

Region 6 - Enforcement & Compliance Assurance Division
INSPECTION REPORT

Inspection Date(s):	03/26/2026	
Media Program:	Water	
Regulatory Program(s)	CWA, NPDES, Storm Water Industrial GP	
Company Name:	The Yaffe Companies, Inc.	
Facility Name:	Rogers Iron and Metal Corporation (RIMCO)	
Facility Physical Location:	721 N Arkansas Street	
(city, state, zip code)	Rogers, Arkansas 72756	
Mailing address:	P.O. Box 1806	
(city, state, zip code)	Rogers, Arkansas 72756	
County/Parish:	Benton County	
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FRS Number:	110011449110	
Identification/Permit Number:	ARR00B814	
Media Identifier Number:	N/A	
NAICS:	423930 and 423510	
SIC:	5093 and 5051	
Personnel participating in inspection:		
Paul Juarez	EPA Region 6/ ECD-WA	Inspector
Kerri McCabe	EPA Region 6/ ECD-WA	Inspector
William Cody	Arkansas Division of Environmental Quality (ADEQ)	Inspector II
Matt McNally	RIMCO	General Manager
Kyley Girty	The Yaffe Companies, Inc.	Corporate Environmental Manager
Wesley Glass	RIMCO	Assistant Manger
EPA Lead Inspector Signature/Date		
	Paul Juarez	Date
Supervisor Signature/Date		
	Anthony Loston	Date

Section I – INTRODUCTION

PURPOSE OF THE INSPECTION

EPA Region 6 inspectors Paul Juarez and Kerri McCabe and ADEQ inspector William Cody arrived at Rogers Iron and Metal Corporation (RIMCO) at 10:03am on 03/26/2026, for an announced inspection. We met Matt McNally (General Manager of RIMCO), Kiley Girty (Corporate Environmental Manager of Yaffe), and Wesley Glass (Assistant Manager of RIMCO) at the opening conference. Inspectors presented their credentials to Mr. McNally, Mr. Girty, and Mr. Glass and informed them that this was an EPA inspection to determine compliance with the facility's Industrial Stormwater General Permit (IGP; ARR000000) coverage under the National Pollutant Discharge Elimination Program (NPDES). The scope of the inspection is a full compliance evaluation (FCE).

FACILITY DESCRIPTION

EPA conducted an inspection of RIMCO, whose parent company is Yaffe Companies, Inc. RIMCO is a scrap metal sorting and recycling facility whose grounds are bisected by North Arkansas Street in Rogers, Benton County, Arkansas. RIMCO's NAICS codes are 423930 (Recyclable Material Merchant Wholesalers) and 423510 (Metal Service Centers and Other Metal Merchant Wholesalers). The facility's SIC codes are 5093 (Scrap and Waste Materials) and 5051 (Metals Service Centers and Offices). The facility's Industrial Sector is N1 - Scrap Recycling and Waste Recycling Facilities except Source-Separated Recycling. The western section of the facility retains Outfall 001 while the eastern section retains Outfall 002 (Appendix 1; Photo 5). The scrap metal piles were organized into large piles. The landscape gradient was engineered to lead towards the two (2) outfalls.

Section II - OBSERVATIONS

Recordkeeping Review (January 1, 2023- Present)

- Five (5) of twelve (12) facility self-inspection reports were missing from the previous three years of quarterly inspection. Facility representatives informed the inspectors that there is an electronic copy of these missing reports that would later be emailed to the inspector. The email with the five (5) inspection reports was received by EPA on 03/31/2026 at 11:16 am. The most recent seven (7) self-inspection reports were present and accounted for within the records.
- The previous three (3) years of Storm Water Annual Reports (SWAR) were missing. Facility representatives informed the inspectors that there is an electronic copy of these missing reports that would later be emailed to the inspector. The email with the three (3) SWARs was received by EPA on 03/31/2026 at 11:16 am.
- Inspectors observed that 2025 sampling data was missing. Inspectors were informed that there was a change in leadership where communication to sample for 2025 was not received by the succeeding management. Therefore, sampling for 2025 did not take place. Sampling data for 2023 and 2024 were present and accounted for.

- Inspectors observed that a Corrective Action Plan (CAP) was triggered 11/18/2024 for an exceedance of Total Aluminum (Al). Proper protocol according to the IGP was followed.
- Inspectors observed missing laboratory data from 2023 samples for Outfalls 001 and 002. Facility representatives informed the inspectors that there is an electronic copy of the missing data that would later be emailed to the inspector. The email with the 2023 data was received by EPA on 03/31/2026 at 11:16 am.

Facility Tour

- Fugitive solid waste was observed outside containment on the southeastern corner of the facility (Appendix 1; Photo 1).
- Outfall 002 appeared to be well-maintained with added Best Management Practices (BMP), including three (3) metal absorbent bags and rip-rap (Appendix 1; Photo 2).
- Outfall 001 had fugitive solid waste present at the time of the inspection. Three (3) absorbent booms were staked into the ground and utilized as additional BMPs (Appendix 3; Photo 3)
- Additional fugitive solid waste was observed outside the facility's boundary near Outfall 001 (Appendix 1; Photo 4). Good housekeeping practices were recommended during the inspection.

Section III – AREAS OF CONCERN

- According to Part 2.2 Parameter Benchmark Monitoring of the ADEQ IGP, eight (8) pollutants assigned to RIMCO's Industrial Sector identifier (N1) must be monitored with a frequency of once/year to determine the overall effectiveness of control measures. In 2025, the pollutants were not sampled/monitored.

Closing Conference

EPA Region 6 inspectors Paul Juarez and Kerri McCabe and ADEQ inspector William Cody conducted a closing conference at The Yaffe Companies, Inc. / Rogers Iron and Metal Corporation (RIMCO) at 12:15 pm on 03/26/2026 for the inspection. During the closing conference, the inspectors reviewed the one (1) Area of Concern (AOC) noted during the inspection, fielded questions from facility personnel, and provided information about the next steps in the inspection process.

Section IV – FOLLOW UP

The following information was received by EPA via email on 03/31/2026 after exiting the Facility on 03/26/2026:

- Five (5) missing self-inspection reports.
- Three (3) missing SWARs from 2023, 2024, and 2025.
- Missing laboratory data from 2023.

Section V – LIST OF APPENDICES

Appendix 1 – Photo Log – 5 photos taken on 3/26/2026

Appendix 1

Photograph Log



UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

Photograph Log

Photo No. 1

Facility/Location:		Rogers Iron and Metal Corporation RIMCO					
City:	Rogers	County:	Benton County	State:	AR	Direction:	N



Filename:	R0010279.JPG	Photo Date:	03/26/2026	Time:	11:31:18 am
Camera Model:	RICOH WG-6				
Photographer:	Paul Juarez	Witness Name:	Kerri McCabe		
Latitude:	36° 20' 23.382" N	Longitude:	94° 6' 46.644" W		
Description:	Fugitive solid waste was observed outside containment along the southeastern corner of the facility grounds.				



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Photograph Log

Photo No. 2

Facility/Location:		Rogers Iron and Metal Corporation RIMCO					
City:	Rogers	County:	Benton County	State:	AR	Direction:	W



Filename:	R0010281.JPG	Photo Date:	03/26/2026	Time:	11:37:01 am
Camera Model:	RICOH WG-6				
Photographer:	Paul Juarez		Witness Name:	Kerri McCabe	
Latitude:	36° 20' 29.22" N		Longitude:	94° 6' 46.71" W	
Description:	Outfall 002 appeared well-maintained with three (3) green metal-absorbent bags and rip-rap.				



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Photograph Log

Photo No. 3

Facility/Location:		Rogers Iron and Metal Corporation RIMCO					
City:	Rogers	County:	Benton County	State:	AR	Direction:	S



Filename:	R0010282.JPG	Photo Date:	03/26/2026	Time:	11:49:08 am
Camera Model:	RICOH WG-6				
Photographer:	Paul Juarez	Witness Name:	Kerri McCabe		
Latitude:	36° 20' 27.438" N	Longitude:	94° 6' 52.104" W		
Description:	Outfall 001. A light and absorbent boom was observed as an additional BMP. Solid waste run-on from surrounding city streets was observed at or near Outfall 001.				



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Photograph Log

Photo No. 4

Facility/Location:		Rogers Iron and Metal Corporation RIMCO					
City:	Rogers	County:	Benton County	State:	AR	Direction:	N



Filename:	R0010283.JPG	Photo Date:	03/26/2026	Time:	11:52:52 am
Camera Model:	RICOH WG-6				
Photographer:	Paul Juarez		Witness Name:	Kerri McCabe	
Latitude:	36° 20' 27.372" N		Longitude:	94° 6' 51.786" W	
Description:	Fugitive solid waste observed in proximity to Outfall 001.				



UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

Photograph Log

Photo No. 5

Facility/Location:		Rogers Iron and Metal Corporation RIMCO					
City:	Rogers	County:	Benton County	State:	AR	Direction:	



Filename:	RIMCOaerial3262026.jpg	Photo Date:	03/26/2026	Time:	10:53:21 am
Camera Model:	RICOH WG-6				
Photographer:	Google	Witness Name:	N/A		
Latitude:	N/A	Longitude:	N/A		
Description:	Aerial map of Rogers Iron and Metal Corporation.				