CATEGORICAL EXCLUSION CHECK LIST

FOR 23 CFR 771.117(c) ACTIONS

Wisconsin Department of Transportation Revised July 2015

WisDOT Design and Construction IDs Design ID: 5496-00-04	Federal Project IDs (if available)			Legal Description (Township, Range, Section) Sections 31 and 32, T8N, R6W and		County Crawford	
Construction ID: 5496-00-74	10/1			Section 36, T8N, R7W, Town of			
				Eastman			
Project Name				Project Termini/ Location			
STH 35 – STH 27				STH 35 – Teter Lane			
Name of Route or Facility to be Improved		Facility Classification		Improvement Type			
CTH N		Major Collector			Reconstruction		
Estimated Project Cost in Year of Expenditure \$ (include R/W Cost)				Funding Source(s) (check all that apply)			
\$3,861,000 w/ 15% E&C (Includes \$134,000 for R/W Co				State	K Federal	🔀 Local	
using local funds; 2019 Year of Expenditure Dollars)				and the second se			
23 CFR 771.117(c) Project Type Number and Text							
23(i) Federally-funded projects that receive less than \$5,179,656.40 of Federal Funds							
Section 4(f) Section 4(f) De Minimis Bikeway/ Walkway Minor F			r Park/ F	Rec Minor Historic	Historic Bridge	Net Benefit	Exception
Right of Way Acquisition							
16.80 Total Acres 16.20 Fee Simple Acres 0.00 Pe			manent	Easement Acres	0.60 Temporary Easement Acres		
Number of Buildings Acquired							
None Vacant Buildings 1 Occupied Buildings							
				Preparation Date	Environmental Process Start Date		
Ellery Schaffer, P.E. / Jewell Associates Engineers, Inc.				/2018 10/4/2013			

WisDOT Region Environmental Coordinator or Local Program Management Consultant

I certify that I meet the requirements for staff who review and recommend approval of Categorical Exclusion (CE) actions, specified in the FHWA – WisDOT CE Agreement. I further certify that I have reviewed this document, and agree with the determination that the proposed project and resultant impacts meet the definition of a CE as described in 23 CFR 771.117(a) & (b), and will not result in significant environmental impacts. I recommend this CE for approval.

(Signature)

Bill Biesmann, P.E. - SW Region LPMC

(Print Name) (Date)

WisDOT Region, Central Office, or Local Program Project Manager

I certify that I am familiar with this proposed project and its impacts and that the information contained in this document is accurate and can be relied upon for documentation decisions. I further certify that the mitigation measures and commitments proposed herein will be incorporated into the project plans and contract documents. I approve this CE.

(Signature)

John Bainter, P.E. - SW Region LPPM

(Print Name) (Date

A determination that this project satisfies the criteria for an FHWA (c)-listed Categorical Exclusion (CE) does not relieve the applicant of the requirement to comply with other laws and regulations including, but not limited to, Section 404 of the Clean Water Act, Section 7 of the Endangered Species Act, Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act, and Section 4(f) of the US Department of Transportation Act. Coordination to comply with these other laws may require FHWA involvement. Furthermore, designation of this project as a (c)-listed CE does not relieve the requirement for WisDOT to coordinate with WDNR under the Cooperative Agreement. Any correspondence or documentation used to comply with Federal, State, or Local laws or regulations should be maintained in the project file and provided with this checklist upon request.