September 2, 2016

U.S. Department of Justice
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Via U.S. Certified Mail
RRR# 7014 2120 0003 4067 6810

Re: DOJ Case No. [90-5-1-1-09215]
Consent Decree
Date of Entry: October 15, 2013
CA No. 5:13-cv-00666-DAE, United States of America and State of Texas v. San Antonio Water System, in the United States District Court for the Western District of Texas, San Antonio Division

Dear Sir/Madam:

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I certify under penalty of law that this document and all attachments were prepared under my direction or supervision in accordance with a system designed to assure that qualified personnel properly gather and evaluate the information submitted. Based on my inquiry of the person or persons who manage the system, or those persons directly responsible for gathering such information, the information submitted is, to the best of my knowledge and belief, true, accurate, and complete. I am aware that there are significant penalties for submitting false information, including the possibility of fine and imprisonment for knowing violations.

Sincerely,

Jeffrey J. Haby, P.E.
Vice President
Production & Treatment
Enc. as stated
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U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region VI
Chief, Water Enforcement Branch (6EN-W)
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Water Quality Noncompliance Notification - REVISED REPORT

X Unauthorized Discharge of Wastewater     Reportable Effluent Violation    Other

General Information

Entity Name: San Antonio Water System  Telephone No.: (210) 233-3274
X Permittee        Subscriber

TCEQ Region: 13  County: Bexar  Permit Number: 10137-008 - Salado Creek

Noncompliance Summary

Description of Noncompliance (include location, discharge route, and estimated volume if an unauthorized discharge):
The address of the spill was at 700 Holbrook (FERG 192-D7). Approximately 822540 gallons spilled
into Creek Bed. Spilled from M/H's 47247, 46546, 47428, 47649, 47806, 990827, 48236, 47822
SR# 1458464; INS# WO#: Sewer Main 47822 922726
Cause of Noncompliance: [   ]
Spill occurred as a result of heavy rainfall in the San Antonio area - Spilled into Salado Creek.

Duration:  
Start       08/21/16 8:30      End       08/22/16 20:00
(Date)     (Time)        (Date)     (Time)
Or expected to be Corrected   N/A
(Date)

Potential Dangers to Human Health and Safety or the Environment
No Significant Dangers. No known drinking water wells within 1/2 mile of the spill.

Actions Taken

Monitoring Data: Data should be attached or submitted to TCEQ when available.

   yes   X   no
_____    _______   ____  Field Measurements
_____    _______   ____  Laboratory Samples
_____    _______   ____  Fish Kill, If yes, estimated number killed:

Actions Taken to Mitigate Adverse Effects: Diluted by Heavy Rainwater

Actions Taken to Correct the Problem and Prevent Recurrence: 48-Inch Sewer Main, Monitored Area
SAWS plans to start replacing the sewer line early next year with a second phase to start in 2018

Verification Information

Information Reported By: Robert Rodriguez / (Name)
Date Reported: 08/21/16   Signature:  

TCEQ 0501 (November 5, 2002) *If the noncompliance is an unauthorized discharge from a wastewater collection system, use the permit number of the treatment plant to which the collection system is tied.

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Water Quality Noncompliance Notification

General Information

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X Permittee  Subscriber

TCEQ Region: 13  County: Bexar  Permit Number: 10137-008-Salado Creek

Noncompliance Summary

Description of Noncompliance (include location, discharge route, and estimated volume if an unauthorized discharge): The address of the spill was at 21619 Roan Blf - Over The Edwards Aquifer Recharge Zone (FERG 131F7) Approximately 46000 gallons spilled into Creek Bed - Spilled Into West Elm Creek.

SR#: 1466810; INSPT#: 433618; WO#: Sewer Main 76090 76089

Cause of Noncompliance: Debris

Duration: Start 08/31/2016 9:48  End 08/31/2016 16:35

Or expected to be Corrected


Actions Taken

Monitoring Data: Data should be attached or submitted to TCEQ when available.

______ yes  X  no  Field Measurements

______ yes  X  no  Laboratory Samples

______ yes  X  no  Fish Kill, If yes, estimated number killed

Actions Taken to Mitigate Adverse Effects: Spill Contained. Cleanup is ongoing

Actions Taken to Correct the Problem and Prevent Recurrence: 8 Inch Sewer Main, Unstopped Main.

Verification Information

Information Reported By Richard Santos

LC/TV III

Date Reported 08/31/2016  Signature:

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