

## Kristen Graham (adpce.ad)

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**From:** Scott Marshall <s.marshall.mws@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, August 23, 2023 8:42 AM  
**To:** Kristen Graham (adpce.ad)  
**Subject:** Waste water plant issues

Ms. Graham,

We are still having trouble with our outflow pump controls at our sewer pond due to a lightning strike in the area. We have had several electricians onsite to look at it but are unable to find all the parts at this time. I am working mainly with Jake Huston of Tencarva and his team to get the repairs done, but it is moving slower than hoped for. This has led to a second week of now sampling and a point of which I am afraid our lagoons are going to start overflowing.

In order to protect the levies, I am planning to use a large pump to remove water from our final lagoon into the 15-mile Bayou. The Bayou is the original outflow recipient but was moved to the Mississippi River due to permit limit concerns. I am trying to hold off as long as possible before using this measure, but it is not looking like I will have much choice.

What I need to know is what I need to do to make this have as little impact as possible and to be in as much compliance as possible.

I will be out of the office for at least part of the day due to a doctor's appointment, but i hope to be back in by early afternoon. If you have any questions please feel free to contact me at 870-739-6655. I will answer as soon as possible.

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