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Leslie Allen-Daniel  
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Re: CAO-LIS-08-083-003  
AFIN 32-00044

Dear Ms. Allen-Daniel:

The City of Batesville offers the following report of Sewer System Rehabilitation in accordance with the above-captioned Consent Administrative Order.

### **Sewer System Rehabilitation**

The City of Batesville completed a Sewer System Evaluation Survey (SSES) in August 2011 which identified parts of the sewer system that required, or may require, sewer line repair or replacement. The attached table titled "Batesville Water Utility Sewer System Rehabilitation Summary" sets out the various tasks that the city has chosen to perform with city forces or sewer service customers. The top portion of the table sets out the planned sewer system rehabilitation of manholes and the middle portion sets out the planned mainline rehabilitation. Most of that work set out in the top 2 sections of the table has been completed. There are 2569 items of work that were identified in the SSES for manhole and mainline rehabilitation in the sewer system. The City of Batesville has completed 1748 of these work items, or 68% of the repair items. There are 821 work items remaining to be completed. As shown in the Sewer Rehab Manhole Rehabilitation section of the table, the City has completed 151 additional repairs since our June, 2021 report to ADEQ. The City has also completed an additional 171 repairs to the mainline as shown in the Sewer Rehab Mainline Rehabilitation section of the attached table. The recently completed repairs represent an additional 12.5% of the required work items for manhole and mainline sewer rehabilitation. Certain items of work are planned to be integrated into future sewer system repairs and/or major expansions. The City and Olsson continue to work on construction documents for the sewer system rehabilitation to be performed

by contract. Sewer system rehabilitation by contract are items indicated in the top and middle portion of the attached table noted by contractor.

The bottom section of the table sets out the sewer service line rehabilitation identified in the SSES. There are 288 items of work that were identified in the SSES. The city has completed 277 of those items, or 96% of the items set out for repair. There are 11 items remaining that require repairs that are on private property that are the responsibility of the property owner.

The City of Batesville continues to place a high priority on the remediation of sewer system defects and the goal of mitigating sewer system overflows. As indicated in our June, 2021 report to ADEQ the city received bids on February 9, 2021 for the Contract Section 3 – Primary Interceptor Sewer Improvements project and the contractor was issued the Notice to Proceed on March 9, 2021 with a substantial completion date of February 7, 2023 and final completion date of March 9, 2023. At the time of our December, 2021 partial pay estimate/ANRC disbursement request, the percent of the Contract Section 3 construction contract completed was 38.1 percent with 37.4 percent of contract time used based on the substantial completion date above. Currently, the contract times for substantial and final completion remain unchanged.

We trust that this report meets with the Department's requirements. If you have questions, please feel free to call Damon Johnson, our City Engineer at 870-698-2400, extension 208.

Sincerely,



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Mayor

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