



STATE OF IDAHO
DEPARTMENT OF
ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

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C.L. "Butch" Otter, Governor
Curt Fransen, Director

April 11, 2013

Honorable Mayor David Brown
City of Potlatch
P.O. Box 525
Potlatch, Idaho 83855

RE: FONSI Reaffirmation for the City of Potlatch Regional Wastewater Project (WW #1104)

Dear Mayor Brown:

The Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) is hereby reaffirming the Finding of No Significant Impact determination issued on September 2, 2011, for the City of Potlatch regional wastewater project. The reaffirmation is based on the new project scope which includes the construction of a vehicle bridge over the Potlatch River next to the wastewater treatment and reuse locations. The original project scope consisted of the purchase and construction of the reuse system.

The reaffirmation is issued following review of the following:

- February 25, 2013 (Revised April 5, 2013) *Environmental Information Documents Addendum for the City of Potlatch Regional Wastewater Treatment System*,
- An evaluation of the original and current scope of the project,
- The physical environmental conditions of the proposed project area, and
- Effects to the environment from the proposed project

This reaffirmation satisfies the DEQ environmental review requirements for DEQ wastewater loan #1104, having been issued in accordance with the Rules for Administration of Water Pollution Control loans (IDAPA 58.01.12) and the State Environmental Review Process.

A legal notice for a FONSI reaffirmation determination is required to be published one time in the newspaper of record for the referenced project. DEQ will request the FONSI reaffirmation for the referenced project be published in the *Moscow-Pullman Daily News*, on Wednesday, April 17, 2013. Administrative action may proceed following publication of the FONSI reaffirmation legal notice.

Please refer any questions regarding the proposed project to Michael Camin, DEQ Lewiston Regional Office at (208) 799-4888 or any questions regarding the FONSI reaffirmation to Ester Ceja, DEQ State Office at 208-373-0585.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Barry N. Burnell".

Barry N. Burnell
Water Quality Division Administrator

Enclosure: Legal notice

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c: MaryAnna Peavey, DEQ State Office
Tim Wendland, DEQ State Office
Michael Camin, DEQ Lewiston Regional Office
Angela Taylor, Taylor Engineering, (angela@tayloreng.com)

**LEGAL NOTICE OF A FINDING OF NO SIGNIFICANT IMPACT
REAFFIRMATION FOR THE CITY OF POTLATCH REGIONAL
WASTEWATER PROJECT
POTLATCH, IDAHO**

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Copies of the information upon which the FONSI reaffirmation is based are available on the DEQ web site at <http://www.deq.idaho.gov/water-quality/grants-loans/environmental-assessment.aspx> or at:

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Moscow-Pullman Daily News
legals@dnews.com

RE: Legal Notice Publication: Notification of a Finding of No Significant Impact Reaffirmation for the City of Potlatch Regional Wastewater Project

Dear Moscow-Pullman Daily News:

The Idaho Department of Environmental Quality requests the enclosed legal notice be published in your newspaper. This request is to satisfy the state rule requirement that the notice of an environmental determination be given in advance of the intended action. To comply with the aforementioned legal requirements and the dates contained in the legal notice, we hereby request the legal notice be published one time, on one day, on Wednesday, April 17, 2013.

Please compress the legal notice by eliminating any unnecessary lines and spaces. A formatted legal notice is attached for your convenience. If you are unable to publish on the requested date, please call for further instructions.

Following publication, please send: one (1) affidavit; one (1) proof of publication; and the billing invoice to:

Dawn Shepherd
Department of Environmental Quality
1410 North Hilton
Boise, Idaho 83706

Failure to send the billing invoice to the address and contact person identified above could result in a delay in the processing of your invoice.

Thank you for your cooperation in this matter. Please call Ester Ceja at 208-373-0585 if you have any questions.

MaryAnna Peavey, DEQ Loan Program Coordinator

Enclosure: Formatted Legal Notice