



# ARKANSAS

## ENERGY & ENVIRONMENT

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Brad N. Fureigh, PE  
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via email: [bfureigh@promusengineering.com](mailto:bfureigh@promusengineering.com)

Re: Request for Clarification – Stormwater Basin Coverage  
Notification of Stormwater Basin Upgrades to 10 State Standards  
Waste Management of Arkansas: Eco-Vista, LLC  
ARG160045, AFIN 72-00144

Dear Mr. Fureigh:

The Office of Water Quality (OWQ) is in receipt of your letters dated December 22, 2022 and January 6, 2023 regarding the stormwater basins at the above referenced facility. Responses to the requests and notification are as follows:

### **Upgrades of Existing Stormwater Basins**

OWQ has no objections to the facility upgrading the existing stormwater basins that discharge through Outfall 001A and 003A to comply with the requirements of Part 1.4.5 of the ARG160000 general permit. OWQ considers the proposed upgrades to be a minor revision to the existing treatment system under Rule 6.202(C); therefore no permit action is required for the proposed upgrades. After completion of the pond upgrades, a documentation report certifying that the upgraded basins meet the requirements specified in Part 1.4.5 of the ARG160000 general permit must be submitted to OWQ.

OWQ has no objections to the addition of emergency spillways as part of the stormwater basin upgrades. However, discharges from the proposed emergency spillways are not permitted. Any discharge from the emergency spillways is subject to the provisions of Part 4.4 of the ARG160000 general permit (Bypass of Treatment Facilities).

### **Construction of New Stormwater Basin**

Construction of the proposed northwest stormwater basin will require a construction application in accordance with Rule 6.202(A) and Part 1.4.5 of the ARG160000 general permit. The following items are required:

- DEQ Form 1
- Plans and specifications signed and stamped by a Professional Engineer registered in the state of Arkansas showing that the proposed basin will meet the requirements established in Part 1.4.5 of the ARG160000 general permit.
- \$500 fee for review of the construction plans.

If there are any questions concerning this submittal, please contact Zachary Carroll at [zachary.carroll@adeq.state.ar.us](mailto:zachary.carroll@adeq.state.ar.us) or 501-682-0625.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Bryan Leamons". The signature is written in a cursive style with a long horizontal flourish at the end.

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