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DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

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Mr. David Brock, Public Works Director
City of Republic
221 North Main
Republic, MO 65738

RE: City of Republic, MO – Construction Specifications for Public Improvements, Standard Sewer Specifications and Details Approval

Dear Mr. Brock:

The Department of Natural Resources' Water Protection Program has reviewed and approved the city of Republic's Construction Specifications for Public Improvements September 2014 Edition received on December 15, 2014. Sewer extension projects, using these specifications, for which the city of Republic will be the continuing authority, will not be required to submit the standard specifications in order to be considered a complete application. This approval is granted from the date of this letter until such date the city modifies the standard specifications.

The Department recommends the city of Republic consider applying for the Approved Sewer Program. "Persons who construct sewers tributary to a system operated by one (1) of the continuing authorities listed in paragraphs (3)(B)1. or (3)(B)2. will be exempt from the construction permit requirements for sewers if the continuing authority administers a permit program which has been approved by the department", per 10 CSR 20-6.010(6)(A). Part of this application process requires approvable standard specifications and details, for which you have obtained.

CONDITIONS:

1. Any updates to the city of Republic's Construction Specifications for Public Improvements will require a subsequent review and approval by the Department.
2. This approval is limited to sewer extensions proposed within the city of Republic boundaries or in the instances the proposed sewer extension is outside of the city's boundaries the city of Republic will act as the continuing authority for the proposed sewer extension. Sewer extensions that are outside of the city of Republic boundaries and the city waives the right to continuing authority must submit specifications with the construction permit application in accordance with 10 CSR 20-6.010(4)(D)2., 10 CSR 20-6.010(6)(A)1.A., and 10 CSR 20-8.110(7).

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3. Construction, installation, expansion or modification of any collection system or wastewater treatment facility is prohibited until a construction permit is issued by the Department, per 10 CSR 20-6.010(4)(A).
4. Nothing in this approval removes any obligations to comply with county or other local ordinances or restrictions.
5. This approval is invalid for projects required to comply with the requirements contained in 10 CSR 20-4, "Grants and Loans".
6. This approval is limited to only wastewater components. Other items contained in this standard specification and details such as drinking water, roadways, structural, mechanical, electrical, etc. were not reviewed.
7. This approval may be reopened and modified to comply with any updated design regulations in 10 CSR 20-8.

If you have any questions concerning this matter, please contact Mrs. Emily Carpenter, of the Water Protection Program, at (573) 751-6569 or Missouri Department of Natural Resources, Water Protection Program, P.O. Box 176, Jefferson City, MO 65102-0176.

Thank you for your efforts to help ensure clean water in Missouri.

Sincerely,

WATER PROTECTION PROGRAM



John Madras
Director

JM:ecc

Enclosure

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