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**Environmental Review for Activity/Project that is
Categorically Excluded Subject to Section 58.5
Pursuant to 24 CFR 58.35(a)**

Project Information

Project Name: Precinct-4-Parks-&-Recreational-Improvements

HEROS Number: 900000010544906

Start Date:

Estimated End Date:

Actual End Date:

State / Local Identifier:

Project Location: 3516 E Fm 2812, Edinburg, TX 78542

Additional Location Information:

N/A

Description of the Proposed Project [24 CFR 50.12 & 58.32; 40 CFR 1508.25]:

Project consists of the purchase and installation of improvements at an existing public park, including new shade canopies mounted on existing concrete slabs, upgraded trash receptacles, replacement barbecue pits, park equipment, and other park amenities necessary to enhance public use and enjoyment. The purpose of the project is to revitalize an existing public park by replacing aging amenities and improving public recreational facilities. These improvements will enhance the safety, accessibility, and usability of the park for residents. All improvements will be installed within the existing park on previously developed areas and are not expected to require ground disturbance. No park expansion or acquisition of additional property is proposed.

Level of Environment Review Determination:

Categorically Excluded per 24 CFR 58.35(a), and subject to laws and authorities at §58.5:

58.34(a)(12)

58.35(a)(1)

Funding Information

Grant Number	HUD Program	Program Name	
B25-UC-48-0501	Community Planning and Development (CPD)	Community Development Block Grants (CDBG) (Entitlement)	\$83,000.00

Estimated Total HUD Funded Amount: \$83,000.00

Estimated Total Project Cost [24 CFR 58.2 (a) (5)]: \$83,000.00

Mitigation Measures and Conditions [CFR 1505.2(c)]:

Summarized below are all mitigation measures adopted by the Responsible Entity to reduce, avoid or eliminate adverse environmental impacts and to avoid non-compliance or non-conformance with the above-listed authorities and factors. These measures/conditions must be incorporated into project contracts, development agreements and other relevant documents. The staff responsible for implementing and monitoring mitigation measures should be clearly identified in the mitigation plan.

Law, Authority, or Factor	Mitigation Measure or Condition	Comments on Completed Measures	Complete
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Determination:

☒	This categorically excluded activity/project converts to EXEMPT per Section 58.34(a)(12), because it does not require any mitigation for compliance with any listed statutes or authorities, nor requires any formal permit or license; Funds may be committed and drawn down after certification of this part for this (now) EXEMPT project; OR
☐	This categorically excluded activity/project cannot convert to Exempt status because one or more statutes or authorities listed at Section 58.5 requires formal consultation or mitigation. Complete consultation/mitigation protocol requirements, publish NOI/RROF and obtain "Authority to Use Grant Funds" (HUD 7015.16) per Section 58.70 and 58.71 before committing or drawing down any funds; OR
☐	This project is not categorically excluded OR, if originally categorically excluded, is now subject to a full Environmental Assessment according to Part 58 Subpart E due to extraordinary circumstances (Section 58.35(c)).

Preparer Signature: Anita Jenny Date: 7/16/2026

Name / Title/ Organization: Anita Jenny / / HIDALGO COUNTY

Responsible Entity Agency Official Signature: Joel Rivera Date: 7/16/2026Name/ Title: Joel Rivera Ph.D./UCP Director/Authorized Signatory

This original, signed document and related supporting material must be retained on file by the Responsible Entity in an Environment Review Record (ERR) for the activity / project (ref: 24 CFR Part 58.38) and in accordance with recordkeeping requirements for the HUD program(s).