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Cheryl Slavant [cslavant@bellsouth.net]

Sent:

Monday, March 08, 2010 9:09 AM

To:

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Subject:

Fw: Ouachita River dumping

Attachments:

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To: Tressa Harvey; PoliceJury CharlesJackson; griffinsprops@comcast.net; rmarsh@pulpmillservices.com;

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I urge everyone else to respond to this public hearing request.

My responses are attached.

Thanks, Terry Taylor

From: Tressa Harvey [mailto:tressaharvey@hotmail.com]

Sent: Friday, March 05, 2010 11:20 AM

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MEMORANDUM

FROM:

LEO MILLER

DATE:

MARCH 4, 2010

RE:

Discharge Permit No. AR0001210, AFIN 02-00013: HEARING REQUEST

- 1. I attended a meeting March 2nd hosted by Ouachita Riverkeeper, which is a part of an international water keeper alliance. The purpose of the meeting was to explain the request by Ouachita Riverkeeper, a copy of which is attached, to the renewal of waste water permit by Georgia-Pacific, LLC in Crossett, Arkansas. The attachment further explains the hearing request. Let me synopsize what is occurring with respect to this request.
- Arkansas Department of Environmental Quality has, without doubt, undertaken to do everything it can to prevent a timely hearing request filing. Thanks to Ouachita Riverkeeper, this request was timely done. A public hearing is not automatically granted. In other words, just because you ask for a hearing, it does not mean that you will get a hearing. However, the granting of a hearing will be more likely if there is a wide based public demand for it. What is needed, then, are comments on the hearing request from as many people and organizations as possible.
- 3. Discharge permits are granted for five year terms. Said another way, this is the only opportunity to secure relief from the Georgia Pacific dumping for five years. The current permit of Georgia-Pacific is an outrage. It allows Georgia-Pacific to dump incredibly toxic chemicals into the river, including

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dioxins. In addition, they can dump chemicals into the river which change the water color and have a noxious odor. In general, persons who dump chemicals into water cannot dump chemicals which have this effect when they cross state lines. Interestingly, the Ouachita River is a blue green color until just north of Crossett when the chemicals from Georgia-Pacific are dumped into it. South of Crossett, we have what we have. Said another way, the dark brown water that we are accustomed to is a result of but one thing: Georgia-Pacific chemical dumping. Should Georgia-Pacific be required to do what others are required to do, that is, follow the law, our water coming through Monroe would, within approximately one year, be a clear blue green color. All I can say is: wow!!!

4. I am lastly attaching a comment sheet which sets forth a statement that I present to everyone and ask for your approval. I ask that each person print and sign the comment sheet and immediately fax, scan and email, or mail to the address shown. Also, if you have any questions or further comments, or if there is something specific that you would like to add, I have attached a blank comment sheet. The comments must be in by March 17, so time is very short. If you have any questions, comments, or otherwise, please let me know. Thank you very much for your prompt consideration.

Best regards, Leo Miller Please send to:

Ouachita Riverkeeper, Fax 318-387-7916, 2610 Washington Street, Monroe, LA 71201

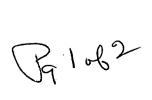
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Name: Keleny Taylor Phone Number: 318-348-6669
Address: 2274 Bayon D'Arbonne Drive, West Monroe, LA 71291



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100 Mill Supply Road Crossett, AR 71635

My property includes 700 linear feet of Bayou D'Arbonne water frontage, beginning 800 feet from the confluence (mouth) of Bayou D'Arbonne, at Ouachita River Mile 173.0, about 6 miles north of Monroe, LA.

Depending on the relative stages of the Bayou and the River, it is not uncommon for the Bayou to flow upstream, resulting in Ouachita River water at my frontage where my home is located.

My wife and I are both sensitive to any water-based environmental impacts due to human intervention in the content of the River and Bayou waters.

The Georgia-Pacific LLC Discharge Permit Number AR0001210, AFN 02-00013 is of particular interest to us, since we are a downstream entity that may be detrimentally affected.

We wish to have all information possible, at our disposal, in order to make an assessment of these discharges, including chemical, soluble and insoluble minerals content, volume, and frequency of the discharge events.

My wife and I deem it necessary for the Arkansas Department of Environmental Quality to hold a public hearing regarding the GP discharge permit, with printed information distribution, even though we are not citizens of the State of Arkansas.

Sincerely,		· j
K. Terry Taylor		
Senior Electrical Engineer		
Ford, Bacon, and Davis, LLC		
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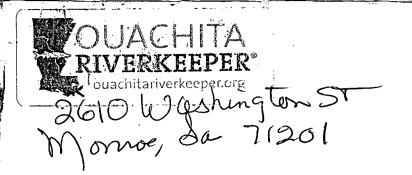
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