U.S. Department of Energy
Categorical Exclusion Determination Form

Program or Field Office: EERE-RW/EECBG

Project Title: Lighting Fixture Replacement

Location: Nevada Lyon County

Proposed Action or Project Description: American Recovery and Reinvestment Act: ☒

Once funding is obtained to replace the old lighting fixtures, a bid for service would announced (60 days).
Once bid is accepted, a contract would be awarded (30-60 days).
Contractual work no more than 120 days.

Lyon County proposes to replace old lighting fixtures with energy efficient lighting fixtures and if enough money became available room sensors as well.

Because the $165,000 will not cover every existing outdated light fixture, our plan will be to start the replacement of light fixtures for those buildings that are most used by the public, such as our five (5) public libraries, community centers, and senior centers.

Lyon County, Nevada was provided (at no cost) a Feasibility Energy Analysis by Chevron Energy. Within this document the following items were

Categorical Exclusion(s) Applied:

X - B2.2 Installation of/improvements to building/equipment instrumentation (remote controls, emergency warning systems, monitors)

X - B2.5 Safety and environmental improvements of a facility, replacement/upgrade of facility components

X - B5.1 Actions to conserve energy

*-For the complete DOE National Environmental Policy Act regulations regarding categorical exclusions, see Subpart D of 10 CFR10 21 Click Here

This action would not: threaten a violation of applicable statutory, regulatory, or permit requirements for environment, safety, and health, including DOE and/or Executive Orders; require siting, construction, or major expansion of waste storage, disposal, recovery, or treatment facilities, but may include such categorically excluded facilities; disturb hazardous substances, pollutants, contaminants, or CERCLA-excluded petroleum and natural gas products that pre-exist in the environment such that there would be uncontrolled or unpermitted releases; or adversely affect environmentally sensitive resources (including but not limited to those listed in paragraph B.(4)) of Appendix B to Subpart D of 10 CFR 1021). Furthermore, there are no extraordinary circumstances related to this action that may affect the significance of the environmental effects of the action; this action is not "connected" to other actions with potentially significant impacts, is not related to other proposed actions with cumulatively significant impacts, and is not precluded by 40 CFR 1506.1 or 10 CFR 1021.211.

Based on my review of information conveyed to me and in my possession (or attached) concerning the proposed action, as NEPA Compliance Officer (as authorized under DOE Order 451.1B), I have determined that the proposed action fits within the specified class(es) of action, the other regulatory requirements set forth above are met, and the proposed action is hereby categorically excluded from further NEPA review.

NEPA Compliance Officer: Othalene J. Lawrence Date Determined: Aug 5, 2010

Comments: Webmaster: Lawrence Wiggins Digitally signed by Lawrence Wiggins DN: cn=Lawrence Wiggins, o=EES, ou, email=Lawrence.Wiggins@hq.doe.gov, c=US Date: 2010.08.10 11:28:36 -04'00'

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