



December 12, 2023

The Honorable Anthony Picente
County Executive
Oneida County
800 Park Avenue
Utica, NY 13501

RE: Clean Water State Revolving Fund (CWSRF) Project No. C6-6070-11-00
Collection System Rehabilitation - District Wide

Dear County Executive Picente:

On behalf of Governor Kathy Hochul, I am pleased to inform you that your community has been awarded a NYS Water Infrastructure Improvement Act (WIIA) grant for the above referenced project.

Your WIIA grant has been awarded in an amount not to exceed \$6,625,000, based on information provided in your application, including total estimated eligible project costs. The Environmental Facilities Corporation (EFC) will determine the actual amount of your grant when the project is complete and final project costs have been confirmed. Your grant may be reduced if total project costs are less than anticipated or if your project receives grant from another source.

Please confirm your acceptance of the grant award and intent to proceed with this project by completing and signing the enclosed form and e-mailing it to nyswatergrants@efc.ny.gov no later than January 19, 2024. Without your confirmation, we may bypass your project and award these grant funds to another community.

As means of advancing this project, members of our EFC team will contact you to guide you through the program requirements and related processes, and to answer any of your questions. In order to remain eligible for these funds, your community must enter into a Project Finance Agreement or a Grant Agreement for the above project by September 30, 2025.

We appreciate your interest in the WIIA program and look forward to working with you on your water quality improvement project.

Sincerely,

Maureen A. Coleman
President & CEO

Enclosure

CC: Oneida County Water Quality & Water Pollution Control - Karl Schrantz, P.E., Commissioner
GHD Consulting Engineers - John Story, P.E., Principal Engineer
NYSDEC Region 6 - Matthew Duffany, P.E.
NYSEFC - Dorian Di Cocco

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT AND ACCEPTANCE OF WIIA GRANT AWARD

Please confirm your community's acceptance of the WIIA grant by signing below. Please e-mail the completed form to nyswatergrants@efc.ny.gov no later than **January 19, 2024**.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT BY THE AWARDEE:

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The Awardee intends to proceed with this project and accepts the Water Infrastructure Improvement Act grant.

(Signature of Authorized Representative)

(Print Name)

(Title)

(Date)