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Blake Marotti, General Manager City of Wynne 121 East Merriman Avenue Wynne, AR 72396

RE: NPDES Permit Number AR0021903, AFIN 19-00071 PROPOSED CONSENT ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER

Dear Mr. Marotti:

Attached is a proposed Consent Administrative Order (CAO) for violations of the Arkansas Water and Air Pollution Control Act, Ark. Code Ann. § 8-4-201 *et seq.*, at a site located 545 Bowden Road, Wynne, Cross County, Arkansas. The Division of Environmental Quality (DEQ) has determined that this CAO is necessary to ensure compliance with the Act.

The enclosed CAO enumerates the violations in the "Findings of Fact" section, and outlines the steps required to achieve compliance in the "Order and Agreement" section of the CAO. If you choose to accept the terms of the CAO, please sign, date, and <u>return the signed copy</u> to <u>ee.water.enforcement.report@arkansas.gov</u> or address below within **twenty** (20) calendar days of receipt of this letter. A City Council Resolution that approves the CAO and authorizes the Mayor and Clerk/Treasurer to sign the CAO Amendment on behalf of the City of Wynne must also be submitted. Subsequently, the Chief Administrator of DEQ will sign the CAO and you will be provided a copy. The CAO will become effective upon the director's signature.

Failure to contact the DEQ's Office of Water Quality, Enforcement Branch in response to this CAO within **twenty (20) calendar days** of receipt of this letter will constitute rejection of the settlement offer and unilateral enforcement action may proceed through a Notice of Violation (NOV). Should you wish to discuss this matter further, or schedule a meeting, you may contact me at (501) 682-0647, or you may e-mail me at kayla.grabinski@arkansas.gov.

Sincerely,

Kayla Grabinski

Enforcement Analyst, OWQ, DEQ

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