Categorical Exclusion

North Carolina Division of Water Infrastructure

Project Applicant:Town of Siler CityDate:December 16, 2022Project Name:Water Pressure Project in Homewood Acres NeighborhoodProject Number:WIF-2033Estimated Project Cost:\$842,882Estimated Funding Amount:\$826,355

Project Description: Upgrade of the existing water distribution system in the Homewood Acres neighborhood by installation of a new booster pump station and additional water mains. The proposed booster pump station is to be installed entirely within the perimeter of an existing water tank property and the proposed additional water mains within existing right-of-way and utility easements. A map of the project is attached.

The above-named applicant will receive funding assistance from the State Revolving Fund. 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 this project is below the minor construction activities threshold outlined in the 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 (<u>https://deq.nc.gov/about/divisions/water-infrastructure/division-water-infrastructure/environmental-documents</u>). 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 Jon Risgaard, Section Chief, State Revolving Fund Section, Division of Water Infrastructure, 1633 Mail Service Center, Raleigh, North Carolina 27699. Mr. Risgaard can be reached by phone at (919) 707-9175.

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Attachment: Project Map