



North Carolina Department of Environment and Natural Resources

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January 27, 2015

Mr. Rick J. Hester, County Manager
Johnston County
PO Box 1049
Smithfield, NC 27577

SUBJECT: Engineering Report Approval
Johnston County
2014 Sewer Rehabilitation Project
Project No.: CS370560-13

Dear Mr. Hester:

The Division of Water Infrastructure has completed its review of the subject engineering report for 2014 Sewer Rehabilitation Project. The proposed project includes the sewer rehabilitation of existing gravity sewer with CIPP consisting of: approximately 4,050 linear feet of 24-inch (Buffalo Road Sewer Interceptor), approximately 2,060 linear feet of 8-inch and approximately 4,300 linear feet of 10-inch (Holt Lake Sewer Interceptor), and approximately 1,790 linear feet of 12-inch (Brightleaf Boulevard Sewer Interceptor), and rehabilitation of associated manholes and several point repairs.

The subject engineering report 2014 Sewer Rehabilitation Project is hereby approved.

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 that must go before the Local Government Commission 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. Additionally, a copy should be submitted to Mark Hubbard of the Project Management Branch upon receipt of this approval letter.

Please note that the milestones below must be met to maintain assurance of funding under the Clean Water State Revolving Fund (CWSRF). In the event that any of these milestones are not met, you must reapply under the new, competitive priority system if you wish to seek CWSRF funding for this project. We will be accepting applications twice per year, and projects will be funded based on priority and availability of funds.

Bid and Design Package must be submitted by:	September 1, 2015
Bid and Design Package must be completed by:	January 4, 2016
Division of Water Infrastructure's Authority to Award must be issued by:	May 2, 2016
Construction contract(s) must be executed by:	June 1, 2016

If you have any questions concerning this matter, please contact Adrian Eaton of our staff at (919) 715-9178.

Sincerely,



Kim H. Colson, P.E., Director
Division of Water Infrastructure, NCDENR

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cc: Ms. Kimberly C. Rineer, PE, Johnston County Public Utilities
Susan C. Kubacki
Adrian Eaton
SRF File

Categorical Exclusion

North Carolina Division of Water Infrastructure

Project Applicant: Johnston County
Date: January 27, 2015
Project Number: CS370560-13
Estimated Project Cost: \$1,224,000
Estimated Funding Amount: \$1,200,000

Project Description: The proposed project includes the sewer rehabilitation of existing gravity sewer with CIPP consisting of: approximately 4,050 linear feet of 24-inch (Buffalo Road Sewer Interceptor), approximately 2,060 linear feet of 8-inch and approximately 4,300 linear feet of 10-inch (Holt Lake Sewer Interceptor), and approximately 1,790 linear feet of 12-inch (Brightleaf Boulevard Sewer Interceptor), and rehabilitation of associated manholes and several point repairs.

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 (DWI) 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 DWI 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 DWI and will be available on the DWI'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,



KAC Kim H. Colson, P.E., Director
Division of Water Infrastructure