

U.S. Department of Energy
Naval Reactors Laboratory Field Office
Kesselring Site
National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) Categorical Exclusion (CX)
Determination Summary Form
Kesselring Site K&L Load Center Relocation Project

REFERENCE:

10 CFR Part 1021, Department of Energy National Environmental Policy Act Implementation Procedures, Subpart D, Typical Classes of Actions

PROJECT SCOPE DISCUSSION

The scope of the Kesselring Site K&L Load Center Relocation Project includes relocating and upgrading the capacity of the K&L Load Center currently located in Building 9. This will allow for maintaining needed power to designated areas of the existing Site as well as anticipated future expansion. The Load Center will be approximately 200 square feet and anticipated to be located north of Building 9.

The project does not violate applicable regulatory requirements, require construction or major expansion of waste handling facilities, result in unpermitted releases of hazardous substances, or adversely affect environmentally sensitive resources, including wetlands. The project does not involve genetically engineered organisms or species. There are no extraordinary circumstances related to the proposed action. The project has not been segmented to meet the definition of a categorical exclusion and is not connected to other actions with potentially significant and/or cumulative impacts.

CONCLUSION

The Kesselring Site K&L Load Center Relocation Project is categorically excluded from additional NEPA documentation under 10 CFR 1021 Subpart D, Appendix B, CX B1.15. Specifically, the categorical exclusion that applies is the following:

B1.15 –Support buildings

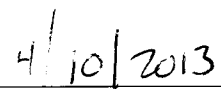
Siting, construction or modification, and operation of support buildings and support structures (including, but not limited to, trailers and prefabricated and modular buildings) within or contiguous to an already developed area (where active utilities and currently used roads are readily accessible). Covered support buildings and structures include, but are not limited to, those for office purposes; parking; cafeteria services; education and training; visitor reception; computer and data processing services; health services or recreation activities; routine maintenance activities; storage of supplies and equipment for administrative services and routine maintenance activities; security (such as security posts); fire protection; small-scale fabrication (such as machine shop activities), assembly, and testing of non-nuclear equipment or components; and similar support purposes, but exclude facilities for nuclear weapons activities and waste storage activities, such as activities covered in B1.10, B1.29, B1.35, B2.6, B6.2, B6.4, B6.5, B6.6, and B6.10 of this appendix.

NRLFO
Approval:



NRRO NEPA Compliance Officer

Date:



CX Determination Date