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Sent: Friday, February 5, 2021 2:00 PM
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Subject: Manitowoc Phase II ESA Reviews and Oxide Box Waste
Attachments: Manitowoc RPD Phase II Comment Letter.02.05.2021.pdf

Hello Adam,

I reviewed both Phase II ESA documents, dated March 2020 and January 2021, provided to EPA on December 18, 2020 and January 13, 2021 respectively. I also reviewed the figures sent to the group at large regarding the findings of oxide box waste on the City's property.

Based on my review, the determination still stands that there is no evidence to link the oxide box waste to the Wisconsin Public Service Corporation Manitowoc former Manufactured Gas Plant site.

If you have any technical questions, do not hesitate to contact me. If you have any legal questions, please contact Peter Felitti, information provided in the letter.

Kind regards,
Margaret

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Reply to attention of: SR-6J

Mr. Adam Tegan, Director
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February 5, 2021

Subject: Review of the River Point District Phase II Assessment and Figures to Determine Connection of the Oxide Box Waste to the Wisconsin Public Service Corporation Manitowoc former Manufactured Gas Plant Site

Dear Mr. Tegan,

I have reviewed the River Point District Phase II Assessments and Figures. Based on the data and the Manufactured Gas Plant (MGP) site history, I iterate that I see no evidence to link the oxide box waste to Wisconsin Public Service Corporation Manitowoc MGP site.

If you have any comments or questions, please contact me at (312) 886-6244 or at gieniewski.margaret@epa.gov. For legal questions, please contact Peter Felitti at (312) 886-5114 or at felitti.peter@epa.gov.

Best regards,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, which appears to read "Margaret T. Gieniewski".

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