

## Beggs, Tauren R - DNR

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**From:** Schmidt, Molly E - DNR  
**Sent:** Wednesday, September 20, 2017 11:41 AM  
**To:** Witte, Edward  
**Cc:** 'Kathleen McDaniel'; Beggs, Tauren R - DNR  
**Subject:** RE: Manitowoc Newton Site [GK-Active.FID2249579]

Hi Ned,

Confirming receipt. Thank you.

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**From:** Witte, Edward [mailto:nwitte@gklaw.com]  
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**To:** Schmidt, Molly E - DNR  
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Molly,

As you know, we transmitted the Offer to Settle regarding the Newton Site to the six responsible parties (Geoff Liban/Thomas Fritzke, SAEKAPHEN GmbH, Parker Hannifin, Gould Electronics, Newell Brands, Inc. and The Manitowoc Company) on September 8, 2017. We utilized the overnight courier Federal Express for expediency and also to be able to document that the Offer to Settle communications in fact reached the intended destination.

As such, I am writing to formally notify the Department that the Offer to Settle has been served, consistent with the provisions of §292.35(3)(a). Following the process set forth in §292.35(3)(b), I am also writing to request that the Department select an umpire from the list of umpires it maintains and inform the City of Manitowoc and the responsible parties of the person selected to serve as umpire for this matter.

Please contact me if you have any questions.

Thank you,

Ned Witte

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