

**Date:** February 9, 2026

**To:** Danielle Smith

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Rapid Response Administrator

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**From:** Community Wholesale Tire Dis. Inc.

**NOTICE OF MASS LAYOFF AFFECTING EMPLOYEES AT  
COMMUNITY WHOLESALE TIRE DIS. INC. FACILITIES LOCATED AT  
9124 PERSHALL ROAD, HAZELWOOD MO AND 6034 AVIATOR DRIVE, HAZELWOOD, MO**

Dear Ms. Smith:

This letter is to notify you, as the State of Missouri's Rapid Response Administrator, that Community Wholesale Tire Dis. Inc. expects to conduct a mass layoff at its facilities located at 9124 Pershall Road, Hazelwood MO and 6034 Aviator Drive, Hazelwood, MO. This correspondence and the information contained herein serve as full satisfaction of the Company's obligation under the Worker Adjustment and Retraining Notification Act, 29 U.S.C. § 2101, et seq. (the "Act"). The information required by the Act to be set out in this notice follows.

**1. The name and address of the employment site where the mass layoff or facility closure will occur:**

Community Wholesale Tire Dis. Inc.

9124 Pershall Road, Hazelwood MO

and

6034 Aviator Drive, Hazelwood, MO

**2. Whether the planned action is permanent or temporary and, if the entire facility is to be closed, a statement to that effect:**

The planned action is expected to be permanent, and the facilities are expected to be closed.

**3. The expected dates when employees will be separated:**

The anticipated first separation date is April 10, 2026, and separations are expected to occur on April 10, 2026.

**4. The job titles of positions to be affected and the number of affected employees in each job classification:**

Approximately 143 employees are expected to experience an employment loss. All positions will be affected. As permitted by 20 C.F.R § 639.7(f), information regarding the job titles of positions to be affected and the number of affected employees in each job classification is available to you upon request.

**5. Name of each union representing affected employees and the name and address of the chief elected officer of each union:**

The union identified below represents some of the affected employees.

Automotive, Petroleum, Allied Industries and Airline Employees Union,

Teamsters Local No. 618

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**6. A statement as to the existence of applicable bumping rights, if any:**

Non-union employees do not have bumping rights.

Article 3 of the collective bargaining agreement between the Company and the Automotive, Petroleum, Allied Industries and Airline Employees Union, Teamsters Local No. 618 sets forth certain bumping rights for bargaining unit employees; however, no jobs will remain to which these bumping rights apply.

**7. Name and telephone number of company official to contact for further information:**

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Sincerely,

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