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ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENT DIVISION OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

IN THE MATTER OF:

City of Dermott P.O. Box 371 Dermott AR, 71638 LIS No. 20- 18 A Permit No. AR0022250 AFIN 09-00027

CONSENT ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER

This Consent Administrative Order ("Order") is issued pursuant to the authority of the Arkansas Water and Air Pollution Control Act, Ark. Code Ann. § 8-4-101 *et seq.*, the Federal Water Pollution Control Act, 33 U.S.C. § 1311 *et seq.*, and the regulations and rules issued thereunder by Arkansas Pollution Control and Ecology Commission (APC&EC).

The issues herein having been settled by the agreement of the City of Dermott (Respondent) and the Division of Environmental Quality¹ (DEQ), it is hereby agreed and stipulated that the following FINDINGS OF FACT and ORDER AND AGREEMENT be entered.

FINDINGS OF FACT

- 1. Respondent operates a major municipal waste water treatment facility ("facility") located 1.2 miles east of Hwy. 165 and approximately 0.2 miles from the prison, in Section 6, Township 14 South, Range 4 West in Chicot County, Arkansas.
- 2. Respondent discharges treated wastewater to Bayou Bartholomew, thence to the Ouachita River in Segment 2B of the Ouachita River Basin.

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¹ Pursuant to Act 910 of 2019, the Arkansas Transformation and Efficiencies Act, the former Arkansas Department of Environmental Quality is now the Division of Environmental Quality in the newly created Department of Energy and Environment.

- 3. Respondent is regulated pursuant to the National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES).
- 4. Pursuant to the federal Clean Water Act, 33 U.S.C. § 1311(a) et seq., the NPDES program prohibits the discharge of pollutants except as in compliance with a permit issued under the NPDES program in accordance with 33 U.S.C. § 1342(a).
- 5. DEQ is authorized under the Arkansas Water and Air Pollution Control Act ("Act") to issue NPDES permits in the state of Arkansas and to initiate an enforcement action for any violation of an NPDES permit.
- 6. Ark. Code Ann. § 8-4-217(a)(3) provides:
 - (a) It shall be unlawful for any person to:
 - (3) Violate any provisions of this chapter or of any rule or order adopted by the [APC&EC] under this chapter or of a permit issued under this chapter by the [DEQ].
- 7. Ark. Code Ann. § 8-4-103(c)(1)(A) authorizes DEQ to assess an administrative civil penalty not to exceed ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) per violation for any violation of any provision of the Act and any rule or permit issued pursuant to the Act.
- 8. Pursuant to Ark. Code Ann. § 8-4-103(c)(1)(B), "[e]ach day of a continuing violation may be deemed a separate violation for purposes of penalty assessment."
- 9. DEQ issued NPDES Permit Number AR0022250 ("Permit") to Respondent on September 30, 2006. The Permit became effective on October 1, 2006, and expired on September 30, 2011. This Permit was administratively continued pursuant to APC&EC Rule 6.201.
- 10. On January 22, 2020, DEQ conducted a routine Compliance Evaluation Inspection of the facility. The inspection revealed the following violations:

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- a. There was an unpermitted discharge of effluent from the final effluent pumps onto the ground. Respondent is authorized to discharge treated effluent from Outfall 002; Respondent is not authorized to discharge treated effluent onto the ground from the effluent pumps. Discharge of treated effluent onto the ground is a violation of Part 1 Section A of the Permit and is therefore a violation of Ark. Code Ann. § 8-4-217(a)(3). The discharge of treated effluent from the effluent pumps onto the ground is also a violation of Part II Section B Condition 1.a of the Permit and therefore is a violation of Ark. Code Ann. § 8-4-217(a)(3).
- b. Six (6) hour composite samples are not being "composited according to flow."

 This is a violation of Part IV, Condition 22 of the Permit.
- c. The following conditions demonstrate that Respondent has not properly operated and maintained the facility in accordance with the requirement set forth in Part II Section B Condition 1.a of the Permit.
 - (1) The forced air operators in Ponds 1 and 2 were not operational.
 - (2) There was excessive vegetation on the aerator lines and around the banks of the two, parallel influent ponds.
 - (3) Aerators in the 18-acre stabilization pond were not operational at the time of inspection.
 - (4) Post-aeration is not being conducted due to the forced air blowers not being operational.
 - (5) Chlorine dosing equipment was not operating correctly at the time of inspection. There was a strong odor of chlorine after the contact chamber

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and there were deceased fish in the post-aeration basin. In addition, the diffuser did not change the rate of chlorine feed when adjusting the knobs.

These conditions are a violation of Part II Section B Condition 1.a of the Permit and therefore are violations of Ark. Code Ann. § 8-4-217(a)(3).

- d. There were no records for calibration of the totalizer and no flow checks are being performed. This condition is a violation of Part II Section C Condition 2 of the Permit and therefore is a violation of Ark. Code Ann. § 8-4-217(a)(3).
- 11. On February 18, 2020, DEQ notified Respondent of the inspection results via letter and requested a response from Respondent addressing each of the violations cited in the inspection report.
- 12. On June 9, 2020, DEQ conducted a review of certified Discharge Monitoring Reports (DMRs) submitted by Respondent in accordance with the Permit.
- 13. The review revealed that Respondent reported the following violations of the permitted effluent discharge limits detailed in Part I, Section A of the Permit from June 1, 2017 through May 31, 2020:
 - a. One (1) violation for Biochemical Oxygen Demand;
 - b. Three (3) violations of Carbonaceous Biochemical Oxygen Demand;
 - c. Two (2) violations of Ammonia Nitrogen; and
 - d. Six (6) violations of Fecal Coliform Bacteria.
- 14. Each of the twelve (12) discharge limitation violations listed in Paragraph 13 above constitutes a separate permit violation for a total of twelve (12) separate violations of Ark. Code Ann. § 8-4-217(a)(3).

15. On June 20, 2020, Respondent submitted a response to the inspection report. The response listed the violations cited during the January 22, 2020, inspection. However, the response did not provide a timeline for when the corrective actions would take place, thus making the response inadequate to address the violations cited in the inspection report.

ORDER AND AGREEMENT

WHEREFORE, the parties stipulate and agree as follows:

- 1. Respondent shall immediately cease the unpermitted discharges referenced in Findings of Fact Paragraph 10. On or before the effective date of this Order, Respondent shall submit to DEQ a report, with photographic documentation, that the unpermitted discharge has ceased.
- 2. Respondent shall, within thirty (30) calendar days of the effective date of this Order, submit to DEQ, for review and approval, a comprehensive Corrective Action Plan (CAP) developed by a Professional Engineer licensed in the state of Arkansas. The CAP shall include, at minimum the methods and best available technologies that will be used to correct the violations listed in Findings of Fact Paragraphs 10 and 13 and prevent future violations. The CAP shall include a reasonable milestone schedule with a date of final compliance no later than December 31, 2021. Upon review and approval by DEQ, Respondent shall comply with the terms, milestone schedule, and final compliance date contained the approved CAP. The milestone schedule and final compliance date of December 31, 2021, shall be fully enforceable as terms of this Order.
- 3. On or before the fifteenth (15th) day of the month following the effective date of this Order, and each quarter thereafter for a period lasting until this Order is closed, Respondent shall submit quarterly progress reports detailing the progress that has been made towards compliance with the final permitted effluent limits and Part I, Section A of the Permit. Respondent shall submit the final compliance report by July 31, 2021.

4. Respondent shall, within sixty (60) calendar days of the effective date of this Order, submit an interim operating plan that describes, in detail, the operational measures that will be undertaken to consistently maximize the removal efficiency of all pollutants covered by this permit. Respondent shall implement the interim operating plan immediately upon its submittal to

DEQ.

5. In compromise and full settlement of the violations specified in the Findings of Fact, Respondent agrees to pay a civil penalty of Seven Thousand Four Hundred Dollars (\$7400.00), or one-half of the full civil penalty of Three Thousand Seven Hundred Dollars (\$3700.00) if this Order is signed and returned to the Office of Water Quality Enforcement Branch, DEQ, 5301 Northshore Drive, North Little Rock, Arkansas, 72118-5317, within twenty (20) calendar days of receipt of this Order. Payment is due within thirty (30) calendar days of the effective date of this Order. Such payment of the penalty shall be made payable to the Division of Environmental Quality, and mailed to the attention of:

DEQ, Fiscal Division 5301 Northshore Drive North Little Rock, AR 72118

In the event that Respondent fails to pay the civil penalty within the prescribed time, DEQ shall be entitled to attorneys' fees and costs of collection.

6. Failure to meet any requirement or deadline of this Order constitutes a violation of this Order. If Respondent should fail to meet any such requirements or deadlines, Respondent consents and agrees to pay on demand to DEQ stipulated penalties according to the following schedule:

a. First day through fourteenth day:

\$100.00 per day

b. Fifteenth day through the thirtieth day:

\$500.00 per day

c. Each day beyond the thirtieth day:

\$1000.00 per day

These stipulated penalties for delay in performance shall be in addition to any other remedies or sanctions that may be available to DEQ by reason of failure by Respondent to comply with the requirements of this Order.

- 7. If any event, including but not limited to an act of nature, occurs that causes or may cause a delay in the achievement of compliance by Respondent with the requirements or deadlines of this Order, Respondent shall so notify DEQ, in writing, as soon as reasonably possible after it is apparent that a delay will result, but in no case after the due dates specified in this Order. The notification shall describe in detail the anticipated length of the delay, the precise cause of the delay, the measures being taken and to be taken to minimize the delay, and the timetable by which those measures will be implemented.
- 8. DEQ may grant an extension of any provision of this Order if Respondent requests such an extension in writing, and the delay or anticipated delay has or will be caused by circumstances beyond the control of and without the fault of Respondent. The time for performance may be extended for a reasonable period, but in no event longer than the period of delay resulting from such circumstances. Respondent has the burden of proving that any delay is caused by circumstances beyond the control and without the fault of Respondent, as well as the length of the delay attributable to such circumstances. Failure to notify DEQ promptly, as provided in the preceding paragraph of this Section, shall be grounds for a denial of an extension.
- 9. All requirements by the Order and Agreement are subject to approval by DEQ. Unless otherwise specified herein, in the event of any deficiencies, Respondent shall, within the timeframe specified by DEQ, submit any additional information or changes requested, or take additional actions specified by DEQ to correct any such deficiencies. Failure to respond

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adequately to such Notice of Deficiency within the timeframe specified in writing by DEQ constitutes a failure to meet the requirements established by this Order.

- 10. This Order is subject to public review and comment in accordance with Ark. Code Ann. § 8-4-103(d) and APC&EC Rule 8 and shall not be effective until thirty (30) calendar days after public notice is given. DEQ retains the right to rescind this Order based upon the comments received within the thirty (30) day public comment period. Notwithstanding the public notice requirements, the corrective actions necessary to achieve compliance shall be taken immediately. The publication of this Order shall occur on or about the 10th or 25th day of the month following the date this Order is executed. As provided by APC&EC Rule 8, this matter is subject to being reopened upon Commission initiative, or in the event a petition to set aside this Order is granted by the Commission.
- 11. Nothing in this Order shall be construed as a waiver by DEQ of its enforcement authority over alleged violations not specifically addressed herein. Also, this Order does not exonerate Respondent from any past, present, or future conduct that is not expressly addressed herein, nor does it relieve Respondent of its responsibilities for obtaining any necessary permits.
- 12. This Order has been reviewed and approved by the City Council of Respondent in a duly convened meeting with a quorum present. See copy of [meeting minutes or resolution] attached as Exhibit A.
- 13. The City Council of Respondent has authorized the Mayor and City Clerk/Treasurer to sign this Order on behalf of Respondent. See Exhibit A.

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14. The City Council of Respondent has authorized the Mayor and City Clerk/Treasurer to expend funds for compliance activities required by the Order including but not limited to the payment of a civil penalty as set forth in this Order. See Exhibit A.

SO ORDERED THIS 14 DAY OF Octobe 2020.			
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BECKY W. KEOGH, DIRECTOR			
APPROVED AS TO FORM AND CONTENT:			
City of Dermott			
BY: Walter Donald			
(Signature)			
Walter Donald			
(Typed or printed Name)			
DATE 140ct 2020			
DATE 14 Oct 2020)			
CITY COUNCIL SIGNATURES			
ANTHONY SCOTT			
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HELEN KING LEGATIONS			
CHRIS AKINS Charles AKINS Char			
ROBIN HAWKINS-COOK POLICE TO THE			
LUCAN HARGRAVES CONTRACTOR CONTRA			

CITY OF DERMOTT REGULAR SESSION COUNCIL MEETING

14 OCTOBER 2020

AT 6:00 P.M.

FLOYD E. GRAY/COTTONTOWN ROOM

CALL TO ORDER: MAYOR WALTER DONALD

ROLL CALL: MAYOR WALTER DONALD-COUNCIL MEMBER SCOTT- PRESENT, COUNCIL MEMBER BROADNAX- PRESENT, COUNCIL MEMBER KING-PRESENT, COUNCIL MEMBER AKINS- PRESENT, COUNCIL MEMBER HAWKINS-COOK-ABSENT, COUNCIL MEMBER HARGRAVES- PRESENT

INVOCATION: MAYOR DONALD

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE: ALL

MINUTES: MAYOR DONALD STATED THAT ARE ONE SET OF SPECIAL CALLED MINUTES THAT WEREN'T INCLUDED IN THE PACKET BUT WOULD BE AVAILABLE AT THE NEXT MEETING. COUNCIL MEMBER SCOTT STATED THAT HE DIDN'T HAVE ANY MINUTES. MAYOR DONALD STATED THAT HE DIDN'T HAVE HIS FULL PACKET BECAUSE IT WAS STILL AT THE POLICE DEPARTMENT. COUNCIL MEMBER SCOTT STATED THAT HE WASN'T AWARE THAT THE PACKETS WERE AT THE POLICE DEPARTMENT, COUNCIL MEMBER HARGRAVES STATED THAT HE WASN'T AWARE ABOUT THE PACKETS EITHER. COUNCIL MEMBER SCOTT ASKED IF AN EMAIL COULD BE SENT FOR NOTIFICATION. MAYOR DONALD STATED THAT THERE WAS AN EMAIL SENT TO ALL COUNCIL MEMBERS ABOUT THE PACKETS. MAYOR DONALD ASKED IF THERE WERE ANY QUESTIONS ABOUT THE MINUTES, AND IF THERE WERENT ANY IF HE COULD HAVE A MOTION TO APPROVE THE MINUTES. COUNCIL MEMBER HARGRAVES MADE A MOTION TO APPROVE THE MINUTES FROM SEPTEMBER 6TH AND 14TH MEETING. MOTION CARRIED 5-0

BILLS OVER \$1000.00

CLARK TERRELL	(CPA)	\$3,625.00
GET RID OF IT	(TRASH)	\$13,103.00
FABRICLEAN	(SULFUR)	\$1,353.82
SCOTTS PETROLEUM	(FUEL)	\$4,401.32
ENTERGY	(COLLECTIVE)	\$7,956.54
U COMMUNICATIONS	(9-1-1)	\$1,000.00
EL DORADO PRINTING	(POLICE DEPT. COMPUTER)	\$1,053.59
TOTAL:		\$32,493.27

MAYOR DONALD STATED THAT HE FORGET TO ADD THE TOTAL TO THE AGENDA. COUNCIL MEMBER BROADNAX ASKED ABOUT THE EL DORADO PRINTING COMPANY, AND WANTED TO KNOW DID THEY SELL THE CITY A COMPUTER. MAYOR DONALD STATED THAT THE POLICE DEPARTMENT HAD A COMPUTER THAT WENT OUT AND HAD TO BE REPLACED. COUNCIL MEMBER

KING STATED THAT ONE OF THE ENTERGY BILLS HADN'T BEEN SINCE AUGUST 2020 AND THE AMOUNT WAS AROUND \$8,000.00 AND THAT BILL WASN'T EVER PRESENTED TO US. COUNCIL MEMBER KING ASKED WHY THE AMOUNT IS DIFFERENT FROM WHAT WAS SHOWN ON THE BILL. MAYOR DONALD STATED THAT IN THE PACKETS THERE WAS A LETTER INCLUDED THAT SHOW SOME EXTRA CHARGES FROM ENTERGY.MAYOR DONALD STATED THAT HE WOULD CHECK THAT BILL TO SEE WHAT THE TOTAL WAS. MAYOR DONALD ASKED IF THERE WERE ANY MORE QUESTIONS ABOUT THE BILLS OVER \$1,000.00, AND IF THERE WERE NOT ANY MORE QUESTIONS COULD HE HAVE A MOTION. COUNCIL MEMBER HARGRAVES MADE A MOTION TO APPROVE THE BILLS OVER \$1,000.00 WITH COUNCIL MEMBER AKINS SECONDING THE MOTION. MOTION CARRIED 3-2 WITH COUNCIL MEMBER SCOTT AND KING ABSTAINING.

NEW BUSINESS:

MAYOR DONALD ASKED FOR A MOTION TO AMEND THAT AGENDA TO ADD ADEQ. COUNCIL MEMBER SCOTT MADE A MOTION TO AMEND THE AGENDA WITH COUNCIL MEMBER HARGRAVES SECONDING THE MOTION. MOTION CARRIED 6-0

ADEQ- MAYOR DONALD STATED THAT THERE WAS AN INSPECTION DONE OUT AT THE SEWER PLANT IN JANUARY 2020 AND THERE WERE SOME DEFICIENCIES. AND COPY OF THOSE WERE GIVEN TO EACH COUNCIL MEMBER IN THEIR PACKETS. MAYOR DONALD STATED THAT HE ACCEPTS THE DECREE THAT WAS GIVEN HIM TO FOR THE FINE THEN HE WOULD ONLY HAVE TO PAY \$3,700.00. MAYOR DONALD STATED THAT MR. BLACKMON HAS BEEN MADE AWARE AND WOULD BE HELPING THE CITY OF DERMOTT GET THINGS CORRECTED, MAYOR DONALD STATED THAT HE CANT MOVE FORWARD UNTIL THE COUNCIL MEMBERS ARE AWARE OF THE ISSUES AND REVIEW THE WRITE UP AND SIGN THEM IF THEY WOULD LIKE TO AGREE NOT TO PAY THE FULL BILL BUT ONLY \$3,700.00. COUNCIL MEMBER SCOTT STATED WHAT WOULD BE THE SUGGESTIONS TO REMOVE THE ALLIGATORS THAT ARE CAUSING THE DAMAGE TO THE SEWER PLANT. MAYOR DONALD STATED THAT HE WOULD HAVE TO GET WITH THE GAME AND FISH COMMISSION TO MAKE THE AWARE OF THE MONEY ITS CAUSING THE REPAIR WHAT THE ALLIGATORS ARE DESTROYING. (INAUDIBLE)

AUDIT UPDATE- MAYOR DONALD STATED THAT THE COUNCIL MAY NOT HAVE RECEIVE THEIR FINDINGS IN THE MAIL YET, BUT ON LAST MONDAY ROGER HAIRSTON CAME TO DO THE EXIT MEETING. MAYOR DONALD STATED THAT THE AUDIT WAS REALLY GOOD, WITH THE FIRE DEPARTMENT HAVING ZERO FINDINGS, POLICE DEPARTMENT HAD ONE FINDING, MAYOR DONALD HAD THREE FINDINGS, AND THE CITY CLERK HAD ABOUT SEVEN BUT THEY WERE PREVIOUS FINDINGS THAT ARE STILL OPENED SUCH AS THE REPAYMENT TO THOSE ACCOUNTS. MAYOR DONALD STATED THAT THE ONLY THING THAT HAS TO BE CHANGED IS THE ORDINANCE STATING THAT THE MONEY HAS TO BE COLLECTED BY THE COURT CLERK AND SOME HOW THE POLICE DEPARTMENT IS STILL COLLECTING THAT MONEY AND IT NEEDS TO BE REVISED STATING THAT ONLY THE COURT CLERK SHOULD BE HANDLING THOSE FUNDS.

REPEALING SPECIAL SALE & USE ACCOUNT- MAYOR DONALD STATED THAT IT WAS PRESENTED TO THE COUNCIL LAST MONTH TO OPEN THE SPECIAL SALE & USE ACCOUNT TO REPAY THE AMOUNT OF \$201,471.00 ON A MONTHLY PAYMENT PLAN, BUT THE ACCOUNT WAS TO BE OPENED AT SIMMONS BANK AND WOULD LIKE TO REPEAL THE MOTION TO HAVE THE ACCOUNT OPENED AT FIRST SERVICE BANK. COUNCIL MEMBER SCOTT ASKED WHY? MAYOR DONALD STATED THAT THE ACCOUNT WAS ORIGINALLY OPENED AT FIRST SERVICE BANK AND THAT'S WHERE IT SHOULD BE OPENED AGAIN. MAYOR DONALD ASKED FOR A MOTION TO REPEAL THE OPENING OF THE SPECIAL SALE & USE TAX ACCOUNT AT SIMMONS BANK AND APPROVE TO HAVE THE ACCOUNT

OPENED AT FIRST SERVICE BANK. COUNCIL MEMBER AKINS MADE A MOTION TO REPEAL THE OPENING OF THE SPECIAL SALE & USE TAX ACCOUNT AT SIMMONS BANK, AND TO APPROVE OPENING THE ACCOUNT AT FIRST SERVICE BANK WITH COUNCIL MEMBER HAWKINS-COOK SECONDING THE MOTION. MOTION CARRIED 6-0

MEETING PROCEDURES- MAYOR DONALD STATED THE AUDITORS PULLED SOME OF THE MEETINGS FROM THE RECORDER AND THE ONES THAT WERE REVIEWED IT WAS MENTIONED THAT THERE IS TOO MUCH CHATTER/NOISE, SOME OF THE AGENDAS WERE NOT FOLLOWED IN THE ORDER PRESENTED TO THE COUNCIL, AND ONCE MOTIONS ARE MADE THE ITEM SHOULDN'T BE DISCUSSED WITHOUT WITHDRAWING THE MOTION. COUNCIL MEMBER SCOTT STATED THAT WOULD BE ON THE MAYOR WHO HAS THE GAVEL.

OLD BUSINESS:

UPDATE ON WATER PROJECT- MAYOR DONALD STATED THAT THE ENGINEERS ARE GETTING READY TO START PAINTING THE WATER TOWER, AND IT WILL SAY "DERMOTT, AR HOME OF THE MIGHTY RAMS" AND ON THE OTHER SIDE THEY'RE TAKING THE RAM OFF THE SCHOOL'S WEBSITE TO ADD TO THE OTHER SIDE. MAYOR DONALD STATED THAT IN ABOUT A WEEK THEY WILL START THE STEAM CLEANING ON THE INSIDE OF THE TANK SO THAT THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT CAN COME OUT TO INSPECT THE REPAIRS AND THE WATER BEFORE ITS USED FOR THE CITIZENS OF DERMOTT. COUNCIL BROADNAX ASKED WHEN WILL THEY START ON THE OTHER WATER TOWER. MAYOR DONALD STATED THAT THEY CANT START ON THE OTHER WATER TOWER UNTIL THAT ONE IS COMPLETED.

UPDATE SIDEWALK PROJECT- MAYOR DONALD STATED THAT THEY ARE UP TO THE RAILROAD TRACK AND THE CONTRACTOR WILL HAVE TO GET WITH THE RAILROAD COMPANY BEFORE THEY CAN FINISH THAT SIDE, BUT UNTIL THEY HEAR FROM THEM THEY HAVE MOVED TO SPEEDWAY.

 $\it UPDATE$ ON $\it ATTORNEY$ - MAYOR DONALD STATED THAT THERE WILL BE A SPECIAL CALLED MEETING BECAUSE ITS TIME TO GO AHEAD AND HIRE AN ATTORNEY.

UPDATE ON LAWSUIT- MAYOR DONALD STATED THAT ALL THE DOCUMENTS THAT WERE REQUESTED FROM THE ATTORNEYS WERE HAND DELIVERED TO LITTLE ROCK, AND THAT'S THE LAST UPDATE HE HAS SO FAR. MAYOR DONALD STATED THAT ONE OF THE FINDINGS FROM A PREVIOUS AUDIT HAS WENT TO TRIAL AND THE PERSON ACCUSED IN THAT MATTER HAS BEEN PROSECUTED AND THE REPAYMENT WOULD START SOON.

SCHEDULE WORK SESSION- MAYOR DONALD ASKED THE COUNCIL MEMBERS TO DISCUSS IT WITH EACH OTHER ON WHAT DAY WOULD BE GOOD FOR THEM TO MEET FOR A WORK SESSION.

EXECUTIVE SESSION: IF REQUIRED(NONE)

COUNCIL MEMBERS WARD REPORTS:

WARD 1. COUNCIL MEMBER SCOTT / COUNCIL MEMBER BROADNAX- COUNCIL MEMBER BROADNAX STATED THAT SHE HASN'T HEARD FROM THE CITY CODER

ENFORCER ABOUT THE INFORMATION SHE HAS BEEN REQUESTING, AND WITH THE HOLIDAYS COMING UP SHE WOULD LIKE TO HAVE SOME OF THESE AREAS CLEANED. COUNCIL MEMBER SCOTT STATED THAT THERE IS AN AREA BETWEEN IOWA STREET AND HIGHWAY 35 THAT DOESN'T HAVE THE DITCHES CUT AND THAT MAY BE A JOB FOR THE CODE ENFORCER. (INAUDIBLE)

WARD 2. COUNCIL MEMBER KING / COUNCIL MEMBER AKINS- COUNCIL MEMBER AKINS ASKED ABOUT THE WATER LEAK ON NORTH SCHOOL STREET IN FRONT OF MS. THROWER'S HOUSE AND THE CLEAN UP THAT NEEDS TO BE DONE AT MORRIS BOOKER. MAYOR DONALD STATED THAT HE WOULD CHECK ON BOTH OF THOSE ISSUES AND GIVE HIM A CALL WITH AN UPDATE. COUNCIL MEMBER KING STATED THAT THERE ARE STILL SOME LIMBS ON MAIN STREET THAT NEED TO BE CLEANED. MAYOR DONALD STATED THAT THE LIMBS SHE IS REFERRING TO WERE PLACED THERE BY THE RESIDENT TO KEEP PEOPLE FROM TRESPASSING.

WARD 3. COUNCIL MEMBER HAWKINS /COUNCIL MEMBER HARGRAVES-COUNCIL MEMBER HARGRAVES STATED THAT THERE ARE SEVERAL STREETS IN HIS WARD THAT HAS POTHOLES THAT NEED TO BE REPAIRED. COUNCIL MEMBER HAWKINS-COOK STATED THAT SHE WASN'T SURE WHO THE AREA OF LAKE WALLACE WOULD FALL UNTIL BUT ITS MAINTAINED BY THE CITY OF DERMOTT AND THERE HAS BEEN A REPORT OF THREE POLES THAT HAVE BEEN KNOCKED INTO ONE OF THE DOCKS OUT AT THE LAKE. COUNCIL MEMBER HAWKINS-COOK ALSO STATED THAT SOME OF THE DOCKS HAVE BEEN DAMAGED AS WELL.

PUBLIC COMMENT: 2 MINUTES PLEASE- INAUDIBLE

ADJOURNMENT-INAUDIBLE