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ARKANSAS  
Department of Environmental Quality

October 5, 2006

Bill Daniel, Manager  
City of Pocahontas WWTP  
207 Highway 67 South  
Pocahontas, AR 72455-3488

RE: AFIN: 61-00055

NPDES Permit No.: AR0034835

Dear Mr. Daniel:

On August 28, 2006, I performed an investigation of an overflowing manhole in accordance with the provisions of the federal Clean Water Act, the Arkansas Water and Air Pollution Control Act, and the regulations promulgated thereunder. This investigation revealed the following violations:

- 1. On the morning of August 28, a manhole was observed overflowing on Old County Rd. in front of Riverside Plaza. Local law enforcement officials had observed the overflow on the night of August 27. This violates Part II Section B:1.a. of the permit requiring proper operation and maintenance. This is also considered an unpermitted discharge.**
- 2. The overflow was not reported on the Tabular SSO (Sanitary Sewer Overflow) Report accompanying the August 2006 DMR. This violates Part III Item 6 of the permit.**

The above items require your immediate attention. Please submit a written response to these findings to the NPDES Enforcement Section of this Department. This response should contain documentation describing the course of action taken to correct the items noted. This corrective action should be completed as soon as possible, and the written response is due by October 27, 2006.

If I can be any assistance, please contact me at 870-935-7221 ext.-12.

Sincerely,





Brent L. Walker  
District 3 Field Inspector  
Water Division


cc: NPDES Enforcement Branch  
NPDES Permit Branch

WATER DIVISION

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Official Photograph Sheet**

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