NOTICE OF DETERMINATION OF ELIGIBILITY FOR CATEGORICAL EXCLUSION

Village of Morrisville, Vermont Sewer System Rehabilitation

In accordance with Section VII of the Department's Environmental Review Procedures for Projects Funded Through the Vermont/EPA Revolving Loan Program, the Village of Morrisville, Vermont, has requested that its proposed sewer system rehabilitation project be evaluated for eligibility for a Categorical Exclusion from the detailed environmental review that is described in the Procedures and required for projects with significant environmental impact. The proposed rehabilitation includes the replacement of approximately 2,000 linear feet of existing 8" diameter vitrified clay gravity sewer with 8" PVC SDR 35 gravity sewer.

Our consideration of the Village's request for Categorical Exclusion included a detailed review of the following documents:

Facilities Plan titled "Village of Morrisville Sewer System Rehabilitation, General Concept Plan/Basis of Design" and dated April 2009, by Forcier Aldrich& Associates.

Upon completion of its independent evaluation, the Department has determined that the project meets the criteria for receiving a Categorical Exclusion. Specifically, the project involves minor rehabilitation of existing facilities and functional replacement of the existing pumping facility, and therefore does not affect the degree of treatment or capacity of the existing wastewater treatment facility.

Further information on the project and this Determination is available for inspection at the following locations:

Village of Morrisville, Water & Light Dept., 857 Elmore Street, Morrisville, Vermont 05661 Forcier Aldrich& Associates, 6 Market Place, Suite 2, Essex Jct., Vermont 05452 Vermont Department of Environmental Conservation, Facilities Engineering Division, Laundry Building, 103 South Main Street, Waterbury, Vermont 05671-0511 Telephone: (802) 241-3750

No significant administrative action will be taken on this project for thirty (30) days from issuance of this Notice of Determination, to allow for public response.

Larry R. Fitch, P.E., Director Facilities Engineering Division

Athil 10, 2009