

State Revolving Fund Loan Programs

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The Honorable Todd Barton, Mayor City of Crawfordsville 300 E. Pike Street Crawfordsville, IN 47933

> Re: Phosphorous Removal Equipment PER Addendum No. 3 SRF Project WW 16 28 54 02

Dear Mayor Barton:

The Clean Water State Revolving Fund (SRF) Loan Program is pleased to announce that Addendum No. 3 to the Preliminary Engineering Report (PER) for Crawfordsville is approved. Our review was conducted in accordance with the provisions of Indiana Code 5-1.2-3. Our Preliminary Decision of Categorical Exclusion from the requirements of substantive environmental review issued on September 6, 2022 is final.

PER Addendum No. 3 includes:

- Preparation of the existing building, including removal of the existing chemical storage and feed equipment;
- Two new double-walled chemical storage tanks with concrete pads, equipment, and controls;
- Chemical feed skid with metering pumps and tubing;
- Chemical feed piping with injection points; and
- Emergency shower with water service.

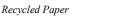
The addition of phosphorous removal equipment at the wastewater treatment plant will allow Crawfordsville to comply with the effluent phosphorous limit in their NPDES permit.

This approval is for administrative purposes only and does not relieve the community of its responsibility to properly design, build and effectively operate and maintain the proposed facilities covered by this approval.

This approval is contingent upon the issuance of all required permits including the construction permit as issued by the Indiana Department of Environmental Management.

As a reminder, the project must be completed within 24 months of loan closing, with a copy of the Certificate of Substantial Completion on file with the SRF Loan Program to avoid the 1% non-use fee on any undrawn funds.

Please note that the American Iron and Steel Requirement applies to this project. Therefore, iron and steel products specified for the project must be manufactured in the United States. Please refer to this link http://water.epa.gov/grants funding/aisrequirement.cfm, where EPA has included guidance and other American



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Iron and Steel information. If you have any questions about the American Iron and Steel Requirement, contact Indiana Finance Authority Compliance Officer, Amy Henninger, at (317) 232-6566.

The Clean Water SRF Loan Program looks forward to financing the proposed Phosphorous Removal Equipment for Crawfordsville.

Sincerely,

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