

DIVISION OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

February 22, 2024

Honorable, Jeffery A. Brown Mayor City of DeQueen P.O. Box 730 DeQueen, AR 71832

email: mayor@cityofdequeen.com

Permit Number: AR0021733, AFIN: 67-00023 Effluent Violation Warning Letter

Dear Mayor Brown:

A review of the Permit file for the above-mentioned facility for the period of October 1, 2023 through December 31, 2023 reveals the following compliance issues:

The facility has reported <u>4 effluent violations</u> of Part I Section A of Permit No. AR0021733

AR0021733 - DEQUEEN, CITY OF (67-00023)

| DMR End Date | Disch- Desig | Parameter Desc | Reported DMR Value | Limit Value | Vio % | Vio Code |
|-----------------|-----------------|--|-----------------------|----------------|-------|-------------|
| 10/31/2023 | 001-A | Copper, total recoverable (MO AVG, lb/d) | 0.626 | .407 | 54% | Numeric Vio |
| 10/31/2023 | 001-A | Copper, total recoverable (MO AVG, ug/L) | 22.4 | 12.2 | 84% | Numeric Vio |
| 11/30/2023 | 001-A | Copper, total recoverable (MO AVG, lb/d) | 0.47 | .407 | 15% | Numeric Vio |
| 11/30/2023 | 001-A | Copper, total recoverable (MO AVG, ug/L) | 13.6 | 12.2 | 11% | Numeric Vio |

The Division received non-compliance reports with corrective actions. Any violation of your Permit is subject to further enforcement action by this Division, pursuant to the Arkansas Water and Air Pollution Control Act. The regulations and your Permit require that you take all reasonable measures necessary to eliminate or prevent the occurrence of violations.

Should you have any questions concerning the above referenced compliance issues, please feel free to contact me at 501-682-0736, or you may e-mail me at <u>thomas.harrington@adeq.state.ar.us</u>

Sincerely,

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