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To: <u>Kreusch, Arleen K CIV USARMY CELRB (US)</u>

Subject: Re: FW: [EXTERNAL] former Lake Ontario Ordinance Works LOOW (UNCLASSIFIED)

Date: Monday, February 06, 2017 1:06:11 PM

Dear Arleen Thank you Sincerest regards Redacted-Privacy Act

On Feb 6, 2017 12:47 PM, "Kreusch, Arleen K CIV USARMY CELRB (US)" <Arleen.K.Kreusch@usace.army.mil mailto:Arleen.K.Kreusch@usace.army.mil > wrote:

Dear Mr. Redacted-Privacy Act

Thank you for the information regarding the Lake Ontario Ordnance Works Site. I have received your email below from our Public Affairs Office. We intend to add your email to the Administrative Record File for the site so that the information you provided will be permanently in the record.

Sincerely,

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Sent: Sunday, January 15, 2017 9:33 PM

To: Kornacki, Andrew A CIV USARMY CELRB (US) < Andrew. A. Kornacki@usace.army.mil

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Subject: [EXTERNAL] former Lake Ontario Ordinance Works LOOW

Dear Mr. Kornacki,

I have found a historical fact which has been ommitted from the record of subsequent use of portions of the aforementioned LOOW site.

In 1966 the Lewiston - Porter school board, leased buildings on the site, formerly the north west entrance on to Balmer road at Lutts road. In the approximate location of the Airforce plant 68. These were administrative buildings, one was two story and the other was one story.

We played between these buildings as the later served as our gymnasium and caffeteria.

I have been, researching documents and school board minutes as well as other records to show this in the "Other"Utilization of the LOOW site

The buildings having been located on a tract of land purchased by the Fort Conti Corp., from the GSA in 1966. I attended school there with 200 8-9 year old children the teachers, support staff.

in 1970 as well as 1972, the NYS board of health and the Niagara county board of health, sent correspondance to the then Owner of the Sommerset properties John Syms, (having purchased back some of the aforementioned land from Fort Conti Corp.) to cease all operations which could disturb soils etc, Additionally the Chemtrol corp. and service Corporation of America were beginning some work on this site later performed by CWM.

There needs to be an accurate historical record of this site.

I would most sincerely appreciate your including this information into the official records, which characturize the aforementoned site.

Sincerest Regards, Redacted-Privacy Act

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