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Subject:	Ash Grove Cement Company 24 Hour Initial Report
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Dear Sir or Madam,

Ash Grove Cement Company (Ash Grove) holds a NPDES permit (permit number: AR0042846). This permit regulates three outfalls, which flow into French Creek. On August 31st, at 8:22 A.M., a Fecal Coliform sample was taken from Outfall 003. This sample was in response to a previously high Fecal Coliform result from the monthly sampling event performed on August 17th, and it was to determine if the August 17th result was from contamination of the sample. Results of this sample were reviewed for the first time by Ash Grove personnel at 6:45 A.M. on September 2nd, and the results indicated that the Fecal Coliform had a results greater than 2,420 colonies/100 mL. This is above the daily maximum limit of 2,000 colonies/100 mL found in Part I of Ash Grove's NPDES permit. Ash Grove is investigating our septic system and will detail the results in our 5 day report from the 1st event.

Please let me know if you have any questions. A written report will follow within the next 5 days.

Respectfully,

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