

U.S. Department of Energy Categorical Exclusion Determination Form



<u>Program or Field Office:</u> Energy Efficiency and Conservation Block Grant Program

Project Title AZ-TRIBE-SAN CARLOS APACHE TRIBE

<u>Location:</u> Tribe AZ-TRIBE-SAN AZ

CARLOS APACHE

TRIBE

Proposed Action or Project Description:

American Recovery and Reinvestment Act:

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The San Carlos Apache Tribe of Arizona proposes to 1) conduct energy efficient building retrofits to the Shelter Care Building which includes replacing current lighting with compact fluorescent lights, installing attic insulation, sealing and insulating around vents and pipes, and conducting simple weatherization activities; and 2) installing an approximate 17 kW solar photovoltaic system on the Shelter Care Building.

Conditions: None

Categorical Exclusion(s) Applied: B2.5, B5.1, B5.16

*-For the complete DOE National Environmental Policy Act regulations regarding categorical exclusions, see Subpart D of 10 CFR10 21

This action would not: threaten a violation of applicable statutory, regulatory, or permit requirements for environment, safety, and health, including DOE and/or Executive Orders; require siting, construction, or major expansion of waste storage, disposal, recovery, or treatment facilities, but may include such categorically excluded facilities; disturb hazardous substances, pollutants, contaminants, or CERCLA-excluded petroleum and natural gas products that pre-exist in the environment such that there would be uncontrolled or unpermitted releases; or adversely affect environmentally sensitive resources (including but not limited to those listed in paragraph B.(4)) of Appendix B to Subpart D of 10 CFR 1021). Furthermore, there are no extraordinary circumstances related to this action that may affect the significance of the environmental effects of the action; this action is not "connected" to other actions with potentially significant impacts, is not related to other proposed actions with cumulatively significant impacts, and is not precluded by 40 CFR 1506.1 or 10 CFR 1021.211.

Based on my review of information conveyed to me and in my possession (or attached) concerning the proposed action, as NEPA Compliance Officer (as authorized under DOE Order 451.1B), I have determined that the proposed action fits within the specified class(es) of action, the other regulatory requirements set forth above are met, and the proposed action is hereby categorically excluded from further NEPA review.

ORO NEPA Compliance Officer	Gary S. Hartman	Date Determined:	4/3/2012
Comments:		Webmaster:	