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Honorable Town Board
Town of West Seneca

Re: 2014 Sanitary Sewer Project
SEQRA Review and Determination

Honorable Board Members,

We have reviewed the State Environmental Quality Review (SEQR) for the scope of sanitary sewer work expected to be completed in 2014.

We believe this work shall be considered as a Type II Action according to the criteria set forth in 6NYCRR Part 617.5 (c)(1, 2 and 11). Type II Actions are actions which have been determined to not have a significant effect on the environment and do not require Environmental Impact Statements or any other determination of procedure under the provisions of SEQR.

Type II actions are exempt and not subject to review. Therefore, no further action is required for the project pertaining to the SEQR.

However, it would be advisable for the Board to recognize, in a formal resolution, that the work is considered a Type II Action under SEQR. We have attached a suggested resolution for your use.

Very truly yours,

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Town Engineer

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SUGGESTED RESOLUTION

TOWN OF WEST SENECA
SEQRA DETERMINATION FOR
2014 SANITARY SEWER IMPROVEMENTS

WHEREAS, the Town of West Seneca Town Board (the "Board") has considered the impact to the environment of following Scope of Work to be completed on the Town Sewer System in the Town of West Seneca;

1. **Cazenovia Creek Sewer Trunk Line and Siphon Installation**
   - Work includes, but not limited to replacement and installation of approximately 7,600 linear feet of 36" and 48" of existing sewer main including the siphon under Cazenovia Creek;

2. **Sewer Trunk Line and Siphon Cleaning**
   - Work involves the flushing, cleaning, and maintenance of the existing 36" sewer trunk main between the West Seneca West High School and the connection to the Buffalo Sewer Authority;

3. **East & West Road (Leydecker Phase) Sewer Rehabilitation**
   - Project includes the replacement of approximately 3,100 linear feet of 15" sewer, relining of approximately 4,600 linear feet of 8" to 12" sewer main, and the rehabilitation of manholes;

4. **East & West Road (Houghton Phase) Sewer Rehabilitation**
   - Project includes the replacement of approximately 4,500 linear feet of sewer main, relining of approximately 3,100 linear feet of sewer main, and the rehabilitation of manholes;

5. **Phase 4 Sewer Rehabilitation**
   - Project includes the relining of approximately 76,000 linear feet of sewer main and the rehabilitation of manholes;

WHEREAS, the Board has reviewed the Scope of Work set forth above as one Proposed Action, and has further consulted with its Engineer and legal counsel with respect to the potential for environmental impacts resulting from the Proposed Action,

WHEREAS, the Board has reviewed the Proposed Action with respect to the Type II criteria set forth in 6 NYCRR. Part 617 of the Environmental Conservation Law, Article 8 ("SEQRA") and concluded that the work involves:

- Maintenance or reconstruction involving no substantial changes in an existing facility, structure or infrastructure (6 NYCRR §617.5(c)(1));
- Replacement, rehabilitation or reconstruction of infrastructure or facility, in kind, on the same site, including upgrading buildings and sewer infrastructure (6 NYCRR §617.5(c)(2));

- Extension of utility distribution facilities, including gas, electric, telephone, cable, water and sewer connections to render service in approved subdivisions (6 NYCRR §617.5(c)(11));

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board as follows:

1. The Proposed Action, individually and cumulatively, does not constitute substantial changes to the existing facilities or infrastructure and involves routine activities required for proper operation and maintenance of the Town Sewer System, and, therefore, does not exceed the thresholds for a Type II Action established under 6 N.Y.C.R.R. Part 617.

2. The Board hereby determines the Proposed Action is a Type II action in accordance with SEQRA regulations.

3. No further review of the Proposed Action is required under SEQRA.

4. This resolution shall be effective immediately.