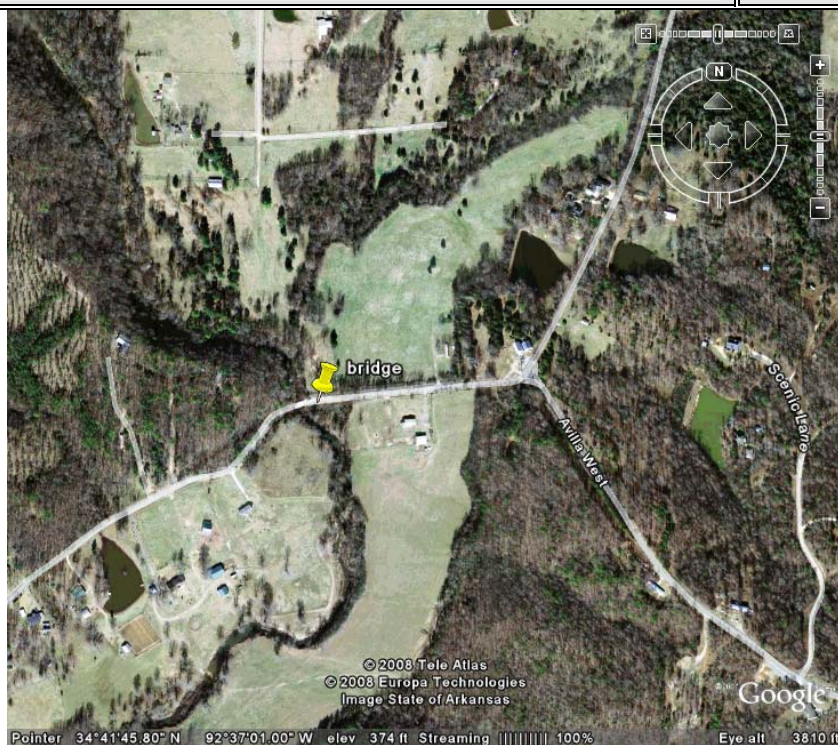




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COMPLAINT INFORMATION			
GPS LOCATION: N34° 41' 44.5 W 92° 37' 8.1"		AFIN: 88-00847 PERMIT#: ARR040003	
DATE RECEIVED: 2-26-8		COUNTY: Saline	
COMPLAINANT NAME: April Burchfield		COMPLAINT AGAINST: Saline County (Lanny Fite County Judge)	
ADDRESS: 15221 Laura Way, Alexander		ADDRESS: 200 N. Main St., Benton, AR, STE. 117	
PHONE: 223-1254		PHONE: 501-860-6738	
TRACKING & REFERRAL INFORMATION			
PERSON RECEIVING REPORT: EMF	DATE: 2-26-8	SUPERVISOR REFERRAL:	DATE:
INSPECTOR REFERRAL:	DATE:	MEDIA SUPERVISOR REFERRAL:	DATE:
PHONE REFERRAL CONTACT:	DATE:	RECEIVING INSPECTOR:	DATE:
DETAILED DESCRIPTION			
Complainant states that the county is building a bridge across Caney Creek, with no erosion or sediment controls.			
LOCATION			
½ mile north of the Lake Norrell Road, and West Lawson Road intersection, north of Avilla.			
PREVIOUS COMPLAINT: <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO DATES:			
DISCHARGE TO STREAM: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO NAME OF STREAM: Caney Creek			
COMPLAINT RECEIVED BY: <input type="checkbox"/> PHONE <input type="checkbox"/> LETTER <input type="checkbox"/> VERBAL <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> INTERNET <input type="checkbox"/> EMAIL			

COMPLAINT INVESTIGATION	
COMPLAINT#:	AFIN: 88-00847 PERMIT#: ARR040003
INSPECTOR: EMF	DATE: 2-29-8
ACTION TAKEN:	PHOTOS TAKEN: <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO
<p>At 1350 on 2-29-8, Bob singleton and I arrived at the construction project in question. We founf the following: An area on the downstream side of the bridge has been denuded. Both banks of Caney Creek was stripped of all vegetation right to the water line. We saw no erosion or sediment controls at the site. A trackhoe was present on site but there was no activity at this time. There was no one at the site. We took several photos of the area, and upon return to the office contacted Lee McCampbell, the MS4 contact for Saline County, via e-mail and asked him to contact me regarding the construction project. A USCOE 404 Permit was required, and a STAA from ADEQ was also required. Mr. Singleton was not aware of the county having obtained either document. I spoke with Mr. Mark Westbrook, Saline County about acquiring the 404 Permit. He stated that the # is NW14 MVK-2007-990. They did not acquire the STAA from ADEQ as is required. I contacted Ms. Birchfield on 3-3-8, and informed her of my findings.</p> <p>The complaint was valid.</p>	
FURTHER ACTION:	
A NC letter was sent to Judge Lanny Fite and the county for failing to obtain the required approval for the project.	
INSPECTOR SIGNATURE: Eric M. Fleming / <i>Eric M. Fleming</i>	DATE: 2-29-8





These photos show the downstream side of the current bridge. All the vegetation was removed from the banks. In the photo below you can see the orange marking paint on the ground and across the creek.





Two more photos of the downstream side of the current bridge, with the unstabilized areas right down to the water line. There were no erosion controls at this site.

