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To: Connecticut Council on Environmental Quality, Environmental Monitor

From: Denise Ruzicka, Director, DEEP, Planning & Standards Division

CC: Dave Fox, Environmental Analyst 3, DEEP

Fred Hurley, Town of Newtown, Director of Public Works

Kurt Mailman, P.E., Fuss and O'Neill, Inc.

Date: 3/24/2015

Re: Town of Newtown. Hawleyville Low Pressure Sewer Extension.

Attached please find the Environmental Assessment Summary for the above referenced project. Scoping for the project began on February 3, 2015 and ended on March 6, 2015.

The Department of Energy and Environmental Protection (DEEP) received comments from Department of Public Health (Source Water Protection Unit and Private Well Program) on March 2, 2015. DEEP included a condition in the STEAP funding agreement requiring Newtown to incorporate design and construction measures aimed at meeting DPH requirements. Based on DEEP's environmental assessment and the comments received, it is recommended that an Environmental Impact Evaluation (EIE) is not warranted for this project and that a post-scoping notice to that effect be prepared. Should you have any questions, please contact Carlos Esguerra of my staff at 860-424-3756 or at carlos.esguerra@ct.gov.