

July 15, 2009

Mrs. Clelia McCrory, ESSDACK Grants/CTE
402 S. 6th
Sterling, KS 67579

RE: Environmental Review – Street Paving Overlay Project, City of Harveyville, KS
Community Development Block Grant Application

Dear Mrs. McCrory:

The Kansas Geological Survey (KGS) has received your letter dated July 6, 2009, asking us to review the above referenced project. In general, the project involves repaving existing streets in Harveyville, Kansas.

A review of regional geologic information and project information provided by Mrs. Clelia McCrory indicates that there are no unduly adverse geologic conditions that should affect this project. Site-specific conditions should be considered prior to construction.

This letter is an assessment based on the regional geologic conditions available at the KGS and cannot be used in substitute of a detailed site characterization. Other geologic conditions, not discussed herein, or for which the KGS has no knowledge, may affect the viability of the project. It is the responsibility of the applicant to provide any necessary characterization, geotechnical or environmental testing, or design by a licensed professional geologist or engineer to complete the project.

If you have any questions please feel free to contact me at (785) 864-2099.

Sincerely,



Robert S. Sawin
Geologist

Enclosures

cc: Dan Suchy, KGS Data Resources Library

AGENCY REVIEW TRANSMITTAL FORM

RE: Harveyville CDBG-R Street Paving Overlay located at:

N ½ of the SE ¼ of Section 33, Township 14S, Range 13E; S ½ of the NW ¼ of Section 34, Township 14S, Range 13E; and SW ¼ of Section 34, Township 14S, Range 13E (city of Harveyville, KS)

Comments by: Kansas Geological Survey

Transmittal Date: July 15, 2009

This form provides notification and the opportunity for your agency to review and comments on this proposed project as required by NEPA. Review Agency, please complete Parts II and III as appropriate and return to contact person listed below. As this is a proposed **AMERICAN RECOVERY ACT** project, your prompt response will be appreciated.

RETURN TO:

Mrs. Clelia McCrory, ESSDACK Grants/CTE

402 S. 6th

Sterling, KS 67579

PART I Review Agencies/Commission

☐ Aging	☐ Education	☐ State Forester
☐ Agriculture	☒ Geological Survey, KS	☐ Transportation
☐ Biological Survey	☐ Health & Environment	☐ Water Office, KS
☐ Conservation Commission		☐ Historical Society
☐ Corporation Commission		☐ Wildlife and Parks
☐ Social & Rehabilitation		☐ Commerce
☐ Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA)		☐ US Fish & Wildlife Service
☐ US Environmental Protection Agency		☐ US Army Corps of Engineers

PART II Agency Review Comments

COMMENTS: (Attach additional sheet if necessary) Re:

PART III Recommended Action Comments

☒ Clearance of the project should be granted. The agency has a finding of No Significant Impact (FONSI)

☐ Clearance of the project should not be granted. The agency has a finding of Significant Impact

☐ Clearance of the project should be delayed until the issues or questions above have been clarified.

☐ Request a State Process Recommendation in concurrence with the above comments.

☐ Clearance of the project should not be delayed but the Applicant should (in the final application) address and clarify the question or concerns indicated above.

☐ Request the opportunity to review final application prior to submission to the federal funding agency.

DIVISIONS/AGENCY/COMMISSION

Reviewer's Name: Kathleen Lawton Date: 7/15/09

Organization: Kansas Geological Survey, 1930 Constant Avenue, Lawrence, KS 66047-3726

Harveyville, KS
July 6, 2009

Agency: Kansas Geological Survey
1930 Constant Avenue
Lawrence, KS 66047-3726

Dear Sir:

The City of Harveyville is undergoing the environmental review process as part of its CDBG-R street project. The streets in Harveyville need some improvements but the engineer has confirmed that the project will not disturb new land since the street project is a street paving overlay project. Therefore, he has classified it as a Categorically Excluded Subject To project in terms of environmental review.

The City of Harveyville is checking with your agency in order to evaluate the impact of the project located at this **legal description of the City of Harveyville (N ½ of the SE ¼ of Section 33, Township 14S, Range 13E; S ½ of the NW ¼ of Section 34, Township 14S, Range 13E; and SW ¼ of Section 34, Township 14S, Range 13E) located in Wabaunsee County** that is also marked on the accompanying engineering maps) upon the human and natural environment and then describe any actions or conditions that are needed to mitigate or minimize adverse impacts. **After reviewing our proposed project, please notify Mrs. Clelia McCrory, the city's CDBG Grant Administrator at her address below by using the accompanying form whether or not we have resolved all environmental concerns or provide project clearance** by no later than July 20th, 2009 so that we can have our environmental review done by July 24 and be "shovel ready" when Commerce intends to announce the selected CDBG-R projects. Thank you!

Sincerely,



Mrs. Clelia McCrory, ESSDACK Grants/CTE
Home Office: 402 S. 6th, Sterling, KS 67579 (cell: 620-694-9289)
Acting On behalf of the City of Harveyville (Dustin Kuntz, City Mayor)

Other documentation not scanned.
Available in open file.