Administrative

Ministerial

Investigative

Maintenance

Socio-Economic

Statutory exemption

**Start:**

or

Except

Based on programmatic review or agency rulemaking the proposed action is determined to be a categorical exclusion

\*Impacts beyond Montana’s borders may be considered if the environmental review is being conducted by DFWP for the management of fish and wildlife, or the review of those impacts is required by law, rule, regulation, or a federal agency.

Draft EIS

Agency decision on the proposed action

**Finish**

Yes

Yes

Some level of environmental review is required

Will the impact(s) be significant?

Yes

Prepare an EA

Are the impacts significant?

Maybe

No

Prepare an EA or some other form of environmental review using a systematic interdisciplinary approach

No

Except

Except emergency actions (within 30 days of the action, the agency must document the need for, and impact of, the emergency action)

No environ-

mental review required

No

Any impact on human environment in Montana\*?

Proposed State Action