



August 1, 2019

Mr. Jeffrey Danko  
EHS Manager – Environmental Remediation  
Johnson Controls International  
5757 N. Green Bay Ave  
Milwaukee, WI 53209

Subject: Johnson Controls International - PFAS Contamination in Marinette and Peshtigo  
Posting of Signs – Providing Surface Water Contamination Notifications  
2700 Industrial Parkway South, Marinette, WI  
DNR BRRTS Activity #: 02-38-580694

Dear Mr. Danko:

The Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources (Department) is in receipt of the July 15, 2019 ARCADIS submittal titled *Posting of Signs – Providing Surface Water Contamination Notifications*; the package from ARCADIS was submitted on behalf of Johnson Control, International (JCI) following a request from the Department to develop signage and public notices regarding per- and polyfluoroalkyl substances (PFAS) contamination in the City of Marinette and Town of Peshtigo area pursuant to Wis. Admin Code ch. NR 714.

The Department has evaluated the submittal and has the following comments:

- 1) The Department has reviewed and considered your proposed sign language and under the authority of Wis. Admin. Code NR 714 is requiring that signs be modified and installed with the exact language as mocked-up (Attachment 1).
- 2)
- 3) The Department concurs with the 14 sign locations identified in the July 15, 2019 proposal (Attachment 2 – locations noted in **RED**).
- 4) The Department is requiring that 4 additional signs be posted in the following locations: 1) in the Right of Way (ROW) at James Street & Florence Street and 2) at the 2 bridges on Ditch B behind the Northland Village, and 3) along Ditch D at Woodside Circle (Attachment 1 – locations noted in **GREEN**). The signs shall be installed by **August 15, 2019**.
- 5) You shall work with all ROW holders and land owners for permission to install the signs. If any of the signs are not able to be installed due to access issues please notify the Department by **August 8, 2019**, so replacement locations can be identified.
- 6) Signs shall be visible to the general public from their posted location.

- 7) The Department understands that JCI shall continue to collaborate with the Marinette School District regarding posting of signs on their high school grounds; when finalized, please provide the Department with the sign locations for the school grounds.
- 8) The proposed message in the letter to be sent to all land owners adjacent to Ditches A - E is sufficient; the map and revised list of recipients is also sufficient. The Department requests you change the reference from TYCO to JCI in the letter. These letters shall be mailed by **August 15, 2019**.
- 9) The proposed public notice to be published in the local newspapers (Marinette Eagle Herald and Peshtigo Times) regarding the signs is sufficient. These notifications shall be published by **August 15, 2019**.
- 10) The proposed letters to the City of Marinette, and the Town of Peshtigo requesting that they post a copy of the sign and map of Ditches A-E on their website are sufficient. A copy of the public notice shall also be included in the package to Marinette and Peshtigo. The Department requests that you change the reference from TYCO to JCI in the letter. These letters shall be mailed to the municipalities by **August 15, 2019**.
- 11) Post a copy of the sign, a map of Ditches A-E showing sign locations, an explanation of the sign and map, a copy of the public notice, and a copy of this letter on the JCI website for the PFAS investigation (<http://marinette.tycofpp.com/>).

If you have any questions or concerns regarding the above request, please contact the Department Project Manager, David Neste, at (920) 424-0399, or by email at [david.neste@wisconsin.gov](mailto:david.neste@wisconsin.gov). Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,



David Neste  
Hydrogeologist  
Remediation & Redevelopment Program

Attachments:

- Attachment 1
- Attachment 2

# ADVISORY

## Possible Chemical Exposure Hazard

This water contains PFAS

(per- and poly-fluoroalkyl substance)

The Wisconsin Department of Health Services recommends that to best protect you, your family, and your pets from potential PFAS exposure:

- **Avoid drinking or accidentally swallowing the water or foam.**
- **Wash your hands after wading or playing in the water or foam.**
- **Rinse pets after contact with water or foam to avoid swallowing PFAS that may be on their fur.**

Touching the water or foam is not a health concern.

This surface water is currently being investigated and cleaned up in accordance with Wisconsin laws.

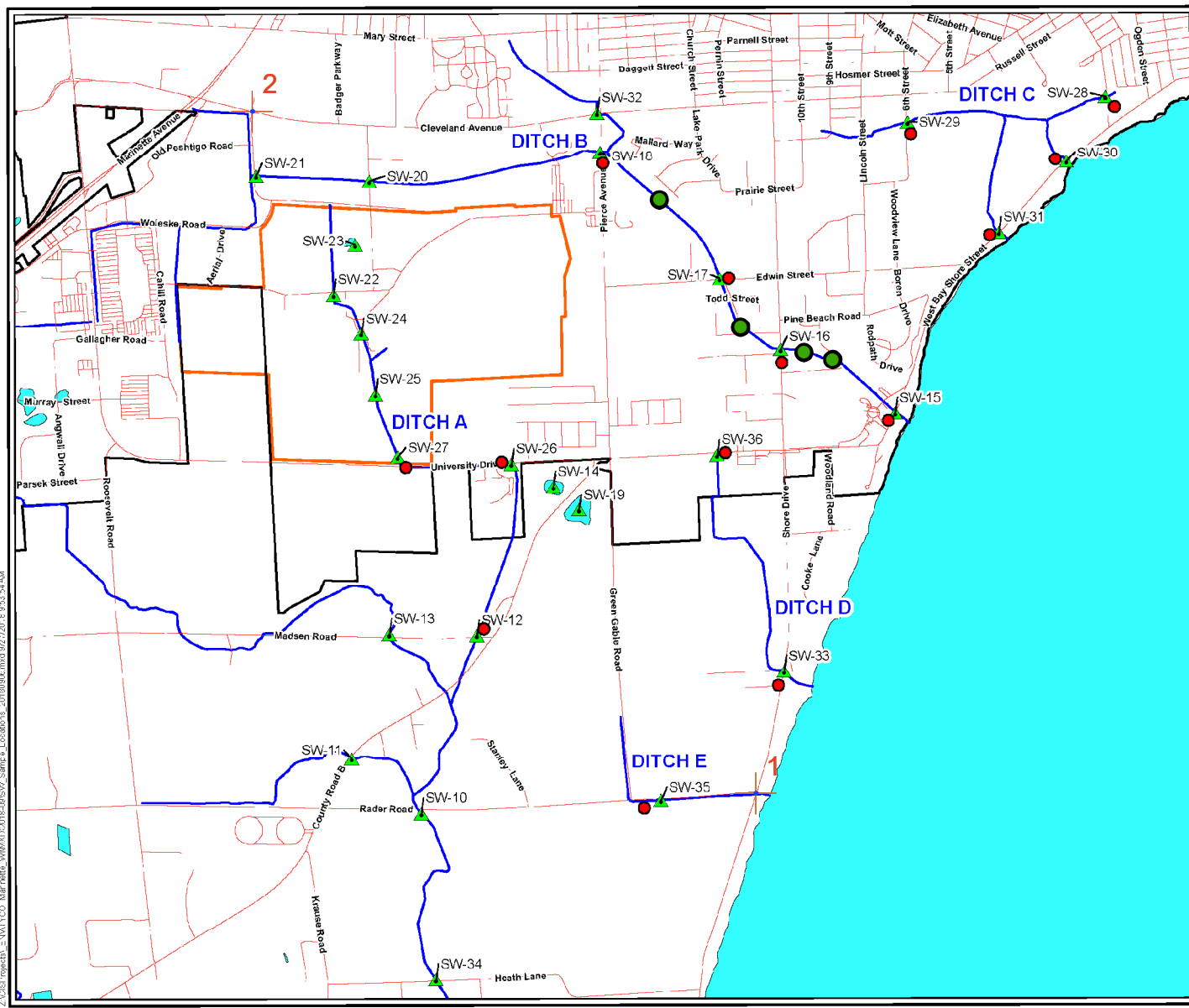
For more information:

WI Dept of Natural Resources Website:

<https://dnr.wi.gov/topic/Contaminants/Marinette.html>

WI Dept of Natural Resources and Department of Health Services: 1-888-626-3244

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- LEGEND:**
- ▲ SURFACE WATER SAMPLE
  - APPROXIMATE SITE PROPERTY BOUNDARY
  - APPROXIMATE MARINETTE CITY BOUNDARY
  - ROAD
  - DITCH/STREAM
  - WATERBODY
  - PROPOSED DITCH SIGN LOCATION
  - Ditch Signs (Additional)

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- NOTES:**
1. CITY BOUNDARY DATA SOURCE: WISCONSIN LEGISLATIVE TECHNOLOGY SERVICES BUREAU, WISCONSIN COUNTY CLERKS AND LAND INFORMATION OFFICES, ACCESSED FALL 2017.
  2. DITCH/STREAM AND WATERBODY DATA SOURCE: U.S. GEOLOGICAL SURVEY NATIONAL HYDROGRAPHY DATASET, ACCESSED FALL 2017.
  3. ROAD DATA SOURCE: OPEN STREET MAP, ACCESSED FALL 2017.



TYCO FIRE PRODUCTS LP MARINETTE, WISCONSIN
<b>PROPOSED DITCH          SIGN LOCATIONS</b>
<span style="font-size: 24px; vertical-align: middle;"> </span> <span style="font-weight: bold; font-size: 24px; vertical-align: middle;">FIGURE 1</span>

## Additional Sign Location Requirements Per WDNR



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