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**IDEMLTCP CSO Project Manager
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**RE: Auburn WPC IN 0020672
2025 Annual CSO Summary Notification**

Following is an outline of combined sewer overflow activities for the above referenced reporting period:

- Outfall 007 is located near East 7th Street and Wilson Street and discharges into Cedar Creek via a 30-inch sewer. The outfall is equipped with a flap gate to prevent creek flow from backing up into the collection system.
- Outfall 009 is located southeast of Eckhart Park between South Cedar Street and Utility Drive. Outfall 009 discharges to Cedar Creek via parallel 5-foot by 4-foot box culverts. The outfall is equipped with flap gates to prevent creek flow from backing up into the collection system.
- Outfall 010 is located south of Auburn Drive and west of Dallas Street. Outfall 010 discharges via a 24-inch sewer south of Auburn Drive to the Isaac Hague Ditch, which discharges into the John Diehl Ditch south of the railroad. The John Diehl Ditch discharges to Cedar Creek.
- Outfall 011 is located at the City's Water Pollution Control Facility (WPCF), east of Wayne Street and south of the railroad tracks. The outfall typically conveys partially treated combined sewage to Cedar Creek. Outfall 011 is the discharge point for the City's wet weather treatment system, which consists of a 2.5 million gallon (MG) store-treat tank with screening and disinfection. Flow stored in the tank is returned to the main head-works for full treatment after wet weather events. Flow volumes that exceed the 2.5-MG capacity of the store-treat tank receive the equivalent of primary treatment and disinfection before being discharged to Cedar Creek via a rip-rap lined open channel at Outfall 011. The wet weather treatment system is sized to treat at least a 10-year, 1-hour storm. This outfall only acts as a CSO when the capacity of the treatment system is exceeded.
- There were 5 discharge events due to wet weather from our CSO's for the year 2025. CSO 011 discharged on 3/28/2025 at 2:06pm and ended on 3/29/2025 at 2:06 pm. It discharged 2.81 mg. It was due to a rainfall of 2.18" for that duration. CSO 007 discharged on 3/28/2025 at 2:04 pm and ended on 3/29/2025 at 2:04pm. It

discharged .247 mg. It was due to a rainfall of 2.18" for that duration. CSO 011 discharged on 3/30/2025 at 6:11pm and ended on 3/31/2025 at 6:11pm. It discharged .51 mg. It was due to .84" of rainfall for that duration. CSO 011 discharged on 4/2/25 at 11:00am and ended at 11:00am on 4/3/25. It discharged 6.7 mg. It was due to a rainfall amount of 2.36" for that duration. CSO 007 discharged on 4/2/25 at 11:47pm and ended at 11:47pm on 4/3/25. It discharged .249 mg. It was due to a rainfall amount of 2.36" for that duration. CSO 011 discharged on 6/5/25 at 6:11am and ended on 6/6/25 at 6:11am. It discharged .171 mg. It was due to a rainfall amount of 2.38" for that duration. CSO 007 discharged on 7/19/25 at 6:30pm and ended at 6:30pm on 7/20/25. It discharged .132 mg. It was due to rainfall amount of 3.54" for that duration. CSO 009 discharged on 7/19/25 at 6:30pm and ended at 6:30pm on 7/20/25. It discharged .270 mg. It was due to rainfall amount of 3.54" for that duration. CSO 011 discharged on 7/19/25 at 6:30pm and ended on 7/20/25 at 6:30 pm. It discharged 2.35 mg. It was due to 3.54" for that duration.

- There were zero discharges due to dry weather from our CSO's for the year 2025.
- All CSO locations have available monitoring data. For the year 2025 there were 5 discharge events.
- Public access area for the City of Auburn's CSO location 009 is at Eckhart Park. There was one discharge for this location for the year 2025.
- Precipitation data is available for CSO locations. The 5 discharge events were due to precipitation. It is described in bullet point 5 above.
- The City of Auburn CSO Notification Plan and CSO Annual Summary are available on the city website www.ci.auburn.in.us
- All nine minimum control measures are being met in the long- term control plan through wet weather high rate treatment and disinfection, new grit removal and screening, relief interceptors, sewer separations, CSO public notification plans and annual CSO summary.
- The City of Auburn's long- term control plan amendment no. 3 was approved on April 8th 2019. Phase II was completed on 10/18/21. The Phase IV project proposed in the LTCP will be replaced with construction of 250,000 gallons of storage at Outfall 009 and up to 360,000 gallons of storage along the C interceptor at 10th Street and Wilson Street, if necessary. Phase IV completion on 12/31/2026. Full completion of LTCP should be 12/31/2028. Upon completion of Auburn's CSO LTCP, the occurrence of CSO discharges will be significantly reduced. LTCP improvements are designed to prevent untreated overflows for rainfall events smaller than or equal to the 10-year, 1-hour design storm.

There are no other important CSO issues to detail for this reporting period. Should you have any questions regarding this information, please contact me at (260) 925-1714. wpc@ci.auburn.in.us

Respectfully,

AUBURN DEPARTMENT OF WATER POLLUTION CONTROL

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