

NOTICE OF DETERMINATION OF ELIGIBILITY FOR CATEGORICAL EXCLUSION

Town of Castleton, Vermont
South Street Drainage and Paving Improvements
AR1-012

In accordance with Section VII of the Department's Environmental Review Procedures for Projects Funded Through the Vermont/EPA Revolving Loan Program, the Town of Castleton, Vermont, has requested that its proposed drainage system replacement and road paving on South Street 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 project includes the replacement of approximately 1,000 linear feet of storm drainage on South Street and road paving.

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

Facilities Plan titled "*South Street Storm Sewer Improvement Alternatives Seminary Lane of Main Street, Castleton, Vermont*" and dated December 2008, by SVE Associates, Inc. of Rutland, Vermont

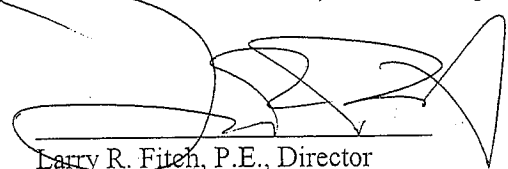
Environmental Information Document titled "*Town of Castleton, Vermont - South Street Drainage and Paving Improvements*" and dated May 18, 2009, by SVE Associates, Inc. of Rutland, Vermont.

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 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:

Town of Castleton, 556 Main Street, Castleton, Vermont 05735
SVE Associates, 69 Grove Street, Rutland, Vermont 05701
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

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