

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

**Round Top Water System, WSID #5462**  
Plymouth, VT  
Water System Improvements  
DWSRF Loan RF3-\*\*\*

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 Round Top Water System, located in Plymouth, 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.

Replacement of the open-air finished water storage with four (4) 5,000-gallons storage tanks; Replacement of the sodium hypochlorite disinfection system; Installation of new control panel with telemetry and enhanced alarm notification; Installation of new booster pump system. All work will occur within the Round Top facility owned land. No increase in capacity is projected.

Our consideration of Round Top's request included reviewing environmental information and documentation completed and submitted by their engineering consultant, Weston and Sampson. The evaluation also included consultation with Agency departments such as the Drinking Water and Groundwater Protection Division. 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. Should the proposed work be altered to expand beyond the current scope of work and/or Area of Environmental Effect, further review will be required.

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.

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