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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 September 24th, at 8:12 A.M., a Fecal Coliform sample was taken from Outfall 003. Results of this sample were reviewed for the first time by Ash Grove personnel at 1:30 P.M. on September 29th, 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 its systems, and Ash Grove will reach out to consultants knowledgeable in wastewater treatment to develop an action plan to reduce fecal coliform levels as soon as possible.

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

Respectfully,

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