JEFFERSON COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

AGENDA REQUEST

TO:

Board of County Commissioners

Josh Peters, County Administrator

FROM:

Amanda Christofferson, Grants Administrator

DATE:

September 2, 2025

SUBJECT:

Motion to authorize Jefferson County BOCC Chair to sign NEPA/SEPA

Determinations for the Septic Cost Share Program.

STATEMENT OF ISSUE:

Jefferson County Staff have secured funding from the federal Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) program in order to fund repairs, replacements and installation of septic systems for low to moderate income (LMI) residents of our county. This funding has, as a prerequisite to earth moving, a full review of national environmental protection act (NEPA) and state environmental protection act (SEPA) laws.

ANALYSIS:

As of August 2025, staff have reviewed fourteen proposed sites with this NEPA/SEPA review.

FISCAL IMPACT:

This grant has provided \$483,500.00 in benefit to local LMI homeowners.

RECOMMENDATION:

Staff recommends that BOCC authorize the Board Chair to sign NEPA/SEPA Determinations for the Septic Cost Share Program.

REVIEWED BY:

Josh Peters, County Administrator

8/27/25 Date