



U.S. Department of Energy Categorical Exclusion Determination Form



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

Project Title IA-City-Davenport

Location: City Davenport IA

Proposed Action or Project Description

American Recovery and Reinvestment Act:

1) Conduct residential and commercial buildings energy audits; 2) energy efficiency retrofits to the COL Ballroom (replace windows) and Capital Theatre (replace HVAC unit); 3) energy efficiency retrofits to River Center and Adler Theater (installation of motors and variable speed drives on HVAC system and replace lighting and lighting controls); 4) energy efficiency retrofits to replace lighting fixtures at fire stations; 5) energy efficiency retrofits at the Putnam Complex which includes replacing 75-ton chillers with a high-efficiency chillers, replacing compressor in 80-ton chiller, installing ceiling fans in IMAX lobby, and installing variable speed drives on the supply and return fans; 6) energy efficiency retrofits at parking garages (lighting upgrades); 7) installation of LED parking lot lighting and 51-ton closed-loop geothermal system at the new Davenport Public Library (6000 Eastern Avenue, Davenport, Iowa).

Conditions: None

Categorical Exclusion(s) Applied: A9, 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: 2/10/2011

Comments:

Webmaster: