U.S. Department of Energy
Categorical Exclusion Determination Form

Program or Field Office: EECBG-EERE/RW

Project Title: City of Grand Junction, Colorado EECBG Strategy

Location: Colorado City of Grand Junction

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

Retrofit a number of energy efficiency measures to existing City facilities, including lighting, controls, programmable thermostats, envelop sealing and high efficiency equipment. The retrofits will include an office building and a parking garage. The retrofits will be in addition to the $2 million Performance Contract work the City is already doing. Total estimated cost for the retrofits is $39,800. The remaining $80,000 will be used toward the installation of a slow-fill CNG fueling station at the City Municipal Services Campus for the fueling of fleet vehicles. The is the first phase of the City's CNG Project and the fueling station will be located within the Municipal Services Campus in an area that is already used for vehicle storage.

Categorical Exclusion(s) Applied:

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 Lawrence Digitally signed by Othalene Lawrence DN: cn=Othalene Lawrence, o=OIBMS, ou=EERE, email=Othalene.Lawrence@ee.doe.gov, c=US Date: 2010.04.21 02:01:40 -04'00' Date Determined: Apr 20, 2010

Comments: Webmaster: Billie Newland Digitally signed by Billie Newland DN: cn=Billie Newland, o=U.S. Department of Energy, ou=EERE, email=Billie.Newland@hq.doe.gov, c=US Date: 2010.04.21 10:48:09 -04'00'

This NEPA CX determination is for the complete funding needed to proceed with the slow-fill fueling station.

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