TOWN OF MILLIKEN
TOWN BOARD
AGENDA MEMORANDUM

To: Mayor Tokunaga and Members of the Board of Trustees From: Seth Hyberger, Community Engagement Specialist/Planner			Public Hearing Date: December 23, 2015
Agenda Item # #1	Action:	Discussion:	Information:
Agenda Title: CDBG-DR Post Award Public Hearing, Sewer Main Break			
Attachments: Public Hearing Notice			

PURPOSE

The purpose of this agenda item is to conduct a post award public hearing for a CDBG-DR Round one grant the Town received to cover its 12.5% local share for a sewer main break that occurred during the 2013 flood event. The Town also received funding from the FEMA's Public Assistance program to cover 75% of the project costs and 12.5% from the Colorado Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Management. The Total cost for the project was $61,847.43. The CDBG-DR award was for $7,730.91.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

The priority of this project is based on the health, safety, and welfare for the community. During the September 2013 flood, the Town's 4" sewer line that runs under the Little Thompson River from Ethel Avenue near HWY 60 to the Mad Russian Subdivision was severed in the middle of the river and released thousands of gallons of untreated raw sewage into the Little Thompson River. Town staff had to cut the pipe and prepare a bypass line to reroute the sewage to seven rented storage tanks. During the repair period, approximately 433,440 gallons of sewage was transported from the aforementioned tanks to the City's Waste Water Treatment Facility. Directional drilling under the Little Thompson River and pipe replacement was required to make the necessary repairs to the impacted sewer line. The temporary actions taken to continue sewer services during the disaster and the emergency repairs performed post disaster allowed for critical sewer services to be maintained and restored to help ensure public health and safety for the 250 homes located in the Mad Russian Subdivision. Work for the project was completed on 10/22/2013.

The purpose of the Post Award Public Hearing is to give the public a chance to comment on the project as a part of the CDBG-DR's program requirements.