

**Public Notice:
ARPA - CLFRF
Categorical Exclusion (CATEX) for Gordon ARP-CLFRF #2103 Chlorine Pump
Replacement**

CATEGORICAL EXCLUSION DETERMINATION For Gordon ARP-CLFRF #2103 Chlorine Pump Replacement, Gordon, Palo Pinto County, Texas

The City of Gordon has conducted a review of the proposed chlorine pump purchase and replacement in accordance with local, state and federal laws and authorities. The city has determined that this project is eligible for a categorical exclusion and exempting the project from further environmental review requirements. Neither an Environmental Assessment/Finding of No Significant Impact nor an Environmental Impact Statement will be required for the proposed action. The following is a brief description of the project and a brief statement of how the action meets the criteria for a categorical exclusion.

The City will replace the existing chlorine pump at the water treatment plant. The approximate coordinates of the water treatment plant are: 32.541516°,-98.381533°.

The total project cost is approximately \$14,000. The proposed funding for the project consists of the American Rescue Plan Act -Funds – Coronavirus Local Fiscal Recovery Funds (ARPA). ARPA funds will only be used to purchase the equipment and the City will install the pumps with City staff.

The project is considered Categorically Excluded because as it will not adversely impact the environment and does not conflict with any federal, state, local government or federally-recognized Indian Tribe environmental resource-protection, or land-use laws or regulation. Further, the project is compatible with existing land use as it involves replacing an existing chlorine pump at the City's water treatment plant. The project will not affect population growth patterns as it will not increase the capacity of the water plant. This project will be completely constructed in previously disturbed ground, specifically at the water treatment plant.

Documentation to support this decision will be on file in at City Hall at 105 S Main St, Gordon Tx 76453 and is available for public review upon request. Comments may be submitted to Teresa Johnson, City Secretary, cityofgordon@yahoo.com. It is now the city's intention to utilize funds for construction.

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