

October 28, 2020

Greg Ahrent, Mayor City of Corning P.O. Box 538 Corning, AR 72422

RE: City of Corning Inspection

AFIN: 11-00061 Permit No.: AR0033979

Dear Mayor Ahrent:

On August 18, 2020, I performed a Compliance Assistance Inspection of the above referenced facility in accordance with the provisions of the Federal Clean Water Act, the Arkansas Water and Air Pollution Control Act, and the regulations promulgated thereunder. A copy of the inspection report is enclosed for your records; please refer to it for any comments regarding observations made during the course of the inspection.

If I can be of any assistance please contact me at frasher@adeq.state.ar.us or 870-935-7221 ext.-15.

Sincerely,

Sarah Frasher

Inspector, Office of Water Quality

5301 Northshore Drive, North Little Rock, AR, 72118

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STAP MO ENVIOLENCE

ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

OFFICE OF WATER QUALITY INSPECTION REPORT

AFIN: 11-00061 PERMIT #: AR0033979 DATE: 8/18/2020

COUNTY: **11 Clay** PDS #: **113829** MEDIA: **WN**

GPS LAT: 36.38941 LONG: -90.597149 LOCATION: Entrance

FACILITY INFORMATION	INSPECTION INFORMATION					
City of Corning LOCATION:	facility type: 1 - Municipal	INSPECTOR ID#: 112347 S -	INSPECTOR ID#: 112347 S - State			
~1.65 miles south from Hwy. 62 to Cr. 128	FACILITY EVALUATION RAT		Compliance Assistance			
Corning	V-7	ENTRY TIME: EXIT T 11:45 13:		PERMIT EFFECTIVE DATE: 4/1/2019		
RESPONSIBLE OFFICIAL				PERMIT EXPIRATION DATE:		
Greg Ahrent / Mayor				3/31/2024		
COMPANY:	FAYETTEVILLE SHALE RELATED: N					
City of Corning MAILING ADDRESS:	FAYETTEVILLE SHALE VIOLATIONS: N					
P.O. Box 538	INSPECTION PARTICIPANTS					
CITY, STATE, ZIP: Corning AR 72422 PHONE & EXT: / FAX:	RAME/ITILE/PHONE/FAX/EMAIL/ETC.: Eddie Hill/ Water Operator					
/ EMAIL:						
CONTACTED DURING INSPECTION: Yes	-					
AREA EVALUATIONS						

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(S=Satisfactory, M=Marginal, U=Unsatisfactory, N=Not Applicable/Evaluated)							
Ν	PERMIT	N	FLOW MEASUREMENT	N	STORMWATER		
N	RECORDS/REPORTS	N	LABORATORY	N	FACILITY SITE REVIEW		
Ν	OPERATION & MAINTENANCE	N	EFFLUENT/RECEIVING WATER	Ν	SELF-MONITORING PROGRAM		
N	SAMPLING	N	SLUDGE HANDLING/DISPOSAL	N	PRETREATMENT		
N	OTHER:						

SUMMARY OF FINDINGS

No violations were noted during the inspection.

GENERAL COMMENTS

This Compliance Assistance Inspection was conducted at the request of the City of Corning due to a recent sudden change of operator. I discussed the current condition of the wastewater plant and what corrective actions should be completed to achieve better compliance with the permit. Such actions should include, but not be limited to the following:

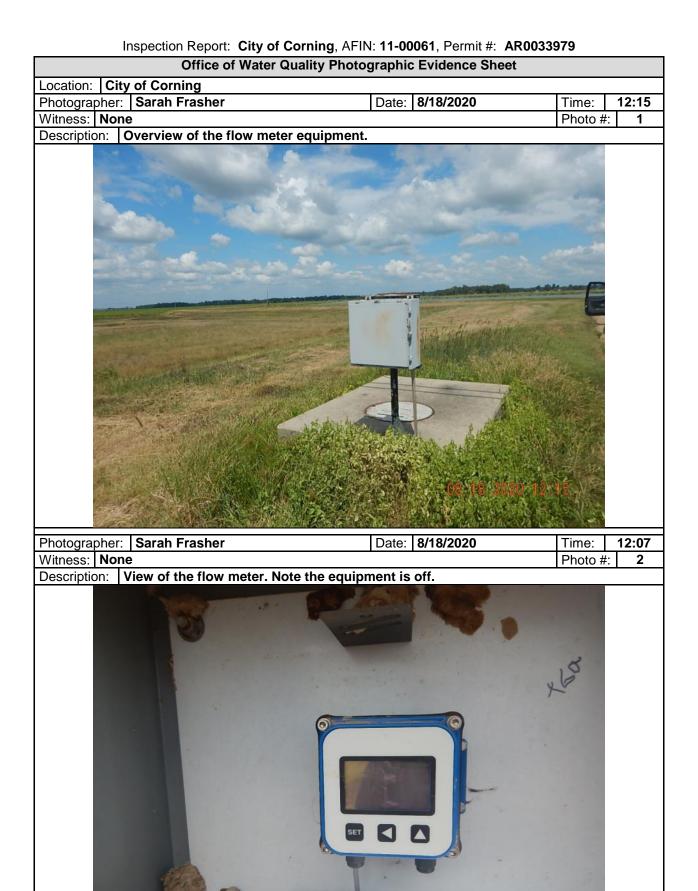
- 1. The flow meter was non-operational and should be repaired/replaced by a qualified professional (Photos 1-2).
- 2. Effluent pumps should be checked to make sure that they are operational in preparation for future discharge needs. (Photo 3).
- 3. Vegetation was observed in the rock filter that needs to be removed to prevent clogging/blinding of the filter (Photo 4).
- 4. Solid waste from the bar screen should be properly disposed of into a trash receptacle and sent to the landfill (Photos 6-7).
- 5. The erosion and vegetation of lagoon levees should be carefully monitored for any possible issues (Photo 8).

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INSPECTOR'S SIGNATURE: Sarah Frasher	DATE: 10/14/2020
SUPERVISOR'S SIGNATURE: Brest L. Walker	DATE: 10/27/2020

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Figure 1. Google Earth image of the City of Corning with labels for the different areas of treatment.

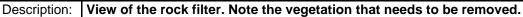


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Office of Water Quality Photographic Evidence Sheet Location: City of Corning Photographer: Sarah Frasher Date: 8/18/2020 Time: 11:59 Witness: None Photo #: 3 Description: View of the outfall structure. Note the pumps need maintenance.

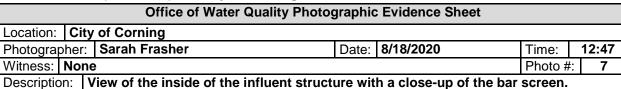


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Office of Water Quality Photographic Evidence Sheet Location: City of Corning Photographer: Sarah Frasher Date: 8/18/2020 Time: 12:24 Witness: None Photo #: Description: View of Cell 2. Photographer: Sarah Frasher Date: 8/18/2020 12:49 Time: Witness: None Photo #: Description: View of the influent structure. Note the solids on the bar screen.





Photographer: Sarah Frasher Date: 8/18/2020 Time: 13:07
Witness: None Photo #: 8

Description: View of Cell 1. Note the erosion and vegetation inside of the lagoon levee.

