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Department of Environmental Quality

October 25, 2012

Mr. Mark Yardley, Public Works Director
City of Alma
811 Fayetteville Avenue, Suite A
Alma, AR 72921

RE: NPDES Permit No. AR0021466, AFIN 17-00059
City of Alma Wastewater Treatment Facility

Dear Mr. Yardley:

A review recent Discharge Monitoring Report (DMR) submissions for the above mentioned facility reveals the following compliance issues:

The facility has reported a total of **9** violations of Part I, Section A. of NPDES Permit No. AR0021466 since June 2012. A detailed list of the violations has been included with this letter. The Department expects the City of Alma to work toward preventing violations of the Part I, Section A., Effluent Limitations and Monitoring Requirements of the Permit. The Department recommends that the City of Alma consult with a professional engineer for the purpose of developing a corrective action plan designed to eliminate violations of the effluent limitations of the Permit.

Any violation of your NPDES Permit is subject to enforcement action by this Department, pursuant to the Arkansas Water and Air Pollution Control Act. The regulations and your NPDES Permit require that you take all reasonable measures necessary to eliminate or prevent the occurrence of violations.

Should you have any questions concerning the above referenced compliance issues, please feel free to contact me at 501-682-0631, or you may e-mail me at johnsonm@adeq.state.ar.us.

Sincerely,



Miles Johnson
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