

## UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY DE CEIVE BEFORE THE ADMINISTRATOR

In the Matter of:

Batesville Water & Gas Utility and Don Gunter Excavating, LLC,

**Respondents.** 

Docket No. CWA-05-2010-0013

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## **INITIAL PREHEARING ORDER**

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As you have been previously notified, I am designated to preside over this proceeding. This proceeding will be governed by the applicable statute(s) as well as the Consolidated Rules of Practice Governing Administrative Assessment of Civil Penalties and the Revocation or Suspension of Permits (the "Rules of Practice") (40 C.F.R. Part 22). The parties are advised to familiarize themselves with both the applicable statute(s) and the Rules.

The record indicates that on December 8, 2010, the Neutral Judge terminated the Alternative Dispute Resolution Process in this case and reported that the parties had reached an agreement in principle in regard to settling this case. <u>Therefore, the parties are hereby</u> **ORDERED** to file their fully executed Consent Agreement and Final Order memorializing their settlement no later than January 14, 2011, with a copy contemporaneously sent to the undersigned by facsimile and mail.

FAILURE TO SUBMIT THE CONSENT AGREEMENT IN A TIMELY MANNER MAY RESULT IN ENTRY OF AN ORDER OF DISMISSAL WITH PREJUDICE OR DEFAULT, AS APPROPRIATE, WITHOUT FURTHER NOTICE.

Susan L. Biro Chief Administrative Law Judge

Dated: December 13, 2010 Washington, D.C. In the Matter of Batesville Water & Gas Utility & Don Gunter Excavating, LLC, Respondents Docket No. CWA-05-2010-0013

## CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that the foregoing Initial Prehearing Order, dated December 13, 2010, was sent this day in the following manner to the addressees listed below:

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Staff Assistant

Dated: December 13, 2010

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