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## State of Arkansas WATER/WASTEWATER ADVISORY COMMITTEE

June 7, 2012

The Honorable Larry Smith Mayor, City of Cave Springs Post Office Box 36 Cave Springs, Arkansas 72718

Re: Cave Springs' Pre-application for Recommendation on Wastewater Funding

Dear Mayor Smith:

On June 6<sup>th</sup>, the Water/Wastewater Advisory Committee reviewed your pre-application for funding of the extension to 54 customers in the downtown area. The Committee recommends funding be provided by the following agencies:

- 1. Arkansas Natural Resources Commission (ANRC)
- 2. U.S. Dept. of Agriculture, Rural Development (RD)

The actual funding amounts cannot be determined at this time. The use of ANRC or RD loan funds would be up to you.

Funding consideration from the Community and Development Block Grant (CDBG) Program is contingent upon the need and eligibility criteria being met and the required documentation being submitted to ANRC prior to April 1, 2013. For information pertaining to these requirements, contact Mr. Scott Savoy, ACEDP Program Manager, at Scott.Savoy@arkansas.gov or (501) 682-3949.

While this is not a comment, the National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) Branch of Arkansas Department of Environmental Quality's (ADEQ) Water Division has asked that we mention the need for a Storm Water Permit for construction. Any construction projects disturbing one (1) or more acres must have a storm water construction permit issued by ADEQ. The development of a Storm Water Pollution Prevention Plan is included as a permit requirement and must include the implementation of Best Management Practices (BMPs) during construction. These BMPs must include erosion and sediment control measures to prevent sediment from leaving the construction site.

We appreciate your cooperation with this pre-application process. If you have any questions or comments, please give me a call at the above telephone number.

Sincerely,

David Fenter, Chairman Water/Wastewater Advisory Committee

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cc: Daniel Barnes, P.E.; McClelland Consulting Engineers (F) WWAC Committee Members