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Secretary Preston Cole
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via email preston.cole@wisconsin.gov

Subject: Town of Peshtigo Long-Term Water Solution

Dear Secretary Cole:

Thank you for your very supportive response to my letter requesting your personal leadership in the process of providing clean water for the people of the Town of Peshtigo. Your strong and clear commitment to working with all interested parties and your expressed desire to use innovative ideas and engage pragmatic minds to help identify a path forward is both timely and most appreciated.

To support your leadership on this important project, we at Tyco, would like to propose that DNR engage a neutral, third-party professional facilitator that would work at your direction, Mr. Secretary, and that would enable the process to proceed smoothly and efficiently. The facilitator's services would be at Tyco's cost and the firm chosen by you. We share your goal and that of Governor Evers to make permanent clean drinking water a reality for affected Peshtigo residents as soon as possible and we offer these resources to spur progress that has been stalled too long.

We look forward to speaking with you at your earliest convenience so that, together, we can work with the Town of Peshtigo and the City of Marinette to align around a design for the water line and see clean water flow very soon. Your engagement will make all the difference in ensuring a timely positive result and we stand ready to support you as described above and in any other way you would find useful.

Thank you again for your commitment and dedication to this shared goal. My office will call yours immediately to set a time for us to meet as soon as your schedule will allow.

Sincerely,



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