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Legal Notice

Legal notice of public review and comment period concerning proposed changes to the combined Project Priority List (PPL) attached below for Oregon's Drinking Water State Revolving Fund (DWSRF) for the end of the fourth quarter of state fiscal year 2021. This PPL only includes eligible, emergency, and environmental justice infrastructure projects. *All newly added projects are highlighted and recently funded projects have been removed.*

One of Oregon Health Authority (OHA) Drinking Water Services (DWS) responsibilities as a state agency managing the DWSRF program as set forth under Section 1452 (40 CFR 35.555 (b)) of the amended 1996 Safe Drinking Water Act (SDWA) is to provide the public the opportunity to comment on changes to the Intended Use Plan (IUP) as a part of the grant application process to the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA). The PPL is important to how the DWSRF program implements the IUP. Projects have been rated (i.e., scored) by OHA staff for strict compliance, health risk, consolidation, and affordability criteria to determine ranking and placement on the PPL. Before projects can be funded, we are obligated to provide the public the opportunity to review and comment on proposed changes to the PPL.

The public review and comment period for proposed changes to the PPL will be from Monday, July 26 through Wednesday, August 4, 2021. If you would like to make a comment, please email me your comments by no later than 5pm on Wednesday, August 4th to be considered. If you have questions, you may also email or call me at (503) 956-8287.

Thank you!

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