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

Town of Proctor, WSID #5228 Proctor, VT Water System Improvements DWSRF Loan RF3-363-3.0

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 Town of Proctor, located in Proctor, 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.

Contract 8B is to abandon the old transmission main from the abandoned surface water treatment plant.

Our consideration of the Town of Proctor's request included reviewing environmental information and documentation completed and submitted by their engineering consultant, DuBois & King. 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 <u>Environmental Review Determination</u> <u>Notice</u> page.

Agency of Natural Resources Department of Environmental Conservation Peter Walke, Commissioner

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