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Mr. Keith Peacock
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Dear Mr. Peacock:

The U.S. Army Engineer District Louisville is planning investigation activities for various sites at the former Plum Brook Ordnance Works in Erie County, Ohio. The manufacturing facility had three separate TNT production lines during the World War II era.

Site Investigations (SI) are typically performed to determine if past activities resulted in chemical contamination. Soil samples are to be collected and shipped to a laboratory for chemical testing. The work will involve direct push sampling of the soils and in many cases hand auger collection of soil material. Sediment samples are planned to be collected from nearby ditches. The sampling locations are presented in the enclosed drawings.

The planned locations are assumed to be free of conflicts with existing utilities. If you have any questions, please contact the undersigned at (502) 582-5573.

Sincerely,

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