

NOTICE OF PUBLICATION OF CATEGORICAL EXCLUSION  
CITY OF GREAT FALLS, MONTANA  
SRF #: C301234-01

COATING IMPROVEMENTS AT GREAT FALLS WASTEWATER TREATMENT PLANT  
AND LIFT STATION #15

June 9, 2009

The Montana Department of Environmental Quality has reviewed the above named project. The project consist of sandblasting and recoating the primary clarifier walkways, the secondary clarifier equipment, the gravity thickener equipment at the Great Falls Wastewater Treatment Plant and the wetwell located at lift station #15.

Pursuant to ARM 17.40.318, the Department has concluded that the proposed project meets the Categorical Exclusion criteria of the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) and the Montana Environmental Policy Act (MEPA).

The documentation for the Categorical Exclusion is available for public review at the following locations:

Department of Environmental Quality  
Works  
State Revolving Fund Loan Program  
1520 East Sixth Avenue  
Helena, MT 59601

Great Falls Department of Public  
Works  
1025 25<sup>th</sup> Avenue NE  
Great Falls, MT 59403

Sincerely,

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