

DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY  
AIR QUALITY DIVISION  
**ACTIVITY REPORT: On-site Inspection**

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<b>FACILITY:</b> Kirtland Products LLC - Arete Industries, Inc.		<b>SRN / ID:</b> N2239
<b>LOCATION:</b> 1 ALTAIR DR., BOYNE CITY		<b>DISTRICT:</b> Cadillac
<b>CITY:</b> BOYNE CITY		<b>COUNTY:</b> CHARLEVOIX
<b>CONTACT:</b> Thomas Monley , President		<b>ACTIVITY DATE:</b> 10/05/2022
<b>STAFF:</b> Kurt Childs	<b>COMPLIANCE STATUS:</b> Compliance	<b>SOURCE CLASS:</b> SM OPT OUT
<b>SUBJECT:</b> 2022 FCE.		
<b>RESOLVED COMPLAINTS:</b>		

**N2239 Kirtland Products 2022 FCE**

On 10/05/22 I visited Kirtland Products to conduct a full compliance evaluation to determine compliance with PTI 47-11E and the Michigan Air Pollution Control Rules. I observed the Source from off-site and determined that the pellet plant processes were not operating. Upon arriving at Kirtland Products I met with Mr. Tom Monley, President. I stated the purpose of my visit and Mr. Monely informed me that the plant is permanently shut down. According to Mr. Monely it has not operated since March 2022 and the wood pellet manufacturing equipment is being auctioned off.

The automotive side of the business Arete Industries, Inc. is still operating and expanding according to Mr. Monley. Arete has done work in the past for Lexamar packaging and shipping products, as well as some product cleaning using a phosphate wash tank and a burn off oven with PTI 50-03.

I asked Mr. Monely if he would like me to process a void request for PTI 47-11E and he requested that I do that. As a result of this inspection, I determined that the processes permitted under PTI 47-11E are no longer operating and that PTI 47-11E may be voided. I will submit the void request to the AQD Permits Unit. Note that the SRN must remain attached to this site, since Arete Industries, Inc. is still operating the permitted burn-off oven.

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SUPERVISOR \_\_\_\_\_