



U.S. Department of Energy Categorical Exclusion Determination Form



Program or Field Office: Energy Efficiency and Conservation Block Grant Program

Project Title MI-City-Livonia

Location: City Livonia MI

Proposed Action or Project Description:

American Recovery and Reinvestment Act:

1) Technical consultant to develop energy efficiency and conservation plan, 2) hire consultant to manage the energy efficiency and conservation block grant process, 3) energy audit of city buildings, 4) revolving loan fund for energy efficient upgrades to commercial buildings, 5) exterior lighting retrofits in city buildings, 6) energy efficient retrofits to city buildings including heating, ventilating, and air conditioning (HVAC) replacements and weatherizing City Hall (1979), 7) replacing HVAC system and upgrading roof at the Lavonia Housing-South Building (built 1953) and interior and exterior lighting retrofits at various identified city facilities.

Conditions: Applicant must comply with Programmatic Agreement stipulations for buildings >50 years of age

Categorical Exclusion(s) Applied: A1, A9, A11, B1.32, B2.5, B5.1

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

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.

ORO NEPA Compliance Officer

Gary S. Hartman

Date Determined:

11/22/2011

Comments:

Webmaster: