Categorical Exclusion

North Carolina Division of Water Infrastructure

Project Applicant:

Town of Andrews

Date:

March 23, 2016

Project Number:

CS370537-03

Estimated Project Cost:

\$1,429,752

Estimated Funding Amount: \$1,407,600

Project Description: Installation of new mechanical bar screen in existing channel; rehabilitation of the existing North trickling filter by replacing media and rehabilitation of distributor rotating mechanism; rehabilitation of the South trickling filter rotating mechanism; repair South secondary clarifier (scraper mechanism, clarifier drive); installation of a chlorination/dechlorination integrated automatic feed controller system; installation of a new chlorine residual analyzer; and replacement of aerobic digester aeration system consisting of blowers, air piping and diffusers.

The above named applicant will receive funding assistance from the State Revolving Fund program to construct the wastewater facilities described above. The North Carolina Division of Water Infrastructure (Division) has conducted a review of the project in accordance with the NCGS §159G-38. The Division has determined that this project is below the minor construction activities threshold outlined in 15A NCAC 01C .0408; therefore, the project is exempt from inter-agency review, and the preparation of additional environmental documents is not required.

This determination shall become effective upon its distribution by the Division and will be available on the Division's website (http://portal.ncdenr.org/web/wi/environmental-documents). This determination can be revoked at any time adverse information is made available. The documentation to support this decision will be on file with the North Carolina Department of Environmental Quality, Division of Water Infrastructure, and is available for public scrutiny upon request.

Comments concerning this decision may be addressed to Ms. Jennifer Haynie, Environment and Special Projects Unit, Division of Water Infrastructure, 1633 Mail Service Center, Raleigh, North Carolina 27699, or she can be reached by phone at (919) 707-9173.

Sincerely,

Seth Robertson, P.E., Chief

State Revolving Fund Section

Division of Water Infrastructure