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Skana Aluminum Notifies DNR of PFOA On Property After Sampling

Manitowoc, WI, November 4, 2021 – Tom Testwuide, Sr., President & CEO of Skana Aluminum Company has informed the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources (WDNR) Remediation Team and Manitowoc Mayor Justin Nickels that following completion of recent sampling at the industrial property located at 2009 Mirro Drive, Manitowoc, WI (referred to by the WDNR as Mirro Plant 2-former) that PFOA was detected. Skana is working collaboratively with the WDNR on the next steps, including to further evaluate prior owners' use of the subject property.

PFOA is not applicable to aluminum processing operations as conducted by Skana Aluminum.

PFOA is believed to be a byproduct of non-stick coatings that were applied to aluminum cookware in the south end of the Manitowoc property by various cookware companies; these operations were terminated in 2019.

The municipal water supply in Manitowoc is drawn from Lake Michigan and was not impacted by this detection.

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