

State of Vermont
Agency of Natural Resources
Department of Environmental Conservation
Notice of Determination of Eligibility for Categorical Exclusion

Milton Water System, WSID #5079
Milton, VT
Water System Improvements
DWSRF Loan WPL-290

In accordance with Section VII of the Department's Environmental Review Procedures for projects funded through the Drinking Water State Revolving Fund (DWSRF) Program, the Milton Water System, located in the Town of Milton, VT has requested its proposed water improvement project be evaluated for eligibility for a categorical exclusion exempting the project from detailed environmental procedures required for projects having a significant environmental impact.

The project consists of replacing the waterline on Lake Rd to connect with the 12" diameter main on Route 7 to the 12" diameter main on Manley Road. The current system supplies this area of Manley Road through 4" diameter waterlines on Lake Road, Sally Way, Elmer Place, and June Way. This creates a bottleneck at this end of the water system and consequently limits the available fire flow to the point that the Town should bag all hydrants in this area.

Our consideration of the Town of Milton's request included reviewing environmental information and documentation completed and submitted by their engineering consultant, Aldrich + Elliott, PC. At the completion of this independent evaluation, the Department has determined the project meets the criteria for receiving a Categorical Exclusion. The project will correct water system deficiencies and does not meet any of the criteria resulting in denial of an Exclusion.

Further information on the project and this determination are available for inspection by contacting the DWSRF Program at (802) 585-4904. In addition to the applicant, a copy of this determination will be sent to a list of stakeholders and posted on the Water Infrastructure Financing Program's [Environmental Review Determination Notice](#) page.

Agency of Natural Resources
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Emily Boedecker, Commissioner

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Eric Blatt, P.E., Director
Facilities Engineering Division

Dated in Montpelier, Vermont this 28th day of January, 2019