

List 2 – Determining Whether a Project is Eligible for Plan Submittal Waiver

PLAN SUBMITTAL WAIVERS

Some distribution waterline projects (excluding PRV or booster pump projects) may qualify for waivers for submitting engineering plans and specifications if a public water system has become eligible for requesting “plan submittal waivers” per R309-500-6(3)(a) or (b).

- If a waterline project meets both conditions below, it may qualify for plan submittal waiver. *[R309-500-6(3)(a)]*
 - The waterline project is a part of the master plan previously approved by the Division.
 - The water system’s construction standards are previously approved by the Division.

- If a waterline project meets all three conditions below, it may qualify for plan submittal waiver. This can apply to a waterline that is not included in the approved master plan. *[R309-500-6(3)(b)]*
 - The water system has formally designated a licensed professional engineer as the Professional Engineer having direct responsibility for the entire water system in a letter to the Division.
 - The water system’s construction standards are previously approved by the Division.
 - The pipeline size is within the limits of R309-500-6(3)(b) based on the population the water system currently serves:
 - (i) less than or equal to 4 inches in diameter in water systems (without fire hydrants) serving solely a residential population less than 3,300;
 - (ii) less than or equal to 8 inches in diameter in water systems (with fire hydrants) providing water for mixed use (commercial, industrial, agricultural and/or residential) to a population less than 3,300;
 - (iii) less than or equal to 12 inches in diameter in water systems (with fire hydrants) providing water for mixed use to a population between 3,300 and 50,000;
 - (iv) less than or equal to 16 inches in diameter in water systems (with fire hydrants) providing water for mixed use to a population greater than 50,000.

- A PE certification of hydraulic modeling results for the proposed water lines is required as a part of the **plan submittal waiver request** except for the water line projects meeting the descriptions in R309-511-4(1)(a)(i)(A) through (G).