

August 20th 2025

Town of Milton

## **Professional Engineering Services**

**USDA Emergency Community Water Assistance Grant** 

## **ADDENDUM #1**

The intent of this addendum is to provide additional responses to submitted questions as well as provide attention to attachments:

Q: Are there two stream crossing near the site?

A: On the map you will see where pipe can be laid along the road within the NCDOT easement. These wet areas are stormwater drainage sites and easily stepped over.

Q: Would 6" C900 pipe and hydrant be eligible?

A: According to the North Carolina administrative code *Rules Governing Public Water Systems* Under 15A NCAC 18C .0901 SIZE OF THE WATER MAINS "In any case water mains shall not be less than two-inch standard nominal diameter. Fire hydrants shall not be installed on water mains of less than six inches in diameter or on water mains or water systems not designed to carry fire protection flows. Systems not designed for fire flows shall have the capacity to maintain a pressure of at least 30 pounds per square inch (gauge) throughout the system during periods of peak flow". These new waterlines would essentially be connected to a nearby hydrant. +

Q: What are the requirements for the USDA Simplified Engineering Report?

A: Please see IA Simplified Engineering Report Exhibit A 1778 1 attached and linked below. Please also see requirements for Environmental Report Exhibit B 1778 1

IA we Simplified Engineering Report Exhibit A 1778 1
IA we Environmental Report Exhibit B 1778 1

Q: What is the grant award amount expected to be?

A: Per USDA Emergency Community Water Assistance Grants Water transmission line grants up to \$150,000 to construct waterline extensions, repair breaks or leaks in existing water distribution lines, and address related maintenance necessary to replenish the water supply.