

January 3, 2020

Riley Neumann, Project Manager Remediation and Redevelopment Program Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources 2300 N. Martin Luther King Drive Milwaukee, WI 53212

Subject: MKE PFAS Investigation

Dear Mr. Neumann,

Per the Department of Natural Resources (DNR) October 17, 2019 letter to General Mitchell International Airport (GMIA) detailing *Reported Contamination & Responsibilities* pertaining to Per- and polyfluoroalkyl substance detected at GMIA the following is an update on consultant retainage to initiate the site investigation requirement.

On December 23, 2019 Milwaukee County issued an official Notice-to-Proceed to the environmental consultant firm AECOM. Milwaukee County has a fully executed Consulting Agreement with AECOM for this project. AECOM shall promptly begin formalizing the *Scoping and Work Plan Submittal – NR 716.07 and 716.09* for DNR approval. Once approved, GMIA shall follow with the *Field Investigation NR 716.11* activities.

Finally, in the early January timeframe, GMIA shall conduct a formal *pre-construction/investigation* update with AECOM and airport officials with the overall goal of providing an updated project schedule for DNR compliance purposes.

Sincerely,

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Greg G. Failey Environmental Manager