




TO: Mayor Linda Gorton  
Urban County Council

FROM :   
Charles H. Martin, P.E., Director,  
Division of Water Quality

DATE: April 24, 2024

SUBJECT: Civil Penalty Assessment - \$4,000  
Case No. DOW-23-3-0214  
Five (5) Discharge Limit Exceedances: 2021 - 2023

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## Request

Authorizing and directing the mayor to authorize payment of \$4,000 to the Kentucky State Treasurer as a civil penalty for multiple plant effluent discharge violations that occurred at West Hickman Wastewater Treatment Plant (WWTP) between May 2021 and October 2023.

## Purpose of Request

The Kentucky Energy and Environment Cabinet (EEC) issued an April 24, 2024, Demand for Civil Penalty letter. The purposed of the letter is to document:

- That prior Notice of Violations (NOVs) for discharge limit violations have occurred at West Hickman,
- EEC's satisfaction that LFUCG has addressed those violations in a manner intended to prevent future violations, and
- Establish the civil penalty amount provided by Kentucky Revised Statues (KRS).

## What is the cost in this budget year and future budget years?

The cost for FY24 is \$4,000.



**Are the funds budgeted?**

Funds are available in 4002-303401-3401-78321

**Director/Commissioner:** Martin/Albright

