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Paul

I understand from Steve Pullen that you signed on behalf of the Secretary, the GMI Public Hearing Order this AM

I would appreciate your office sending the signed original to our attorney Pate V. Domenici Jr.

and fax copies to me at the above # and to the following

Dale Gandy 505-396-6887

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I have also enclosed for your file a copy of today's Journal Article

Thanks

Ken

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2 Area Companies Get Merit Awards

Gandy Marley Inc. and Gandy Corp. received environmental merit awards earlier this month from the New Mexico Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department.

The two companies, based in Tatum, volunteered to clean up an old, abandoned disposal pit containing oily waste that was threatening wildlife, including the rare lesser prairie chicken.

The unlined pit was removed and the site south of Portales was restored.

Gandy Corp. is an oil field service company. Gandy Marley is an oil field waste disposal company.

"These companies exemplify the positive impact industry can have in protecting our environment," said department Secretary Jennifer Salisbury.

Gandy Marley has been in the news recently because of its controversial plans to develop the state's first commercial hazardous-waste landfill near Roswell.