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Mike Willard Plant Manager Seminole P&DC

Re: Breakrooms/Mold

Mike:

It has been brought to my attention, from an array of employees, that there is rumor of mold in the large breakroom, as well as in the area next to the BMEU work area. There is a make-shift sort of door made of thick plastic that has a danger sign on it which reads, '**Microbial Hazard**'. It is also reported that the vending machines are moved forward and away from the walls in the large breakroom, while it appears that the walls are being removed.

I have a few additional questions that I hope you can answer for me:

- 1. Who determined that the Microbial Hazard should be posted?
- 2. Are there any air samples being taken and analyzed at the current time?
- 3. What are the Microbial Hazards that were specifically found?

I would appreciate some sort of an update as to what is going on with: (i) the breakrooms and restrooms, (ii) the status of the signage, and what the **'Danger Microbial Hazard'** sign means, and (iii) is any of this a potential/possible harm to the employees. As you know, the APWU takes safety seriously, and <u>any</u> unrest of the bargaining-unit employees that we represent is of paramount importance to me.

I am asking you to look into this condition and respond back to me as rapidly as possible. If you have any questions or concerns feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

President

Cc: Robert Roman, Manager Maintenance Benjamin Love, Maintenance Craft Director Robert 'Bob' McSorley, Vice President APWU Bulletin Board Stephen Nelson, Director of Safety and Health



