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June 13, 2022

Mr. Thomas Harrington, Enforcement Analyst
Office of Water Quality, Enforcement Branch
Arkansas Department of Environmental Quality
5301 Northshore Drive
North Little Rock, Arkansas 72118-5317

RE: Progress Report #4
NPDES Permit #AR0021717, AFIN 45-00021
City of Flippin, Arkansas

Dear Mr. Harrington:

In accordance with the approved CAP for the above-referenced permit number, this letter is being submitted at "Progress Report #4" on behalf of the City of Flippin. The proposed wastewater treatment facility improvements project is well on its way. The Contractor started working on the site the week of March 14, 2022. At the current time, the concrete for the two (2) new clarifiers has been poured, and the contractor is working on pouring the proposed oxidation ditch. All of the concrete work associated with these structures is expected to be completed next week. The current completion date for the proposed improvements is currently set for October 6, 2022. However, we have been informed by the contractor that some of the clarifier equipment might not be delivered until some time in October.

As for the collection system rehabilitation, CEA has completed the design and submitted the plans and specifications to the ADH for review. We just received their 2nd comment letter at the end of this past week and be submitting our response by at least the middle of this week.

During the months of February through April 2022, the facility reported eight (8) effluent violations. These violations were associated with ammonia and BOD.

Please review this information and advise me of any additional information that might be necessary in order to accept it as "Progress Report #4".

Thank you for your cooperation in this matter. If you should have any questions or comments, do not hesitate to call me at (870) 273-4185, or email me at jselig@ce-associates.biz. Please send any written correspondence concerning this matter to our office in Jonesboro at the listed address.

Sincerely,

CIVIL ENGINEERING ASSOCIATES



John S. Selig, P.E.
Member

copy: Mr. J.L. Wagoner, Director of Public Works, City of Flippin