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Subject: DEQ Review of Effluent and SSO Compliance status

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December 16, 2019

David Vondran, PE
General Manager Benton Utilities, City of Benton
1827 Dale Avenue
Benton, AR 72015

**RE: Permit Number: AR0036498, AFIN: 63-00063
City of Benton**

Dear Mr. Vondran:

A review of the Permit file for the above mentioned facility for the period of January 1, 2018 through December 16, 2019 reveals the following compliance issues:

The facility has reported **4 effluent violations** of Part I, Section A of Permit No. AR0036498:

DMR End Date	Disch-Desig	Parameter Desc	Reported DMR Value	Limit Value	Vio %	DMR Value Recd Date	Days Late	DMR Value Type Code	Parameter Code
01/31/2019	001-B	Solids, total suspended (MO AVG, lb/d)	1465.9	1038	41%	2/19/19		Q1	00530-1-0
01/31/2019	001-B	Solids, total suspended (MO AVG, mg/L)	17.8	15	19%	2/19/19		C2	00530-1-0
01/31/2019	001-B	Solids, total suspended (7 DA AVG, mg/L)	59.5	22.5	164%	2/19/19		C3	00530-1-0
02/28/2019	001-B	Solids, total suspended (7 DA AVG, mg/L)	27.8	22.5	24%	3/21/19		C3	00530-1-0

Non-compliance reports with corrective actions were received by the Department.

The city also reported a significant reduction in Sanitary Sewer Overflow (SSO) violations during this period as required under CAO LIS 11-069 and outlined below:


Year	# of SSO Reported	Volume of SSO (Gal)
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2018	59	15,105,650
2019	25	352,250

As a reminder, any violation of your Permit is subject to further enforcement action by this Department, pursuant to the Arkansas Water and Air Pollution Control Act. The regulations and your 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 contact the undersigned directly.

Sincerely,



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