



North Carolina Department of Environment and Natural Resources

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September 10, 2015

The Honorable Rusty Hunter, IV, Mayor  
Town of Boonville  
P.O. Box 326  
Boonville, North Carolina 27011

SUBJECT: Engineering Report Funding Approval  
Town of Boonville  
WWTP Improvements  
Project No.: CS370539-02

Dear Mayor Hunter:

The Division of Water Infrastructure (Division) has completed its review of the subject engineering report. Based upon this review, the Division has determined that the referenced project is eligible for funding as follows:

Eligible

The WWTP Improvements consist of: installation of a new mechanical bar screen, replacement of aeration blowers, refurbishing two (2) 50,000 gallon aeration tanks and replacement of associated electrical and instrumentation equipment.

Based upon detailed review of the bid documents, it may be determined that portions of the project are not eligible for funding and the total loan amount may be reduced.

In accordance with G.S. 120-157.1 through 157.9, enacted on June 24, 2011, local government units with projects that require debt to be issued greater than \$1,000,000 must submit a letter to Committee Chairs, Committee Assistant, and the Fiscal Research Division of the General Assembly at least 45 days prior to presentation before the Local Government Commission. You are responsible for submitting this letter and providing a copy to the Division.

Please note that the milestones below must be met to maintain assurance of funding under the State Revolving Fund.

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Bid and Design Package Submittal:	April 1, 2016
Bid and Design Package Approval:	August 1, 2016
Advertise Project, Receive Bids, Submit Bid Information, <u>and</u> Receive Authority to Award:	December 1, 2016
Execute Construction Contract(s):	January 3, 2017

If you have any questions concerning this matter, please contact Antonio Evans of our staff by email at [tony.evans@ncdenr.gov](mailto:tony.evans@ncdenr.gov) or at (919) 707-9168.

Sincerely,



Seth Robertson, P.E., Chief  
State Revolving Fund Section

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Attachment

cc: William Dixon, Municipal Engineering Services Company (Garner)  
Mark Hubbard, P.E. via email  
Susan Kubacki via email  
Antonio V. Evans, P.E.  
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## Categorical Exclusion

### North Carolina Division of Water Infrastructure

Project Applicant: Town of Boonville  
Date: September 10, 2015  
Project Number: CS370539-02  
Estimated Project Cost: \$376,411  
Estimated Funding Amount: \$369,030

**Project Description:** The proposed project includes improvements at the Town's existing Wastewater Treatment Plant to address aging equipment that is in poor repair. Proposed improvements include the following: installation of a new mechanical bar screen, replacement of aeration blowers, refurbishing two (2) 50,000 gallon aeration tanks and replacement of associated electrical and instrumentation equipment.

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 procedures (NCAC 15A Subchapter 1C) for conformance with the North Carolina Environmental Policy Act. 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/fonsi-dmca-ce>). 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 Environment and Natural Resources, 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

