

June 21, 2019

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Honorable Kevin A. Smith Mayor, City of Helena P.O. Box 248 Helena, AR 72342

RE: NPDES Permit No.: AR0043389, AFIN: 54-00083

Response to Corrective Action Plan

Dear Mayor Smith:

On April 10, 2019, the City of Helena submitted a Corrective Action Plan to the Department to address the effluent violations. The CAP was to have a milestone schedule and final date of compliance. On August 27, 2018, a CAP was received by the Department. The CAP stated the facility should be back in compliance with the effluent limits of the Permit by November 15, 2019.

The Department has reviewed the CAP and has no comment at this time. Please continue with the corrective actions as outlined in the CAP submitted on April 10, 2019.

Any violation of your NPDES Permit is subject to enforcement action that may include the assessment of a civil penalty by this Department. The regulations and your NPDES Permit require that you take all reasonable measures necessary to eliminate or prevent the occurrences of violations.

Thank you for your attention to this matter. Should you have any questions, or would like to schedule a meeting, feel free to contact me at 501-682-0630 or you may e-mail me at allendaniel@adeq.state.ar.us.

Sincerely,

Leslie Allen-Daniel Enforcement Analyst

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