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ENERGY & ENVIRONMENT

April 4, 2022

Barbara Lewallen, Mayor
City of Trumann
704 Hwy. 463 North
Trumann, AR 72472

Sent via email to: mayor@cityoftrumann.org & scottypw@gmail.com

RE: City of Trumann WWTP Inspection
AFIN: 56-00047 Permit No.: AR0035602

Dear Mayor Lewallen:

On February 10, 2022, 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 the inspection report for any comments.




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

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Sarah Frasher'.

Sarah Frasher
Inspector, Office of Water Quality
5301 Northshore Drive, North Little Rock, AR, 72118

Cc: Richard Healy, DEQ – Office of Water Quality, Enforcement Branch Manager

 ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY	OFFICE OF WATER QUALITY				
	INSPECTION REPORT				
	AFIN: 56-00047	PERMIT #: AR0035602	DATE: 2/10/2022		
	COUNTY: 56 Poinsett	PDS #: 119548	MEDIA: WN		
GPS LAT: 35.682519 LONG: -90.464141 LOCATION: Entrance					
FACILITY INFORMATION		INSPECTION INFORMATION			
NAME: City of Trumann WWTP LOCATION: ~0.36 miles East of N. Speedway St. CITY: Trumann		FACILITY TYPE: 1 - Municipal INSPECTOR ID#: 112347 S - State FACILITY EVALUATION RATING: N INSPECTION TYPE: Compliance Assistance DATE(S): 2/10/2022 ENTRY TIME: 10:22 EXIT TIME: 10:53 PERMIT EFFECTIVE DATE: 2/1/2021 PERMIT EXPIRATION DATE: 1/31/2026			
RESPONSIBLE OFFICIAL		INSPECTION PARTICIPANTS			
NAME: / TITLE Barbara Lewallen / Mayor COMPANY: City of Trumann MAILING ADDRESS: 704 Hwy. 463 North CITY, STATE, ZIP: Trumann AR 72472 PHONE & EXT: / FAX: / EMAIL: mayor@cityoftrumann.org CONTACTED DURING INSPECTION: No		FAYETTEVILLE SHALE RELATED: N FAYETTEVILLE SHALE VIOLATIONS: N NAME/TITLE/PHONE/FAX/EMAIL/ETC.: Scotty Jones/ Public Works Director/ scottypw@gmail.com Lorre Holt/ Laboratory Technician Hannah Jones/ Laboratory Assistant			
AREA EVALUATIONS (S=Satisfactory, M=Marginal, U=Unsatisfactory, N=Not Applicable/Evaluated)					
N	PERMIT	N	FLOW MEASUREMENT	N	STORMWATER
N	RECORDS/REPORTS	N	LABORATORY	N	FACILITY SITE REVIEW
N	OPERATION & MAINTENANCE	N	EFFLUENT/RECEIVING WATER	N	SELF-MONITORING PROGRAM
N	SAMPLING	N	SLUDGE HANDLING/DISPOSAL	N	PRETREATMENT
N	OTHER:				
SUMMARY OF FINDINGS					
This compliance assistance inspection was conducted in response to possible tornado damage that occurred on December 10, 2021.					
GENERAL COMMENTS					
Met with Scotty Jones, Public Works Director, on February 10, 2022, to discuss the recent damage that occurred at the wastewater plant. A tornado caused significant damage to the area on December 10, 2021. An air pocket approximately 20-25 feet in length and 3 feet in height was observed in Cell 3 on December 28, 2021. This air pocket also caused the aeration line as well as the curtain to rise up about 3 feet in the air. Mr. Jones decided to cut the liner to release the air and prevent any further damage. The plant has been meeting effluent limits so far, but the staff at the wastewater plant are concerned it may become a problem during the warmer months. The city has hired a contractor and plans to evaluate the tear and repair any damage as soon as funds are available. The wastewater treatment plant staff plans to remove any storm debris still inside the lagoon levee as weather conditions allow.					
INSPECTOR'S SIGNATURE:  Sarah Frasher				DATE: 2/17/2022	
SUPERVISOR'S SIGNATURE:  Brent L. Walker				DATE: 3/23/2022	

Office of Water Quality Photographic Evidence Sheet

Location:	City of Trumann WWTP		
Photographer:	Sarah Frasher	Date:	2/10/2022
Time:	10:26	Witness:	None
Photo #:	1	Description:	View of the southwest corner of Cell 3.



Photographer:	Sarah Frasher	Date:	2/10/2022
Time:	10:48	Witness:	None
Photo #:	2	Description:	View of the aeration for Cell 3, the location of where aeration was raised out of the water due to an air pocket in the liner.




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Location:	City of Trumann WWTP		
Photographer:	Sarah Frasher	Date:	2/10/2022
Time:	10:48	Witness:	None
Photo #:	3	Description:	View of northwest area of Cell 3, the location of the area approximately where the air pocket in the liner occurred.



Photographer:	Sarah Frasher	Date:	2/10/2022
Time:	10:33	Witness:	None
Photo #:	4	Description:	View of the lagoon levee of Cell 3. Note the debris and other trash left from the December 2021 tornado.



Office of Water Quality Photographic Evidence Sheet			
Location:	City of Trumann WWTP		
Photographer:	Sarah Frasher	Date:	2/10/2022
Witness:	None	Time:	10:51
		Photo #:	5
Description:	View of the curtain. Note this curtain came 3 feet out of the water during the air pocket in the liner.		
			
Photographer:	Sarah Frasher	Date:	2/10/2022
Witness:	None	Time:	10:51
		Photo #:	6
Description:	View of the curtain dividing Cell 3.		
