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**Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection**  
Ben Brancel, Secretary

November 18, 2016

Vaughn Zuleger  
Special Projects Engineer  
GLK Foods, LLC  
400 Clark Street  
Bear Creek, WI 54922

SENT VIA E-MAIL

SUBJECT: Re-opened Case – Former Waugamie FS Coop,  
308 Clark Street, Bear Creek, Wisconsin  
DATCP Case #16504111601  
BRRTS No. 02-45-000211

Dear Mr. Zuleger:

The Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection (DATCP) has re-opened the above-referenced case (f.k.a. Waugamie FS Coop) in Bear Creek, Wisconsin. On November 16, 2016, DATCP received correspondence from Foth Infrastructure & Environment, LLC (Foth) expressing GLK's desire to redevelop the site and to address residual soil contamination underlying certain structures at the site.

This case had been previously closed on December 20, 2002 by the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources (DNR) who managed the site investigations and remedial actions for this case, which was initiated in May 1987. At the time of closure, residual nitrogen concentrations in excess of cleanup goals were documented adjacent to and underlying certain structures at the facility. We understand through correspondence and discussions with Foth that you intend to remove the afore-mentioned structures and to remediate soil, as necessary, to the extent practicable. DATCP has also received from Foth a document entitled *GLK Foods, LLC Expansion and Site Grading/Excavation Plan*, dated November 16, 2016 that presents the results of a site soil investigation and presents a conceptual plan for site remediation. A response to that document will be issued in a separate letter.

Some of the costs for the cleanup may be covered by the Agricultural Chemical Cleanup Program (ACCP), but you will need to follow the specific rules under ATCP 35, Wis. Adm. Code, to receive full reimbursement. These requirements include competitive bidding for consulting and other contracted services. As a reminder, cost estimates for each proposed scope of work must be authorized by you and approved by DATCP before work is performed.

Please send correspondence related to the case to my attention. Electronic copies of work plans and reports should also be sent to Chris Lettau, DATCP Environmental Enforcement Specialist, at [christopher.lettau@wisconsin.gov](mailto:christopher.lettau@wisconsin.gov). Please feel free to contact me via e-mail at [steve.martin@wisconsin.gov](mailto:steve.martin@wisconsin.gov) or by phone at 608-224-4520 if you have any questions regarding this case.

Sincerely,

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Hydrogeologist/ACCP Project Manager

cc: Chris Lettau, DATCP (via e-mail)  
Denise Danelski, DNR (via e-mail)  
Mark Ciardelli, Foth (via e-mail)

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