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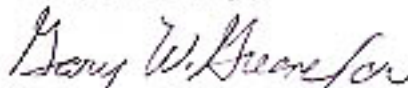
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Wendell:

I just wanted to let you know that another Kraft Mill Shutdown has been completed, and through the leadership of Lloyd Heaton, Wayne Stephens, and the rest of the McAbee crew, we were able to start up on schedule. The job was prepped very good which has a lot to do with a smooth start and completion. Several changes in the scope of work came up, but they were handled with a positive attitude and in a timely fashion.

Thanks again for a job well done.

Respectfully,



Gary W. Greene  
Maintenance Planner

cc: Lloyd Heaton