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October 5, 2016

Honorable David Borge  
Mayor  
Village of Hoosick Falls  
Municipal Building, 24 Main Street  
Hoosick Falls, NY 12090

Dear Mayor Borge:

As you are aware, the New York State Department of Health has offered blood testing for several months for people with concerns about exposures to PFOA from having lived or worked in the Hoosick and Petersburg areas. We have tested more than 3000 people from both communities. We are now announcing two dates for additional blood testing. Given the small number of additional requests for blood tests received since June, these two dates will complete this round of blood testing events conducted at the Hoosick Falls Armory and Petersburg Veterans Memorial Hall. The dates and locations are:

Sat. Oct 29: Hoosick Falls Armory: 9:00 am – 1:00pm

Sat. Nov 5: Petersburg Veterans Memorial Hall: 9:00 – 1:00pm

We will be calling people to make appointments for these dates. To request an appointment, individuals can contact us by October 21, 2016. Walk-ins will be accepted but appointments are preferable.

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Sincerely,

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