



October 16, 2023

Tim Burton, Interim City Manager  
City of Helena, Montana  
316 North Park Avenue  
Helena, MT 59623

RE: Categorical Exclusion Amendment – City of Helena, Montana  
Helena CIPP Sewer Rehabilitation Project (No C302250)

Dear Mr. Burton:

An environmental review of the above referenced project was completed by the Water Pollution Control SRF Program on January 17, 2023. The original public notice of categorical exclusion was published on March 12<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup>, 2023. The city submitted an update to the project that included an additional 965 linear feet of cast-in-place-pipe rehabilitation of sewer main in two additional areas of the city. The SRF Program performed an environmental review of the additional proposed work. Based on this review, it has been determined that the additional proposed work is consistent with the original determination and is also eligible for a categorical exclusion from further environmental review. A copy of the Notice of Publication of Categorical Exclusion for this project is enclosed. Please print the notice in at least one publication of your local newspaper, under legal advertising, and return a copy of the proof of advertisement to this office. The enclosed map does not need to be published. Please have the Notice, project vicinity map, engineering design report, and environmental agency letters available for public review at your office. We have distributed the notice to the enclosed list of agencies. Please call if you have any questions regarding this process or the project in general.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Steve Lipetzky".

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Encl

cc (via email): Jamie Clark, City of Helena, MT  
Anna Miller, DNRC (w/o notice)