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July 13, 2017

Subject: City of Longmont Water Efficiency Master Plan - 75% Progress Report

Dear Ben,

The City of Longmont's 50 percent progress report was submitted to the Colorado Water Conservation Board (CWCB) on January 20, 2017. This letter serves as the 75 percent progress report for the City of Longmont (City) 2017 Water Efficiency Master Plan (plan). The City contracted with CH2M HILL Engineers, Inc. (CH2M) and WaterDM to assist with completing the 2017 plan. Work on the project began in early September 2016 and we are now at least 75 percent complete.

Project Tasks Completed

During this period, the project team completed preparation of the draft Water Efficiency Master Plan and made numerous public presentations. The plan was publicly presented at Water Board Meetings by Holly Werth, Peter Mayer and Myself on February 27, 2017 and on March 20, 2017. Input from Water Board was incorporated into the final plan document.

The 60-day public review process for the Water Efficiency Master Plan began on April 17, 2017 and ended on June 15, 2017. Comments were submitted via on-line form or US Mail. To publicize the review process, the City utilized its extensive network of public outreach tools including: website, twitter, Facebook, Times Call notice and article, and emails to subscribers.

Holly Werth and I presented the plan to Longmont's Board of Environmental Affairs on May 17, 2017. Comments from this meeting along with public comments will be included in the final plan.



Next Steps

The Water Efficiency Master Plan public review was completed on June 15, 2017. The project team will review the comments and incorporate changes as appropriate. Then the final Water Efficiency Master Plan will be sent to CWCB.

No revisions to the scope of work or schedule are anticipated at this time. We appreciate the support of the CWCB in this effort to update the Water Conservation Master Plan. Please contact me with questions regarding the progress report.

Regards,

City of Longmont

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