



Department of Environmental Quality



To protect, conserve and enhance the quality of Wyoming's environment for the benefit of current and future generations.

Dave Freudenthal, Governor

John Corra, Director

American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (ARRA)

Program: Brownfields

Total ARRA Dollars: \$100 Million

Wyoming Share: \$0

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ARRA funding for the Brownfields Program is targeted for projects authorized by section 104(k) of the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA) of 1980. Authorized activities include assessment and cleanup of properties that are abandoned or underutilized because of known or suspected environmental contamination. These properties, known as "brownfields," may require cleanup before they are safe for reuse or redevelopment.

Brownfields Program funding will be awarded by U.S. EPA. EPA Region 8 will fund existing 104(k) project proposals that are in backlog list (currently \$300 million in projects). Wyoming does not have any 104(k) project proposals on the current backlog list and will not be eligible for Brownfields ARRA funds.

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