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## Chemours Johnsonville Recognized for Environmental Excellence

New Johnsonville Site awarded Wildlife Habitat Council Conservation Certification

JOHNSONVILLE, TN, April 21, 2022 – The Chemours Company's Johnsonville Site demonstrated its commitment to environmental stewardship by achieving Wildlife Habitat Council (WHC) Conservation Certification for its Species Management and Habitat programs. The site's programs will be recognized at the 2022 WHC Conservation in Detroit, Michigan. Members of the Johnsonville WHC Team include Marty Allison, Michael Bull, Daniel Copper, and Bob Vargas.

cil certification program has given us the ability to show our commitment to supporting both the forest and wildlife found on the Johnsonville site," Environmental Health and Safety Manager Marty Allison. "These programs are something we all enjoy being a part of and we take pride in being able to provide for the local wildlife and take care of our natural resources."

lized for the program, the first ret O'Gorman. "Companies being Species Management which focuses on avian moni- Certification, like Chemours toring including bird conservation and improved stewardship of bird habitats for ospreys and bluebirds. Currently, the site is maintaining and monitoring 20 bluebird and two osprey nests weekly. This project was put in place several years ago by the original site Wildlife Habitat Committee. Some of the original bluebird boxes are still Conference on June 14 to 15 being used, and both osprey platforms are still in place and

includes forest management as In forest management, trees "The Wildlife Habitat Coun- are harvested for a variety of 2020, Chemours Johnsonville reasons that benefit the overall has contributed more than health of the forest. Chemours Johnsonville's hardwood forest had not been managed since surrounding counties, and the 1958, so several harvest methsaid Chemours Johnsonville ods were selected to address concerns with tree health, future forest succession planning, and the current and future wildlife ny

> the strict requirements of WHC Certification," Conservation

Two projects are being uti- said WHC President Margaachieving WHC Conservation Johnsonville, are environmental leaders, voluntarily managing their lands to support sustainable ecosystems and the communities that surround them."

> the site is planning to develop a *conditioning*, \$50,000 to school partnership programs in Humphreys and trail and outdoor classroom activities offers another way for the employees to give back.

The Chemours Company "The Chemours Johnsonville (NYSE: CC) is a global leader cil site is recognized as meeting in Titanium Technologies, Thermal & Specialized Solutions, Advanced Performance Materials,

and Chemical Solutions providing its customers with solutions in a wide range of industries with market-defining products, application expertise and chemistry-based innovations. We deliver customized solutions with a wide range of industrial and specialty chemicals products In addition to Chemours for markets, including coatings, Johnsonville's WHC efforts, plastics, refrigeration, and air transportation, walking trail. It will extend from semiconductor and consumer the Chemours parking lot to the *electronics*, *general industrial*, OXY-Chem substation. The and oil and gas. Our flagship trail will have learning stations products include prominent along its length with food plots brands such as Ti-Pure<sup>TM</sup>, Opallocated in the forest area. In  $teon^{TM}$ ,  $Freon^{TM}$ ,  $Teflon^{TM}$ , ViThe second project, Habitat, addition to employee use, it will  $ton^{TM}$ , Nafion  $ton^{TM}$ , and  $Krytox^{TM}$ . provide a place for Chemours to The company has approximately Joe Ted Lynch, Gregg Martin, a wildlife conservation effort. host outdoor classroom activ- 6,400 employees and 29 manities with local schools. Since ufacturing sites serving approximately 3,300 customers in approximately 120 countries. Chemours is headquartered in Wilmington, Delaware and is listed on the NYSE under the symbol CC.

> For more information, we invite you to visit chemours.com or About The Chemours Compa-follow us on Twitter @ Chemours or LinkedIn.

> > About Wildlife Habitat Coun-

Wildlife Habitat Council pro-

Chemours: Johnsonville Plant Certified Wildlife Habitat motes and certifies habitat con-tion with corporate employees, servation and management on other conservation organizacorporate lands through part- tions, government agencies,

nerships and education. WHC and community members, WHC Conservation Certification pro- programs focus on healthy ecograms take corporate sustain- systems and connected comability goals and objectives and munities. WHC-assisted wildtranslate them into tangible and life habitat and conservation measurable on-the-ground ac- education programs are found tions. Through a focus on build- in 47 states and 20 countries. ing collaboration for conserva- www.wildlifehc.org.



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Being a life-long resident of Humphreys County, I've lived through the economic good times and growth, and the terrible recession and job loss for several years, which we never really have recovered from. We continue to lose jobs-good paying jobs with benefits, and with their loss we lose our workforce population. Over 40% of our labor force drives over 100 miles daily to remain living here in Humphreys County. I intend to work very closely with the Economic Development, industrial recruiting, and tourism recruiting that we have here, and on our state level. I want to do everything we can to bring prosperity back to our county. When I look at my grandchildren, I can only hope they will be able to raise their families here. It is great that we have been able to keep business-large and small, industry, and the medical facilities we have. For that I am thankful, but that can't be enough. Just accepting that we are one county too far from Nashville will never be acceptable to me. We will be in the governor's office or representatives' offices for the long-term, asking for economic improvements for Humphreys County. I want to help with these issues.

Our county will recover from the devastation we experienced August 21, 2021. So many of our friends and neighbors continue to suffer in anguish. Our prayers continue to go out to folks that lost family, children, their homes...everything. We will get these schools rebuilt: McEwen High School, Waverly Elementary School, and Waverly Junior High School. We will get the new Humphreys County Jail built, and the destroyed bridges replaced. I want the quality of life we shared here to return. Some things will never be the same, but they will be better. I look forward to discussing these issues, along with others, with you between now and August 4th.

I humbly and sincerely ask for your vote for Humphreys County Executive. Your vote and continued support is greatly appreciated. Thank you,

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Paid for by John Whitfield, Jr. for Humphreys County Executive



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