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Justin Wagner

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RE: Water Supply Plan Approval, City of Northfield

Justin,

Our office has completed the review of your Water Supply Plan for public water supply authorized under DNR Water Appropriation Permit #1976-5100. I am pleased to advise you that in accordance with Minnesota Statutes, Section 103G.291, Subdivision 3, and on behalf of the Commissioner of the Department of Natural Resources, I hereby **approve your Water Supply Plan**. We encourage cities/utility suppliers to complete the attached "Certification of Adoption" form. Please upload the form to MPARS-Water Supply Plan tab as soon as the city/utility supplier officially adopts the Plan.

The DNR, Minnesota Rural Water Association, and The Metropolitan Council encourage the city to educate its customers on how they can reduce household water use. As mentioned at the Water Supply Planning Workshops, the DNR will be contacting you periodically about progress the city has made on their water conservation goals. We encourage you to keep records of your success.

Thank you for your efforts in planning for the future of Northfield's water supply and for conserving the water resources of the State of Minnesota. If you have any questions or need additional assistance with the city's water appropriation permit, please contact Area Hydrologist Todd Piepho at 507-362-8868.

Sincerely,



Todd Kolander

EWR South District Manager

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Todd Piepho, DNR Area Hydrologist