
- 5. No sewage, oil, refuse, or other pollutants shall be discharged into the watercourse.

The Office of Pollution Control also certifies that there are no limitations under Section 302 nor standards under Sections 306 and 307 of the Federal Water Pollution Control Act which are applicable to the applicant's above-described activity.

This certification is valid for the project as proposed. Any deviations without proper modifications and/or approvals may result in a violation of the 401 Water Quality Certification. If we can be of further assistance, please contact us.

Sincerely,

Harry M. Wilson, P.E., DEE

Chief, Environmental Permits Division

HMW: LD

cc: Mr. Rudy Villarreal, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Mobile District

Mr. Greg Christodoulou, Department of Marine Resources

Mr. Paul Necaise, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service

Ms. Callista Mills, Environmental Protection Agency

Mr. Dana Sanders, D.R. Sanders and Associates

Mr. David Laizer, Duplantis Design Group, PC