DATE:        April 14, 2021

TO:          Governor’s Office of Regulatory Compliance
            Wisconsin Legislative Joint Committee for Review of Administrative Rules

FROM:        Randy Romanski, Secretary-designee

RE:          Creation of ATCP 57 Rule Revision Advisory Committee

Pursuant to Wis. Stat. § 227.13, I am notifying you that the Department of Agriculture, Trade, and Consumer Protection’s (Department) Division of Food and Recreational Safety (Division) has created the ATCP 57 Rule Revision Advisory Committee (Committee) related to modifications of Wis. Admin. Code ch. ATCP 57 (Inedible Animal By-Products).

The Department licenses and regulates renderers, animal food processors, grease processors, and dead animal collectors under Wis. Admin. Code ch. ATCP 57. The Division sought input from this same group of industry members, constituted as the ATCP 57 Scope Statement Advisory Committee. The members helped assist the Department determine that a revision of this rule is necessary to provide appropriate public health protection and necessary industry flexibility. The Scope Statement for Wis. Admin. Code ch. ATCP 57 was approved by the Governor’s office on February 19, 2021 and is an item to be considered for approval by the Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection Board at its May 13, 2021 meeting.

The Committee represents constituent groups, regulated by Wis. Admin. Code ch. ATCP 57, who will continue to provide the input described above. The Committee members are four individuals representing at least one licensed renderer, grease processor, dead animal collector, and animal food processor, as follows:

Derek Sokolowski  Guy Murphy
Dar Pro Solutions  United Grease
General Manager    Operations Manager

Steve Denk  Chris Stokes
Barr Enterprises Inc.  Sanimax
Owner            Quality Assurance Specialist

Thank you. Please feel free to contact Program and Policy Analyst – Adv, Caitlin Jeidy, if you have any questions or would like additional information at 608-977-0565 or caitlin.jeidy@wisconsin.gov.