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NOTICE OF PUBLICATION OF CATEGORICAL EXCLUSION
CITY OF WHITE SULPHUR SPRINGS, MONTANA
2012 WATER SYTEM IMPROVEMENTS PROJECT

December 14, 2011

The Montana Department of Environmental Quality has reviewed the above named project. The project consists of replacing the existing 450,000 gallon concrete water storage tank with a new 540,000-gallon concrete water storage tank, construction of a new disinfection building adjacent to the new tank, upgrading disinfection equipment at the existing city shop pumphouse and the replacement of approximately 900 feet of 10-inch PVC water main. The project includes the installation of one new fire hydrant and all associated service connections, curb stops, valves, appurtenances, telemetry and controls. The project also includes the resurfacing or reclamation of all disturbed areas.

The proposed 540,000-gallon concrete water storage tank and new disinfection building will be located proximal to the existing water storage tanks on leased property maintained by the city. The new tank and disinfection building will be located approximately two miles east of the city along Castle Mountain Estates Road. The proposed water main installation work will occur along Main Street from 3rd Avenue to Central Avenue.

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 Categorical Exclusion may be revoked if the project is not initiated within the time period specified in the planning documents, a new or modified application is submitted, new evidence demonstrates serious local or environmental issues exist, or state, local, tribal, or federal laws are violated.

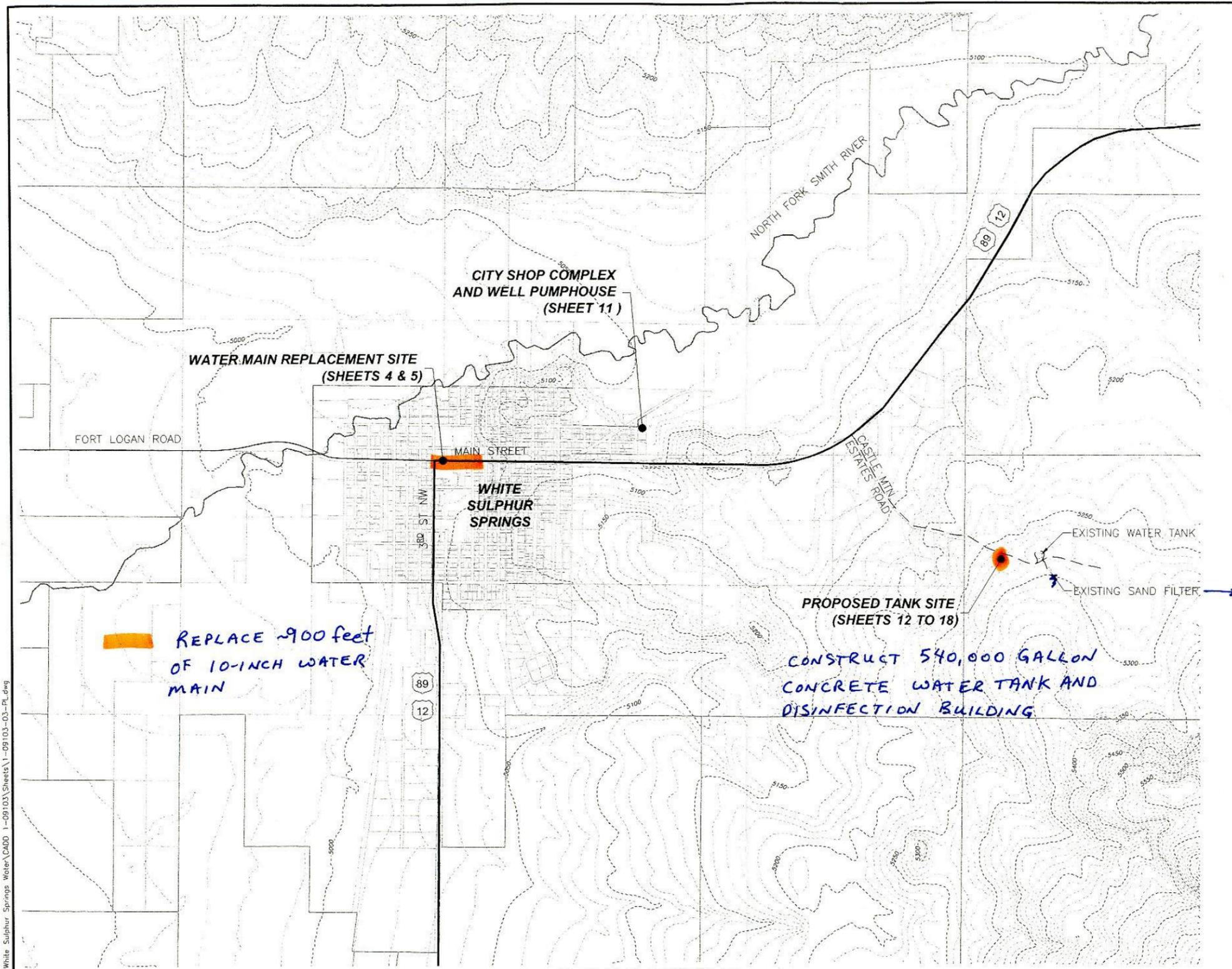
The documentation for the Categorical Exclusion is available for public review at the following locations:

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

City of White Sulphur Springs
105 West Hampton
White Sulphur Springs, MT 59036

Sincerely,

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PLAN VIEW OF PROJECT SITES
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 SCALE IN FEET

NOTE:
 1. TOPOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION:
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NO.	REVISION DESCRIPTION	BY	DATE

PROJECT: 1-09103
DESIGNED: RDF
DRAWN: CAG
CHECKED: JSP
APPROVED: RDF
DATE: JULY 26, 2011



**WHITE SULPHUR SPRINGS 2012
 WATER SYSTEM IMPROVEMENTS
 OVERALL SITE MAP**

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