



United States Department of Agriculture
Rural Development
Batavia, NY

March 26, 2009

Town of Alden
Attn: Ronald Smith
3311 Wende Road
Alden, NY 14004

Re: Pre-Eligibility Determination Notification revised
WD #5

Dear Mr. Smith:

Based upon our review of your proposal our revised findings are as follows:

1. The proposed project as presented is eligible for USDA Rural Development financing.
 - ❖ Based upon the estimated funding package, you are invited to submit a full application for funding.
2. The **estimated funding** package is as follows:

Rural Development Loan	\$ 8,621,000
Rural Development Grant	\$ 1,500,000
Other Funding Sources – Appl.	\$ <u>15,000</u>
Total Project Cost	\$10,136,000

Of EDU's = 661

IMPORTANT NOTE: This is presented as an **estimated funding proposal only** to assist the applicant by presenting a possible funding scenario. This Preliminary Eligibility Determination is **NOT** to be construed or understood to be a commitment of funding. A funding commitment can only be made when a **full application** has been received, reviewed and found to be acceptable.

TRIBAL CONSULTATION IS REQUIRED AS PER ADVISORY COUNCIL ON HISTORIC PRESERVATION SECTION 106 AND SHOULD BE INITIATED AT

29 Liberty Street Ste 2, Batavia, w York 14020
Telephone: (585) 343-0442 Ext. 2200 • Fax: (585) 344-4662 • TDD: (315) 477-6447
Web: <http://www.rurdev.usda.gov/ny> • Email: dawn.kuras@ny.usda.gov

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THIS TIME. RURAL DEVELOPMENT WILL INITIATE THIS ACTION ON BEHALF OF THE APPLICANT.

3. Environmental Classification: Categorical Exclusion with Environmental Report.
4. Estimated cost per EDU is \$948 or 2.0% of MHI (\$47,472).
5. Your project may be eligible for additional funding from other government programs. The Water and Sewer Infrastructure Co-Funding Initiative, assists municipalities in obtaining optimum funding packages for their projects. For more information, contact Co-Funding Coordinator, Dwight Brown, at the NYS Environmental Facilities Corporation at 800-882-9721, or visit the Co-Funding website at www.nycofunding.org.

Sincerely,

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Area Specialist

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