

NOTICE OF FINDING OF NO SIGNIFICANT IMPACT
AND NOTICE OF INTENT TO REQUEST RELEASE OF FUNDS

5/9/2022

City of Whitewright
206 W Grand Avenue
Whitewright, Texas 75491
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These notices shall satisfy two separate but related procedural requirements for activities to be undertaken by the City of Whitewright.

REQUEST FOR RELEASE OF FUNDS

On or about 6/1/2022 the City of Whitewright will submit a request to the Texas Department of Agriculture for the release of Community Development Block Grant Program funds under Section 104 of Title I of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974, as amended, to undertake a project known as Street reconstruction on W. Elm Street , CDV21-0123 for the purpose of Street Improvements:

Reconstruct approximately one thousand nine hundred linear feet (1,900 l.f.) of street utilizing four thousand twelve square yards (4,012 s.y.) of cement stabilized base material and prime coat, three hundred linear feet (300 l.f.) of culverts, two (2) headwalls, ditch reconstruction, driveway repair, and all associated appurtenances.

Mobilization: 1 each

Prep ROW: 1 each

Silt Fence: 300 LF

Pulverize/Reworks BS MTL: 4012 SY

Cement: 30 each

Cement TRT: 4,012 SY

FL BS: 4,012 SY

Prime Coat: 4012 SY

D-GR HMASQ) TY-D PG64-22: 3,800 SY

Adjust Manhole: 3 each

Remove Existing Pipe: 15 LS

Concrete Driveway Repair: 25 SY

Install CMP: 300 LF

Rock Driveway Repair: 12 Each

Concrete Repair: 5 SY

Ditch Reconstruction: 3,800 LF

Reseeding: 1 LS

Replace Signage: 8 Each

CGM (GAL) 36": 40 LF

Headwall CH-PW-O: 2 Each

and associated administration and/or engineering activities, for an estimated cost of \$350,000.00 in HUD funds and \$35,000.00 in non-HUD funds. The project is located as follows: All work will occur in the City of Whitewright, Grayson County, Texas in the following locations: W. Elm Street from N. Bond Street to N. Gowdy Street. If funds allow, the project will also include Reconstruct approximately 922 linear feet of street:Location: Locust from Bond to Blanton

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The City of Whitewright has determined that the project will have no significant impact on the human environment. Therefore, an Environmental Impact Statement under the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 (NEPA) is not required. Additional project information is contained in the Environmental Review Record (ERR) on file 206 W Grand Ave P.O. Box 966 Whitewright, Texas 75491 and may be examined or copied weekdays at 8 to 5, MTWF, 12-5 Thursday.

An Environmental Review Record (ERR) that documents the environmental determinations for this project is on file at 206 W Grand Ave P.O. Box 966 Whitewright, Texas 75491 and may be examined or copied 8 to 5, MTWF, 12-5 Thursday.

PUBLIC COMMENTS

Any individual, group, or agency may submit written comments on the ERR to the City of Whitewright at secretary@whitewright.com. All comments received by 5/31/2022 will be considered by the City of Whitewright prior to authorizing submission of a request for release of funds.

Comments should specify which Notice they are addressing.

ENVIRONMENTAL CERTIFICATION

The City of Whitewright certifies to the State of Texas that Tona Shiplet in their capacity as Mayor consents to accept the jurisdiction of the Federal Courts if an action is brought to enforce responsibilities in relation to the environmental review process and that these responsibilities have been satisfied. The State's approval of the certification satisfies its responsibilities under NEPA and related laws and authorities and allows the City of Whitewright to use Program funds.

OBJECTIONS TO RELEASE OF FUNDS

The State will accept objections to its release of fund and the City of Whitewright's certification for a period of fifteen days following the anticipated submission date or its actual receipt of the request (whichever is later) only if they are on one of the following bases: (a) the certification was not executed by the Certifying Officer of the City of Whitewright (b) the City of Whitewright has omitted a step or failed to make a decision or finding required by HUD regulations at 24 CFR part 58; (c) the grant recipient or other participants in the development process have committed funds, incurred costs or undertaken activities not authorized by 24 CFR Part 58 before approval of a release of funds by the State; or (d) another Federal agency acting pursuant to 40 CFR Part 1504 has submitted a written finding that the project is unsatisfactory from the standpoint of environmental quality. Objections must be prepared and submitted in accordance with the required procedures (24 CFR Part 58, Sec. 58.76) and shall be addressed to Texas Department of Agriculture at CDBG EnvReview@TexasAgriculture.gov or PO Box 12847, Austin, Texas 78711. Potential objectors should contact the State to verify the actual last day of the objection period.

Tona Shiplet, Mayor