



July 6, 2022

EMAIL

Ms. Sarah Pierce, Enforcement Analyst
Arkansas Division of Environmental Quality
5301 Northshore Drive
North Little Rock, AR 72118-5317

Re: NPDES Permit Number: AR0036692, AFIN: 57-00423, CAO LIS 18-046-001
Progress Report No. 6 – SSES Collection System Rehabilitation Plan
HWEI Project No. 2020024

Dear Ms. Pierce:

The City of Mena, AR has agreed to provide semi-annual progress reports detailing the progress made towards implementing the collection system rehabilitation plan identified in their Sanitary Sewer Evaluation Survey (SSES), per the Order and Agreement Section of CAO LIS 18-046-001. We offer the following update as Progress Report No. 6:

- Since the last report, the City of Mena initiated additional GIS mapping of their collection system. This effort is ongoing with the end goal of developing a complete sewer system map.
- An ordinance has been developed with enforcement measures that will require homeowners to maintain private sewer service lines in good working condition. This ordinance will be presented at the upcoming July 12th City Council meeting.
- During this reporting period, the City recorded a total of nine (9) Sanitary Sewer Overflows within their collection system.

Respectfully Submitted,

HAWKINS-WEIR ENGINEERS, INC.


Adrian J. Kaufman, P.E.

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cc: Mr. James Looney, Mena Water Utilities General Manager
Mr. Mike Spencer, Mena Water Utilities Wastewater Superintendent