

**ADEQ COMMENTS
FINAL PERMITTING DECISION**

Permit No.: NPDES General Permit ARG160000
Construction and Discharge of Uncontaminated Stormwater from Sanitary
Landfill Sedimentation Ponds

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The following are ADEQ comments regarding the Draft Construction and Discharge of Uncontaminated Stormwater from Sanitary Landfill Sedimentation Ponds NPDES General Permit ARG160000, in accordance with regulations promulgated at 40 CFR. §124.17, Arkansas Pollution Control & Ecology Commission (APC&EC) Regulation No. 8 (Administrative Procedures), and Arkansas Code Annotated (A.C.A.) §8-4-203(e)(2).

Introduction

Public notice of the Draft Permit was published by the Arkansas Department of Environmental Quality (ADEQ) on February 24, 2019 and ended on March 26, 2019.

No comments were received from individuals outside ADEQ. However, It was noted by ADEQ that clerical and administrative clarifications to Part 1.9, *Best Management Practices*, of the final general permit ARG160000 were needed. Part 1.9 has been updated accordingly.

Additionally it should be noted the expiring general permit included an expiration date of February 28, 2020, and the leap day was not considered. ADEQ notes that clerical error, and for the purposes of this renewal process, has made an administrative decision to implement the expiration as if it had been properly cited as February 29, 2020.