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Mr. John Sager
Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources
1701 N 4th Street
Superior, WI 54880

Re: Summary of 2024 Sign Inspection Activities
Koppers Inc. Facility
Superior, Wisconsin

Dear Mr. Sager:

On behalf of Beazer East, Inc. (Beazer), Field & Technical Services, LLC (FTS) is pleased to submit this letter summarizing the results of the April 2024 inspection of warning signs posted along the tributary to Crawford Creek (formerly referred to as Outfall 001 drainage ditch) and select areas within the Crawford Creek floodplain located near the Koppers Inc. (KI) facility in Superior, Wisconsin.

In the fall of 2001, at the request of the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources (WDNR), Beazer posted warning signs along the tributary to Crawford Creek and a portion of the Crawford Creek floodplain located near the KI facility in Superior, Wisconsin. In September 2005, 68 new signs reflecting updated contact information for the WDNR and Douglas County Department of Health and Human Services were posted, and all of the old signs were removed. In general, signs are posted at approximately 250-feet intervals along both sides of the tributary to Crawford Creek from the KI property boundary downstream to the confluence with the Crawford Creek floodplain, and along both sides of the Crawford Creek floodplain from Hammond Avenue downstream to the railroad crossing. Additional signs are posted at potential access areas, such as near roads, hunting stands, bridges, and railroad tracks.

Since the warning signs were initially posted in 2001, periodic inspections have been made to identify damaged, disoriented, and/or missing signs. The most recent sign inspection was conducted on April 25, 2024. During the inspection, no signs were replaced; however, several signs were reattached to either their respective t-post or tree. All remaining signs were observed to be in good condition.

The construction fencing installed around the tributary to Crawford Creek from Hammond Avenue to the railroad crossing in September 2005 was inspected on April 25, 2024. During the April 25, 2024 inspection, the construction fencing was re-secured to existing posts where necessary during the inspection.

Please feel free to contact Jane Patarcity of Beazer at (412) 208-8813 or the undersigned at 412-428-9420. If you have any questions or comments regarding the sign inspection activities summarized above.

Sincerely,

Field & Technical Services, LLC

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Attachment

Table 1

Koppers, Inc. Facility
Superior, Wisconsin

Summary of Warning Sign Inspection

Sign ID[1]	Secured To	Repair/Modification Required?	Comments
CC-1	Steel T-post	NO	
CC-2	Tree	NO	
CC-3	Tree	NO	
CC-4	Tree	NO	
CC-5	Tree	Yes	Re-attached to tree
CC-6	Tree	NO	
CC-7	Steel T-post	NO	
CC-8	Steel T-post	Yes	Sign buried; cleaned off + straightened
CC-9	Steel T-post	Yes	Re-attached to T-post
CC-10	Steel T-post	NO	
CC-11	Steel T-post	Yes	Re-attached to T-post
CC-12	Steel T-post	Yes	Re-attached to T-post
CC-13	Steel T-post	NO	
CC-14	Steel T-post	~~NO~~ Yes	Re-attached to T-post
CC-15	Steel T-post	NO	
CC-16	Tree	~~NO~~ Yes	Re-attached to tree
CC-17	Tree	NO	
CC-18	Tree	NO	
CC-19	Tree	NO	
CC-20	Tree	Yes	Re-attached to tree
CC-21	Tree	Yes	Re-attached to tree
CC-22	Tree	Yes	Re-attached to tree
CC-23	Tree	NO	
CC-24	Tree	Yes	Upside down, turned up
CC-25	Tree	NO	
CC-26	Tree	NO	
CC-27	Tree	Yes	Re-attached to tree
CC-28	Tree	Yes	Re-attached to tree
CC-29	Tree	NO	
CC-30	Steel T-post	NO	
CC-31	Steel T-post	NO	
CC-32	Steel T-post	NO	
CC-33	Steel T-post	NO	
CC-34	Steel T-post	NO	

Sign ID[1]	Secured To	Repair/Modification Required?	Comments
DD-1	Tree	NO	
DD-2	Steel T-post	NO	
DD-3	Tree	NO	
DD-4	Tree	NO	
DD-5	Tree	NO	
DD-6	Tree	NO	
DD-7	Tree	NO	
DD-8	Tree	Yes	Re-attached to tree
DD-9	Tree	NO	
DD-10	Tree	NO	
DD-11	Tree	NO	
DD-12	Tree	NO	
DD-13	Tree	NO	
DD-14	Railroad Bridge	NO	
DD-15	Tree	NO	
DD-16	Tree	NO	
DD-17	Tree	NO	
DD-18	Tree	NO	
DD-19	Tree	NO	
DD-20	Tree	NO	
DD-21	Tree	NO	
DD-22	Tree	NO	
DD-23	Tree	NO	
DD-24	Tree	NO	
DD-25	Tree	NO	
DD-26	Tree	NO	
DD-27	Steel T-post	NO	
DD-28	Tree	NO	
DD-29	Tree	NO	
DD-30	Tree	NO	
DD-31	Tree	NO	
DD-32	Tree	NO	
DD-33	Tree	NO	
DD-34	Tree	NO	

Notes:

1. See Figure 1 for sign locations

Koppers, Inc. Facility
Superior, Wisconsin

Snow Fence Inspection

Fence Segment	Repair/Modification Required?	Comments
DD1-DD2	No	
DD2-DD3	NO	
DD3-DD4	NO	
DD4-DD5	No	
DD5-DD6	No	
DD6-DD7	No	
DD7-DD22	NO	
DD22-DD23	No	
DD23-DD24	No	
DD24-DD25	No	
DD25-DD26	No	
DD26-DD27	No	
DD27-DD28	No	
DD28-DD1	No	

Notes:

*See Figure B-1 for segment locations

* Reattached fence to t-post as needed