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To: Connecticut Council on Environmental Quality, Environmental Monitor
Through: Patrick F. Bowe, Director, DEEP, Remediation Division *PB 8 JAN 18*
From: Shannon Pociu, Environmental Analyst 3, DEEP, Remediation Division
CC: Linda Brunza, Environmental Analyst 2, DEEP, Environmental Review
Lizz Milardo, First Selectwoman, Town of Haddam
Lori Mathieu, DPH, Water Supply Section
Date: 1/5/2018
Re: Tylerville Water Main Extension, Haddam and Chester
CEPA Findings

Attached please find the Environmental Assessment Summary for the above-referenced project. Scoping for the project began on June 6, 2017 and ended on July 10, 2017.

The Department of Energy and Environmental Protection (DEEP) received 14 verbal comments at the public hearing held on June 21, 2017 and 8 written comments during the combined scoping/public notice period. The comments and responses are appended.

Included in the written comments are those submitted to DEEP by the Office of Policy and Management (OPM), dated July 10, 2017. To address OPM's concerns, the final engineering report for the project recommended installation of an 8" diameter water main, the minimum water main size capable of serving the affected area, and designation of a transmission main along Route 154 between Denlar Drive in Chester and the proposed water supply area in Tylerville. Only properties with a public health need identified by local or state health or environmental officials will be permitted to connect to the transmission main in this area. Based on the comments received, it is recommended that an Environmental Impact Evaluation is not warranted for this project.

Attachments: Environmental Assessment Checklist
Appendix I, Tylerville Public Hearing Comments and Correspondence and Responses, from "Tylerville Center Water Supply Alternatives Evaluation – Final," dated October 2017.