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	mes W. Sanders / Mayor						7/31/2016		
COM	PANY:			FAYETTEVILLE	SHAL	E RELATED:	N		
	y of Blytheville NG ADDRESS:	FAYETTEVILLE SHALE RELATED: N FAYETTEVILLE SHALE VIOLATIONS: N							
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Bly	STATE, ZIP: /theville AR 72315 JE & EXT: / FAX: D-763-3602 / .:			Thomas Jones Richard DePrie	/Pretre				
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S	PERMIT	S	FLOW MEASU		N	STORMWA	TER		
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U	OPERATION & MAINTENANCE	S		CEIVING WATER			ITORING PROGRAM		
S	SAMPLING	N	SLUDGE HAN	DLING/DISPOSAL	. N	PRETREAT	MENT		
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			SUMMARY	OF FINDINGS					

The following violations were noted:

- 1. Improper operation and maintenance in violation of Part III Section B.1.A. of the permit.
 - a. The barscreen had a hole in the screen and excessively worn auger flighting thus rendering it ineffective (Photo 1).
 - b. The sludge storage lagoons were overgrown with vegetation. ***This is a repeat violation***
- 2. Improper monitoring procedures in violation of Part III Section C.3. of the permit. Deficiencies included, but are not limited to:
 - a. The facility's laboratory was not following methods approved under 40 CFR Part 136. Personnel were not familiar with the analytical methods being used.
 - b. Personnel were not familiar with laboratory equipment and/or calibration requirements.
 - c. A quality control program was not in place.
 - d. An excessive amount of food was being stored in the refrigerator and BOD incubator with wastewater samples.

GENERAL COMMENTS

Water Division Field Services Branch Manager, Jason Bolenbaugh, also participated in this inspection.

This inspection was performed in conjunction with CEI, SSO, Stormwater and Pretreatment inspections at all three of the City of Blytheville Wastewater Treatments Plants.

INSPECTOR'S SIGNATURE:

| Supervisor's Signature: | Jason Bolenbaugh | DATE: 10/23/2015

SECTION A: PERMIT VERIFICATION	
PERMIT SATISFACTORILY ADDRESSES OBSERVATIONS	⊠S □M □U □NA □NE
DETAILS:	
1. CORRECT NAME AND MAILING ADDRESS OF PERMITTEE:	⊠y □n □na □ne
2. NOTIFICATION GIVEN TO EPA/STATE OF NEW DIFFERENT OR INCREASED DISCHARGES:	□Y ØN □NA □NE
3. NUMBER AND LOCATION OF DISCHARGE POINTS AS DESCRIBED IN PERMIT:	Øy □n □na □ne
4. ALL DISCHARGES ARE PERMITTED:	⊠y □n □na □ne
SECTION B: RECORDKEEPING AND REPORTING EVALUATION	
RECORDS AND REPORTS MAINTAINED AS REQUIRED BY PERMIT	□S ☑M □U □NA □NE
DETAILS:	
1. ANALYTICAL RESULTS CONSISTENT WITH DATA REPORTED ON DMRS:	□Y □N □NA ☑NE
2. SAMPLING AND ANALYSES DATA ADEQUATE AND INCLUDE:	☑S ☐M ☐U ☐NA ☐NE
a. DATES AND TIME(S) OF SAMPLING:	⊠y □n □na □ne
b. EXACT LOCATION(S) OF SAMPLING:	☑Y □N □NA □NE
c. NAME OF INDIVIDUAL PERFORMING SAMPLING:	☑Y □N □NA □NE
d. ANALYTICAL METHODS AND TECHNIQUES:	☑Y □N □NA □NE
e. RESULTS OF CALIBRATIONS:	☑Y □N □NA □NE
f. RESULTS OF ANALYSES:	⊠y □n □na □ne
g. DATES AND TIMES OF ANALYSES:	☑Y □N □NA □NE
h. NAME OF PERSON(S) PERFORMING ANALYSES:	☑Y □N □NA □NE
3. LABORATORY EQUIPMENT CALIBRATION AND MAINTENANCE RECORDS ADEQUATE:	□S ☑M □U □NA □NE
4. PLANT RECORDS INCLUDE SCHEDULES, DATES OF EQUIPMENT MAINTENANCE AND REPAIR:	☑S ☐M ☐U ☐NA ☐NE
5. EFFLUENT LOADINGS CALCULATED USING DAILY EFFLUENT FLOW AND DAILY ANALYTICAL DATA:	□y □n □na ☑ne
SECTION C: OPERATIONS AND MAINTENANCE	
TREATMENT FACILITY PROPERLY OPERATED AND MAINTAINED	□S □M ☑U □NA □NE
DETAILS:	
1. TREATMENT UNITS PROPERLY OPERATED:	□S ☑M □U □NA □NE
2. TREATMENT UNITS PROPERLY MAINTAINED: Sludge storage lagoon was overgrown and could not be assessed.	□S □M ☑U □NA □NE
3. STANDBY POWER OR OTHER EQUIVALENT PROVIDED:	Øs □m □u □na □ne
4. ADEQUATE ALARM SYSTEM FOR POWER OR EQUIPMENT FAILURES AVAILABLE:	Øs □m □u □na □ne
 ALL NEEDED TREATMENT UNITS IN SERVICE: <u>The barscreen had a hole in the screen and excessively worn auger flighting</u> thus rendering it ineffective. 	□S □M ☑U □NA □NE
6. ADEQUATE NUMBER OF QUALIFIED OPERATORS PROVIDED:	□S ☑M □U □NA □NE
7. SPARE PARTS AND SUPPLIES INVENTORY MAINTAINED:	□S ☑M □U □NA □NE
8. OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE MANUAL AVAILABLE:	□Y □N □NA ☑NE
9. STANDARD OPERATING PROCEDURES AND SCHEDULES ESTABLISHED:	☑Y □N □NA □NE
10. PROCEDURES FOR EMERGENCY TREATMENT CONTROL ESTABLISHED:	☑Y □N □NA □NE
11. HAVE BYPASSES/OVERFLOWS OCCURRED AT THE PLANT OR IN THE COLLECTION SYSTEM IN THE LAST YEAR:	ØY □N □NA □NE
12. IF SO, HAS THE REGULATORY AGENCY BEEN NOTIFIED:	Øy □n □na □ne
13. HAS CORRECTIVE ACTION BEEN TAKEN TO PREVENT ADDITIONAL BYPASSES/OVERFLOWS:	Øy □n □na □ne
14. HAVE ANY HYDRAULIC OVERLOADS OCCURRED AT THE TREATMENT PLANT:	□Y □N □NA ☑NE
15. IF SO, DID PERMIT VIOLATIONS OCCUR AS A RESULT:	□Y □N □NA ☑NE

SECTION D: SAMPLING		
PERMITTEE SAMPLING MEETS PERMIT REQUIREMENT	rs	⊠S □M □U □NA □NE
DETAILS:		
SAMPLES TAKEN AT SITE(S) SPECIFIED IN PERMIT:		☑Y □N □NA □NE
2. LOCATIONS ADEQUATE FOR REPRESENTATIVE SAMPLES:		☑Y ☐N ☐NA ☐NE
3. FLOW PROPORTIONED SAMPLES OBTAINED WHEN REQUIRED BY PERMIT:		☑Y □N □NA □NE
4. SAMPLING AND ANALYSES COMPLETED ON PARAMETERS SPECIFIED IN PERMI	т:	☑Y □N □NA □NE
5. SAMPLING AND ANALYSES PERFORMED AT FREQUENCY SPECIFIED IN PERMIT	:	☑Y □N □NA □NE
6. SAMPLE COLLECTION PROCEDURES ADEQUATE:		☑Y □N □NA □NE
a. SAMPLES REFRIGERATED DURING COMPOSITING:		☑Y □N □NA □NE
b. PROPER PRESERVATION TECHNIQUES USED:		☑Y □N □NA □NE
c. CONTAINERS AND SAMPLE HOLDING TIMES CONFORM TO 40 CFR 136:		☑Y □N □NA □NE
7. IF MONITORING IS PERFORMED MORE OFTEN THAN REQUIRED ARE RESULTS F	REPORTED ON THE DMR:	□y □n ☑na □ne
SECTION E: FLOW MEASUREMENT		
PERMITTEE FLOW MEASUREMENT MEETS PERMIT RE	QUIREMENTS	☑S □M □U □NA □NE
DETAILS:	·	
1. PRIMARY FLOW MEASUREMENT DEVICE PROPERLY INSTALLED AND MAINTAIN	ED: TYPE OF DEVICE: Rectangular weir	☑Y □N □NA □NE
2. FLOW MEASURED AT EACH OUTFALL AS REQUIRED:		☑Y □N □NA □NE
3. SECONDARY INSTRUMENTS (TOTALIZERS, RECORDERS, ETC.) PROPERLY OPE	RATED AND MAINTAINED:	☑Y □N □NA □NE
4. CALIBRATION FREQUENCY ADEQUATE:		☑Y □N □NA □NE
5. RECORDS MAINTAINED OF CALIBRATION PROCEDURES:		☑Y □N □NA □NE
6. CALIBRATION CHECKS DONE TO ASSURE CONTINUED COMPLIANCE:		☑Y □N □NA □NE
7. FLOW ENTERING DEVICE WELL DISTRIBUTED ACROSS THE CHANNEL AND FRE	E OF TURBULENCE:	☑Y □N □NA □NE
8. FLOW MEASUREMENT EQUIPMENT ADEQUATE TO HANDLE EXPECTED RANGE	OF FLOW RATES:	☑Y □N □NA □NE
9. HEAD MEASURED AT PROPER LOCATION:		☑Y □N □NA □NE
SECTION F: LABORATORY		
PERMITTEE LABORATORY PROCEDURES MEET PERM	IT REQUIREMENTS	□S □M ☑U □NA □NE
DETAILS:	·	
1. EPA APPROVED ANALYTICAL PROCEDURES USED (40 CFR 136.3 FOR LIQUIDS,	503.8(B) FOR SLUDGES) :	□Y ØN □NA □NE
2. IF ALTERNATIVE ANALYTICAL PROCEDURES ARE USED, PROPER APPROVAL HA	AS BEEN OBTAINED:	□Y □N ☑NA □NE
3. SATISFACTORY CALIBRATION AND MAINTENANCE OF INSTRUMENTS AND EQUI	PMENT:	□y Øn □na □ne
4. QUALITY CONTROL PROCEDURES ADEQUATE:		□y Øn □na □ne
5. DUPLICATE SAMPLES ARE ANALYZED ≥10% OF THE TIME:		□Y ØN □NA □NE
6. SPIKED SAMPLES ARE ANALYZED ≥10% OF THE TIME:		□Y ØN □NA □NE
7. COMMERCIAL LABORATORY USED:		☑Y □N □NA □NE
a. LAB NAME: <u>ETC</u>		
b. LAB ADDRESS: Memphis, TN		
c. PARAMETERS PERFORMED: Metals, Nutrients, WET		
8. BIOMONITORING PROCEDURES ADEQUATE:		□Y □N □NA ☑NE
a. PROPER ORGANISMS USED:		□y □n □na Øne
b. PROPER DILUTION SERIES FOLLOWED:		□y □n □na Øne
c. PROPER TEST METHODS AND DURATION:		□y □n □na ☑ne
d. RETESTS AND/OR TRE PERFORMED AS REQUIRED:		□Y □N □NA ☑NE

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SECTION H	H: SLUDGE DIS	POSAL									
SLUDGE [DISPOSAL ME	ETS PERMIT F	REQUIREMEN	TS			JU ⊠NA □NE				
DETAILS:	Sludge stored i	in old lagoon									
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2. SLUDGE R	RECORDS MAINTAINED	O AS REQUIRED BY 4	0 CFR 503:			□s□m	I □U ØNA □NE				
3. FOR LAND	APPLIED SLUDGE, TY	YPE OF LAND APPLIE	D TO: (E.G., FOREST	, AGRICULTURAL, PU	BLIC CONTACT SITE):						
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	RESULTS WITH			S			JU ⊠NA □NE				
DETAILS:											
	OBTAINED THIS INSPI	ECTION:				ПΥ	[™] □N ☑NA □NE				
2. TYPE OF S	SAMPLE: GRAB:		METHOD: FREQUE	-NCY·							
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3. SAMPLES PRESERVED: 4. FLOW PROPORTIONED SAMPLES OBTAINED:											
5. SAMPLE C		[′] □N ☑NA □NE									
6. SAMPLE R	REPRESENTATIVE OF	VOLUME AND NATUR	E OF DISCHARGE:			□Y	[′] □N ☑NA □NE				
7. SAMPLE S	PLIT WITH PERMITTE	E:				□ү	⁷ □n ☑na □ne				
8. CHAIN-OF	-CUSTODY PROCEDU	RES EMPLOYED:				□Y	[′] □N ☑NA □NE				
9. SAMPLES	COLLECTED IN ACCO	RDANCE WITH PERM	IIT:				[™] □N ☑NA □NE				
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SECTION J	: STORM WATI	ER POLLUTION	PREVENTION	PLAN							
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	PDATED AS NEEDED:	=	-			□ч	[′] □n ☑na □ne				
2. SITE MAP	INCLUDING ALL DISCH	HARGES AND SURFA	CE WATERS:				⊓N ⊠NA □NE				
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Inspection Report: Blytheville - West WWTP, AFIN: 47-00544, Permit #: AR0022560

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February 8, 2016

James W. Sanders, Mayor City of Blytheville 124 West Walnut St. Blytheville, AR 72315

RE: City of Blytheville Wastewater Failure to Respond to Inspections West AFIN: 47-00544 Permit No.: AR0022560 & ARR00C337 South AFIN: 47-00926 Permit No.: AR0022578 & ARR00C338 North AFIN: 47-00929 Permit No.: AR0022586 & ARR000249

Dear Mayor Sanders:

On August 26 and 27, 2015, I performed Pretreatment Compliance (1), Compliance Evaluation (3), Sanitary Sewer Overflow (3) and Industrial Stormwater (3) Inspections of the above referenced facilities in accordance with the provisions of the Federal Clean Water Act, the Arkansas Water and Air Pollution Control Act, and the regulations promulgated thereunder. Copies of the inspection reports were sent to you along with a letter requesting that a written response be submitted to the Water Division Inspection Branch of this Department by **November 9, 2015**. As of the date of this letter, no response has been received.

Please submit a written response by **February 19, 2015**. Copies of the individual inspection reports with violations requiring a written response have been included for your convenience.

Thank you for your attention to this matter. Should you have any questions, feel free to contact me at 870-935-7221 ext.-12 or you may e-mail me at walker@adeq.state.ar.us.

Sincerely,

Brent L. Walker

District 3 Field Inspector

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Water Division

cc: Water Division Enforcement Branch

Water Division Permits Branch

February 18, 2016

ADEQ NPDES Enforcement Branch 5301 Northshore Drive North Little Rock, AR 72118-5317

INSPECTION RESPONSE

RE: West Compliance and SSO Inspections

AFIN: 47-00544 NPDES Permit No: AR0022560

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- 1.) There has been two (2) portable generators have been bought for backup power. These generators can supply power to stations requiring 480/277/240 voltage when needed. Alarm systems has been put into place at all major pumping stations ranging from AC power failure/High level alarm/Low level alarm.
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If you have any questions, or need more information please call me at (870) 763-4961.

Sincerely,

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Pretreatment Coordinator



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