



## THE CITY OF ANTHONY

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June 3, 2022

KDHE  
Bureau of Environmental Field Services  
Division of Environment  
300 West Douglas, Suite 700  
Wichita, KS 67202-2921

RE: Public Water Supply – Sanitary Survey Inspection  
Kansas Federal ID No: KS2007707

Dear Amanda Smyth,

In response to the required actions as per the inspection compliance report dated May 12, 2022, the following corrections have been made:

1. The minor cracks in the slab of well number 2, 3, and 5 have been repaired accordingly. Please see attached photo evidence denoted as Exhibit B.
2. The city contacted KDHE Water Permitting and Compliance and spoke with Ryan Eldredge to discuss if the city's current contingency plan is still viable since we are now a discharging system. As you can see from the attached email (Exhibit C), Mr. Eldredge provided recommended direction to dispose of the hauled water into the nearest collection system manhole. This would allow the wastewater to be diluted to not cause any upsets at the lagoons. He then further recommended to continue with this plan and continue monitoring and sampling requirements if there is a discharge.
3. At present, the city is still on phase one of our corrective plan to identify the list of high hazard connections. To achieve this, the city has been conducting surveys of the entire water system via two separate full system mailings of surveys, phone contacts with those who did not return a survey, and finally, this phase will be followed up with onsite inspections to verify those properties

which shall be placed on the high hazard list. Once the list has been developed, all high hazard connection owners will be officially notified of the city's requirement for annual testing and repairs (if required). The city will then continue to monitor and enforce annual compliance with this requirement on a regular program basis.

The city is also working to address the additional "recommended" actions in the above referenced compliance letter and will continue to work until all have been addressed to the best of our ability.

Please let us know if any other corrective action is needed in order to achieve compliance with this report.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to be 'Cyndra Kastens', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Cyndra Kastens  
Terry Stark



Exhibit B 1/5





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## Cyndra Kastens

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**From:** Terry Stark  
**Sent:** Wednesday, June 1, 2022 10:44 AM  
**To:** Cyndra Kastens  
**Subject:** FW: [O365 HAS DESIGNATED THIS MESSAGE AS SUSPICIOUS] FW: Discharge from water treatment plant to waste water lagoons

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**From:** Ryan Eldredge [KDHE] [mailto:Ryan.Eldredge@ks.gov]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, May 31, 2022 2:23 PM  
**To:** Terry Stark <TStark@AnthonyKansas.org>  
**Subject:** RE: [O365 HAS DESIGNATED THIS MESSAGE AS SUSPICIOUS] FW: Discharge from water treatment plant to waste water lagoons

Terry,

The following conditions should be followed when hauling water from the Water Treatment Plant to the wastewater lagoons:

1. Effluent should only be hauled from the 2<sup>nd</sup> cell at the water treatment plant, with the crossover pipe between cell 1 and 2 blocked off to ensure only cell 2 water is being hauled.
2. Due to the water plant being located north of town, It is recommended the hauled water is disposed of at the nearest collection system manhole. This would allow the wastewater to be diluted to not cause any upsets at the lagoons.
3. Follow sampling and testing requirements for the City's WW permit if there is a discharge from the lagoon system.

If you have any additional questions feel free to reach out to me.

Thanks,

Ryan Eldredge, PE  
Environmental Engineer  
☎ 785-296-5528 (Office)  
☎ 785-213-2144 (Cell)



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**From:** Terry Stark <TStark@AnthonyKansas.org>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, May 31, 2022 12:56 PM  
**To:** Ryan Eldredge [KDHE] <Ryan.Eldredge@ks.gov>  
**Subject:** [O365 HAS DESIGNATED THIS MESSAGE AS SUSPICIOUS] FW: Discharge from water treatment plant to waste water lagoons

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Exhibit C