



Michigan Refining Division

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The Honorable Kenneth V. Cockrel, Jr.
President, Detroit City Council
2. Woodward Ave.
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Dear President Cockrel,

I am writing today on behalf of Marathon to provide a brief update related to the fulfillment of our commitment in Section 6, Paragraph d. of the City of Detroit Development Agreement under Public Act 328 of 1998 dated Oct. 9, 2007.

This section states that: *The company also voluntarily agrees to the following, at its own expense: To work with the City and Wayne County to utilize the local community alert notification system (also known as "Reverse 911" system), to allow for the Company to communicate information regarding the Detroit Refinery and the adjacent Facility to those residents of zip code 48217, who otherwise have pre-programmed telephone numbers, email addresses, or other methods of communication, as may be necessary.*"

I am pleased to report that Marathon has successfully partnered with the City of Detroit Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management, Wayne County Department of Homeland Security and Emergency Management, and the Wayne County Local Emergency Planning Committee to produce a Community Emergency Preparedness Guide. Each organization helped shape the content with suggestions and ideas on advance planning and communications in the event of an emergency.

As you will see, the guide includes a section that reinforces the need for residents to be pro-active and sign up for the Emergency Notification System (ENS) and provides guidance on how to do this online or by filling out an enrollment form that is included as part of the Guide. You may recall that Marathon invited Homeland Security to attend our community open houses related to the Detroit Heavy Oil Upgrade Project, and they encouraged community members to sign up for the ENS.

Copies of the enclosed guide have been distributed to the city and county Homeland Security offices, the Wayne County LEPC office, Marathon's Detroit Community Advisory Panel, local community organizations, residents who commented on our air quality permit, as well as schools and churches in the refinery community. We've received positive feedback from this effort.

We will continue to urge community residents to stay informed and be prepared in the event of an emergency by signing up for the ENS.

Sincerely,

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