

September 9, 2021

Flora J Simon, Mayor City of Dumas P.O. Box 157 Dumas, AR 71639

RE: City of Dumas Inspections (Desha Co)

AFIN: 21-00045 NPDES Permit No.: AR0033987

Dear Mayor Simon:

On May 20, 2021, I performed a Compliance Evaluation Inspection and an SSO/Collection System 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 each of the inspection reports is enclosed for your records.

Please refer to the "Summary of Findings" section of each of the inspection reports and provide a written response for each item that was noted. This response should be mailed to the attention of the Office of Water Quality Compliance Branch at the address below my signature or emailed to Water-Inspection-Report@adeq.state.ar.us. This response should contain documentation describing the course of action taken to correct each item noted. The corrective action(s) should be completed as soon as possible and the written response with all necessary documentation (i.e., photos) is due by September 23, 2021.

If I can be of any assistance please contact me at youngm@adeq.state.ar.us or (501) 837-2073.

Sincerely,

Michael Young

Inspector, Office of Water Quality

5301 Northshore Drive, North Little Rock, AR, 72118



ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

OFFICE OF WATER QUALITY INSPECTION REPORT

AFIN: **21-00045** | PERMIT #: **AR0033987** | DATE: **5/20/2021**

COUNTY: **21 Desha** PDS #: **117355** MEDIA: **WN**

GPS LAT: 33.890422 LONG: -91.465603 LOCATION: Entrance

FACILITY INFORMATION	INSPECTION INFORMATION			
City of Dumas	FACILITY TYPE: 1 - Municipal	INSPECTOR ID#: 101531 S -	State	
204 Ford Loop Road	FACILITY EVALUATION RATING 2 - Marginal	i:	Comp	on TYPE: pliance Evaluation
Dumas, AR	(-7	1:00 12:		PERMIT EFFECTIVE DATE: 2/1/2017
RESPONSIBLE OFFICIAL				PERMIT EXPIRATION DATE:
Flora J Simon / Mayor				01/31/2022
COMPANY:	FAYETTEVILLE SHALE RELATED: N			
City of Dumas MAILING ADDRESS:	FAYETTEVILLE	SHALE VIO	LATION	IS: N
P.O. Box 157		SPECTION P	ARTIC	IPANTS
CITY, STATE, ZIP: Dumas AR 71639 PHONE & EXT: / FAX: 870-382-2121 / 870-382-6846 EMAIL: Dumasarmayor@gmail.com CONTACTED DURING INSPECTION: No		ld/Water an		ewater Manager 2003@yahoo.com
AREA EVALUATIONS				

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

SUMMARY OF FINDINGS

- 1.) At the time of the inspection, solid waste materials removed from the bar screen are being placed in a wheelbarrow that is uncovered and exposed to rainfall. Stormwater runoff is not directed back to the treatment system. This is a violation of permit condition Part II. (6.).
- 2.) There is rust and other materials on the staff gauge causing it to be illegible. This is a violation of permit condition Part III. (C.) (2.). To perform flow checks on the totalizer, the staff gauge needs to be cleaned and legible.

GENERAL COMMENTS

On May 20, 2021, I performed an inspection at City of Dumas wastewater treatment system with the above participants in attendance. City of Dumas maintains permit coverage for a discharge of treated wastewater from Outfall 001 after treatment through four lagoons (in series) and then chlorination and dechlorination using sulphur dioxide. Following the inspection in 2019, City of Dumas has elected to have McClelland Engineering Consultants, Inc. collect and analyze all of the parameters listed in Part IA of the permit. This inspection consisted of a site assessment and records review.

Site Assessment:

At the headworks, influent enters from the main lift station in the city (see Photo 1) and passes through a bar screen (see Photos 2-3). Solids and materials are being collected by physically raking the bar screen and the materials are being placed in an open-top wheelbarrow (see Photo 4). There is no drain and the solids are not being managed in a container or by other methods, and there were materials scattered around on the ground around the wheelbarrow. I observed the primary lagoon to be well-managed and the aeration was occurring from air lines across the lagoon (see Photos 4-5). Levees between the primary and secondary lagoon were well-maintained and at the required width (see Photo 6). I observed that the second, third, and final treatment lagoon were all being aerated and well-maintained (see Photo 7-10). Chlorine gas is used to disinfect in the chlorine contact chamber and sulphur dioxide is used at the end of the contact chamber to dechlorinate (see Photos 11-13). I observed the primary flow device to be a 9" Parshall flume and the staff gauge was corroded and covered with material causing it to be illegible (see Photo 14). Flow is monitored daily using a totalizer that had been recently calibrated, but no flow checks are performed between calibrations (see Photo 15). Discharge is after final treatment and Outfall 001 discharges directly to a ditch and thence to the receiving stream, thence to Bayou Macon (see Photo 16).

Records Review:

In 2019, the inspection documented numerous violations from the collection and analysis of the samples in accordance with Part IA. Following the inspection, City of Dumas has contracted with McClelland Engineering Consultants, Inc. to collect, transport, and analyze all the samples. I examined the records from December 2020 and January 2021 and there were no issues with the collection of composites, grabs, or the analyses of the samples. All records examined were compliant with the permit.

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INSPECTOR'S SIGNATURE: Michael Young	DATE: 7/12/2021
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SUPERVISOR'S SIGNATURE: Kerri McCabe	DATE: 9/8/2021

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 □N ☑NA □NE
3. NUMBER AND LOCATION OF DISCHARGE POINTS AS DESCRIBED IN PERMIT:	☑Y □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:	•
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:	⊠s □m □u □na □ne
3. STANDBY POWER OR OTHER EQUIVALENT PROVIDED:	⊠s □m □u □na □ne
4. ADEQUATE ALARM SYSTEM FOR POWER OR EQUIPMENT FAILURES AVAILABLE:	⊠s □m □u □na □ne
5. ALL NEEDED TREATMENT UNITS IN SERVICE:	⊠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:	□y ☑n □na □ne
12. IF SO, HAS THE REGULATORY AGENCY BEEN NOTIFIED:	□Y □N ☑NA □NE
13. HAS CORRECTIVE ACTION BEEN TAKEN TO PREVENT ADDITIONAL BYPASSES/OVERFLOWS:	□y □n ☑na □ne
14. HAVE ANY HYDRAULIC OVERLOADS OCCURRED AT THE TREATMENT PLANT:	□y Øn □na □ne
15. IF SO, DID PERMIT VIOLATIONS OCCUR AS A RESULT:	□y □n ☑na □ne

SECTION D: SAMPLING	
PERMITTEE SAMPLING MEETS PERMIT REQUIREMENTS	☑S □M □U □NA □NE
DETAILS:	
1. SAMPLES TAKEN AT SITE(S) SPECIFIED IN PERMIT:	Øy □n □na □ne
2. LOCATIONS ADEQUATE FOR REPRESENTATIVE SAMPLES:	ØY □N □NA □NE
3. FLOW PROPORTIONED SAMPLES OBTAINED WHEN REQUIRED BY PERMIT:	Øy □n □na □ne
4. SAMPLING AND ANALYSES COMPLETED ON PARAMETERS SPECIFIED IN PERMIT:	Øy □n □na □ne
5. SAMPLING AND ANALYSES PERFORMED AT FREQUENCY SPECIFIED IN PERMIT:	Øy □n □na □ne
6. SAMPLE COLLECTION PROCEDURES ADEQUATE:	Øy □n □na □ne
a. SAMPLES REFRIGERATED DURING COMPOSITING:	Øy □n □na □ne
b. PROPER PRESERVATION TECHNIQUES USED:	Øy □n □na □ne
c. CONTAINERS AND SAMPLE HOLDING TIMES CONFORM TO 40 CFR 136:	Øy □n □na □ne
7. IF MONITORING IS PERFORMED MORE OFTEN THAN REQUIRED ARE RESULTS REPORTED ON THE DMR:	□Y □N ☑NA □NE
SECTION E: FLOW MEASUREMENT	
PERMITTEE FLOW MEASUREMENT MEETS PERMIT REQUIREMENTS	☑S □M □U □NA □NE
DETAILS:	
1. PRIMARY FLOW MEASUREMENT DEVICE PROPERLY INSTALLED AND MAINTAINED: TYPE OF DEVICE: Parshall Flum	E ØY □N □NA □NE
2. FLOW MEASURED AT EACH OUTFALL AS REQUIRED:	⊠y □n □na □ne
3. SECONDARY INSTRUMENTS (TOTALIZERS, RECORDERS, ETC.) PROPERLY OPERATED AND MAINTAINED: <u>Siemens</u> Hydroranger 200	Øy □n □na □ne
4. CALIBRATION FREQUENCY ADEQUATE:	Øy □n □na □ne
5. RECORDS MAINTAINED OF CALIBRATION PROCEDURES:	ØY □N □NA □NE
6. CALIBRATION CHECKS DONE TO ASSURE CONTINUED COMPLIANCE:	ØY □N □NA □NE
7. FLOW ENTERING DEVICE WELL DISTRIBUTED ACROSS THE CHANNEL AND FREE OF TURBULENCE:	Øy □n □na □ne
8. FLOW MEASUREMENT EQUIPMENT ADEQUATE TO HANDLE EXPECTED RANGE OF FLOW RATES:	Øy □n □na □ne
9. HEAD MEASURED AT PROPER LOCATION:	Øy □n □na □ne
SECTION F: LABORATORY	
PERMITTEE LABORATORY PROCEDURES MEET PERMIT 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 □N □NA □NE
2. IF ALTERNATIVE ANALYTICAL PROCEDURES ARE USED, PROPER APPROVAL HAS BEEN OBTAINED:	☑Y □N □NA □NE
3. SATISFACTORY CALIBRATION AND MAINTENANCE OF INSTRUMENTS AND EQUIPMENT:	☑Y □N □NA □NE
4. QUALITY CONTROL PROCEDURES ADEQUATE:	☑Y □N □NA □NE
5. DUPLICATE SAMPLES ARE ANALYZED ≥10% OF THE TIME:	☑Y □N □NA □NE
6. SPIKED SAMPLES ARE ANALYZED <u>></u> 10% OF THE TIME:	☑y □n □na □ne
7. COMMERCIAL LABORATORY USED:	☑Y □N □NA □NE
a. LAB NAME: McClelland Consulting Engineers, Inc.	
b. LAB ADDRESS: 7302 Kanis Road Little Rock, AR 72204	
c. PARAMETERS PERFORMED: AII	
8. BIOMONITORING PROCEDURES ADEQUATE:	⊠y □n □na □ne
a. PROPER ORGANISMS USED:	☑Y □N □NA □NE
b. PROPER DILUTION SERIES FOLLOWED:	☑Y □N □NA □NE
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	1: SLUDGE DIS	POSAL							
SLUDGE I	DISPOSAL ME	ETS PERMIT I	REQUIREMEN	ITS		⊠S □M □	IU □NA □NE		
DETAILS:	Sludge maintai	ined in primary	lagoon						
1. SLUDGE N	MANAGEMENT ADEQU	IATE TO MAINTAIN EF	FLUENT QUALITY:			⊠s □m	□U □NA □NE		
2. SLUDGE RECORDS MAINTAINED AS REQUIRED BY 40 CFR 503: □S □M □U ☑NA									
3. FOR LAND	3. FOR LAND APPLIED SLUDGE, TYPE OF LAND APPLIED TO: (E.G., FOREST, AGRICULTURAL, PUBLIC CONTACT SITE):								
SECTION I	: SAMPLING IN	SPECTION PRO	OCEDURES						
SAMPLE F	RESULTS WITH	HIN PERMIT R	EQUIREMEN	ΓS			U ⊠NA □NE		
DETAILS:									
1. SAMPLES	OBTAINED THIS INSP	ECTION:				□Y	□n ☑na □ne		
2. TYPE OF S	SAMPLE: GRAB:	□COMPOSITE:	METHOD: FREQUI	ENCY:					
3. SAMPLES	PRESERVED:					□Y	□N ☑NA □NE		
4. FLOW PRO	OPORTIONED SAMPLE	ES OBTAINED:				□Y	□n ☑na □ne		
5. SAMPLE C	BTAINED FROM FACI	LITY'S SAMPLING DE	VICE:			□Y	□n Øna □ne		
6. SAMPLE F	REPRESENTATIVE OF	VOLUME AND NATUR	RE OF DISCHARGE:			□Y	□n ☑na □ne		
7. SAMPLE S	PLIT WITH PERMITTE	E:				□Y	□n ☑na □ne		
8. CHAIN-OF	-CUSTODY PROCEDU	IRES EMPLOYED:				□Y	□N ☑NA □NE		
9. SAMPLES	COLLECTED IN ACCO	RDANCE WITH PERM	MIT:			□Y	□n ☑na □ne		
SECTION J	: STORM WAT	ER POLLUTION	N PREVENTION	PLAN					
STORM W	ATER MANAG	SEMENT MEET	rs permit re	QUIREMENTS	3		U ⊠NA □NE		
DETAILS:									
1. SWPPP UI	PDATED AS NEEDED:	DATE OF LAST UP	PDATE:			□Y	□n Øna □ne		
2. SITE MAP	INCLUDING ALL DISC	HARGES AND SURFA	CE WATERS:			□Y	□n Øna □ne		
3. POLLUTIO	N PREVENTION TEAM	I IDENTIFIED:				□Y	□n Øna □ne		
4. POLLUTIO	N PREVENTION TEAM	I PROPERLY TRAINE	D:			□Y	□n Øna □ne		
5. LIST OF P	OTENTIAL POLLUTAN	T SOURCES:				□Y	□N ØNA □NE		
6. LIST OF P	OTENTIAL SOURCES	AND PAST SPILLS AN	D LEAKS:			□Y	□n ☑na □ne		
7. ALL NON-S	STORM WATER DISCH	ARGES ARE AUTHOR	RIZED:			□Y	□n ☑na □ne		
8. LIST OF S	TRUCTURAL BMPS:					□Y	□n ☑na □ne		
9. LIST OF N	ON-STRUCTURAL BMI	PS:				□Y	□n Øna □ne		
10. BMPS PRO	OPERLY OPERATED A	ND MAINTAINED:				□Y	□n Øna □ne		
11. INSPECTION	ONS CONDUCTED AS	REQUIRED:				□Y	□n ☑na □ne		
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DMR Calculation Check

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To 2020

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Parameter Checked:	TSS	-				
	Loading Mass			Concen Mon		
	Mo. Avg Ibs/d	ay	Mo. Avg	- mg/l	7-day Avg	mg/l

Permit Value: 1028 90 135

If calculated value does not equal reported value, explain:

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From

Equal

Reporting Period:

Reported Value:

Calculated Value:

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20.3

20.3

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DMR Calculation Check

Reporting Period:	From	2021	<u>01</u>	01	То	2021	01	30
		Year	Month	Day		Year	Month	Day

Parameter Checked: CBOD5

	Loading Mass	Concentration Monthly		
	Mo. Avg Ibs/day	Mo. Avg mg/l	7-day Avg mg/l	
Reported Value:	17.6	4.0	4.2	
Calculated Value:	17.6	4.0	4.2	
Permit Value:	343	30	45	

If calculated value does not equal reported value, explain:

Equal



City of Dumas Photographer: Michael Young Witness: Date: 05/20/2021 Time: 11:17 Photo #: 3

Description: Open wheelbarrow with removed materials.



Photographer:Michael YoungDate:05/20/2021Time:11:18Witness:Photo #:4



Office of Water Quality Photographic Evidence Sheet Location: City of Dumas Photographer: Michael Young Date: 05/20/2021 Time: 11:19 Witness: Photo #: 5



Photographer:Michael YoungDate:05/20/2021Time:11:21Witness:Photo #:6



City of Dumas Photographer: Michael Young Date: 05/20/2021 Time: 11:21 Witness: Photographer: Photographer: Time: 7

Description: Second treatment lagoon with aeration.



Photographer:	Michael Young	Date:	05/20/2021	Time:	11:22
Witness:				Photo #:	8

Description: Third treatment lagoon with aeration.



City of Dumas Photographer: Michael Young Date: 05/20/2021 Time: 11:23 Witness: Photo #: 9

Description: Fourth treatment lagoon with aeration.

Photographer:	Michael Young	Date:	05/20/2021	Time:	11:23
Witness:				Photo #:	10

Description: View between third and final treatment lagoon.



City of Dumas Photographer: Michael Young Date: 05/20/2021 Time: 11:30 Witness: Photo #: 11

Description: Water entering chlorine contact chamber and dosing area.



Photographer:	Michael Young	Date:	05/20/2021	Time:	11:30
Witness:				Photo #:	12

Description: Chlorine contact chamber viewed from where water enters chamber.



City of Dumas Photographer: Michael Young Date: 05/20/2021 Time: 11:29 Witness: Photo #: 13

Description: Dechlorination area prior to sampling and flow readings.



Photographer: Michael Young	Date: 05/20/2021	Time:	11:32
Witness:		Photo #	: 14

Description: Parshall flume used as primary flow device. Note that measuring device is corroded and hard to read at normal flow level.



Office of Water Quality Photographic Evidence Sheet Location: City of Dumas Photographer: Michael Young Date: 05/20/2021 Time: 11:33 Witness: Photo #: 15



Photographer:Michael YoungDate:05/20/2021Time:11:35Witness:Photo #:16



Figure 1. Overview of the City of Dumas wastewater treatment system with treatment components identified.





CERTIFIED MAIL: 9489 0090 00027 6226 5081 11

November 3, 2021

Flora J Simon, Mayor City of Dumas P.O. Box 157 Dumas, AR 71639

Re: City of Dumas - Failure to Respond to Inspection (Desha Co)

AFIN: 21-00045 NPDES Permit No.: AR0033987

Dear Mayor Simon:

A letter dated September 9, 2021 was sent to you by the Office of Water Quality - Compliance Branch of the Arkansas Department of Energy and Environment, Division of Environmental Quality. The letter outlined the findings of my May 20, 2021 inspection of the above-referenced facility. The letter requested that a written response be submitted to the Office of Water Quality - Compliance Branch by September 23, 2021. To date, no response has been received.

Please submit a written response by <u>November 17, 2021</u>. A copy of the inspection report has been included for your convenience. Thank you for your attention to this matter. Should you have any questions, please contact me at (501) 837-2073 or email me at <u>youngm@adeq.state.ar.us</u>.

Sincerely,

Michael Young

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Inspector, Office of Water Quality

5301 Northshore Drive, North Little Rock, AR, 72118

 From:
 Young, Michael

 To:
 McConnell, Melissa

 Cc:
 McCabe, Kerri

Subject: WID 117355 City of Dumas

Date: Wednesday, November 17, 2021 9:32:21 AM

Attachments: <u>image001.png</u>

Melissa,

Would you please attach this e-mail to WID 117355. This facility claims that they had misplaced the report letter and did not know there was a response required. I have extended their response due date to December 1, 2021.

Kerri, this is what Chid with McClelland was calling about.

Thank you,

Michael Young | District 8 Inspector

Division of Environmental Quality | Office of Water Quality Compliance Branch

5301 Northshore Drive | North Little Rock, AR 72118 t: 870.862.5941 | c: 501-837-2073 | e: voungm@adeq.state.ar.us



From: Chid Kwelle
To: Young, Michael

Cc: <u>Water-Inspection-Report; "dumasarmayor@gmail.com"</u>; <u>Adam Triche</u>

Subject: CEI Response- City of Dumas- NPDES Permit NO. AR0033987; AFIN: 21-00045

Date: Wednesday, November 17, 2021 2:35:42 PM
Attachments: CEI Response - City of Dumas 11-17-2021.pdf

Dear Mr. Young,

Please see the attached CEI response for the city of Dumas.

Sincerely,

Chid Kwelle, Ph.D., P.E.



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November 16, 2021

Michael Young Inspector, Office of Water Quality 5301 Northshore Drive, North Little Rock, AR, 72118

Re:

City of Dumas - Failure to Respond to Inspection (Desha Co)

AFIN: 21-00045

NPDES Permit No.: AR0033987

Mr. Young,

I am writing this to respond to the letter dated November 9, 2021 concerning the inspection report dated May 20, 2021.

The staff gauge was replaced after the 1-10-19 inspection was performed, the operator has cleaned the staff gauge to make legible for readings. The city is currently changing means of operation when dealing with the solid waste materials off of the bar screen to prevent stormwater runoff. Currently a tarp is being utilized to cover the wheel barrow. McClelland Consulting Engineers, Inc. Is designing a new headworks with a cover for the future. This is a part current project connecting the Mitchellville system to Dumas. If you have any question please do not hesitate to call or email me at atriche@mce.us.com

Sincerely,

McClelland Consulting Engineers, Inc.

Adam Triche, PE

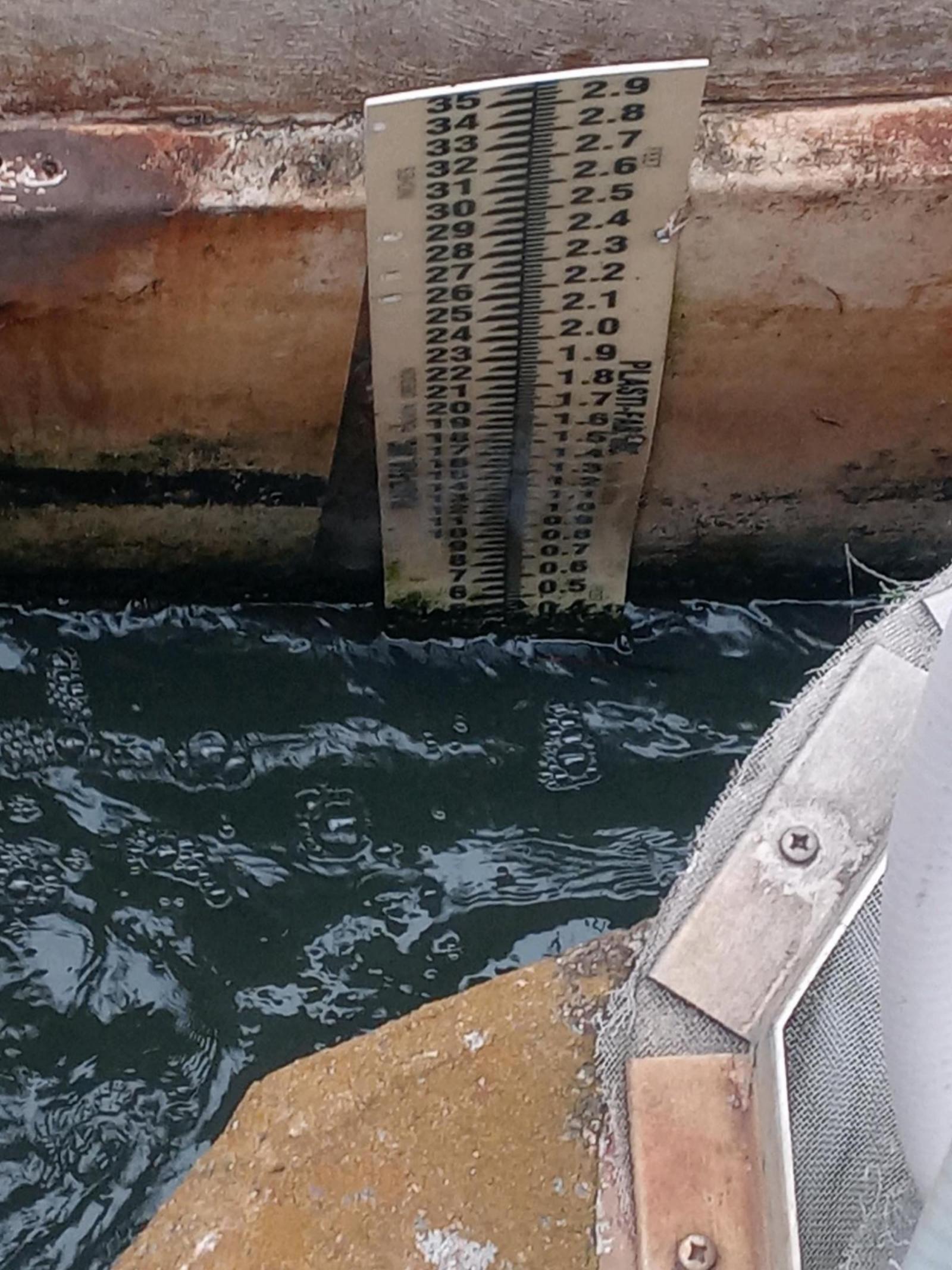
Project Manager

City of Dumas

Flora Simon

Mayor







December 7, 2021

Flora J Simon, Mayor City of Dumas P.O. Box 157 Dumas, AR 71639

RE: City of Dumas - Response to Inspection (Desha Co)

AFIN: 21-00045 NPDES Permit No.: AR0033987

Dear Mayor Simon:

I have reviewed the response pertaining to my May 202, 2021 inspection of the City of Dumas wastewater treatment system. The information provided sufficiently addresses the items referenced in my inspection report. At this time, the Department has no further comment concerning this particular inspection. Acceptance of this response by the Department does not preclude any future enforcement action deemed necessary at this site or any other site.

If I require further information concerning this matter, I will contact you. Thank you for your attention to this matter. Should you have any questions, please contact me at (501) 837-2073 or you may email me at youngm@adeq.state.ar.us.

Sincerely.

Michael Young

Inspector, Office of Water Quality

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