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Attention: Mr Rhett Brown

## WATERCARE SERVICES Ltd - Waikato WTP Stage 3 Expansion Main Works RE: Site visit on Tuakau 11<sup>th</sup> September 2012

Dear Rhett,

Thank you for your time and sharing your story with the workers on the Treatment plant project. I personally appreciate the candour and clarity with which you spoke as do many of our men. Your story was clear and the message expressed strongly and with relevance to us.

Your sharing of the consequences and pain of your accident was felt by many of our staff. While hard to measure the success of your effort I have since overheard our workers discussing and thinking onsite about your story, their immediate situation and their subsequent planning to work safely. I think that can be counted as a triumph to have their thinking and planning affected by your words.

I would recommend to all employers who potentially have workers exposed to height hazards to host you and your story as it eventually comes down to the employers and the individual's personal choices as to whether they will work safely or unsafely.

Yours faithfully,

Tony Sage

**Project Manager** 

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