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Watco Releases Annual Sustainability Report

PITTSBURG, Kan. (October 5, 2023) — Watco has released its annual report focused on environmental, social and governance (ESG) initiatives.

The "Delivering a Better Tomorrow" report highlights Watco's sustainability efforts and performance, including the company's first inventory of greenhouse gas emissions. The inventory focuses on six greenhouse gasses and encompasses Watco's network of rail, terminals and ports, and logistics facilities.

"Watco is committed to doing our part to reduce emissions and also pursue other ways we can operate our business in a responsible way," said Chief Executive Officer Dan Smith. "We are prioritizing sustainability in our business practices, and part of our responsibility is to examine and measure our impact and then use our sustainability report as a way to communicate that to team members, customers, and the communities we serve."

A company-wide committee led by Laura McNichol, senior vice president and chief sustainability officer, guides continuous improvement on the ESG front.

"Watco has made inroads and will continue to do so," McNichol said. "We are continually investing resources to find and carry out new ways to offer increasingly sustainable service."

The "Delivering a Better Tomorrow" report is available <u>here</u>.

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About Watco

Watco is a leading transportation services and logistics company. Meeting customer needs on a daytoday basis has enabled Watco to continually grow throughout our 40-year history. Today, Watco provides transportation, material handling and warehousing, logistics, railcar repair and maintenance for customers throughout North America and Australia. For more information, visit www.watco.com.

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