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## Project Certification as required by the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009

The Director of the Idaho Department of Environmental Quality hereby certifies that the loan application for the City of Reubens, CWSRF Loan #WW1006, has received full review and vetting required by law and the Department accepts full responsibility that the loan to the City of Reubens is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds pursuant to the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act.

The loan to the City of Reubens is for the replacement of aging individual septic systems with a gravity fed collection system. The collection system will empty into lagoons and the lagoons will treat the effluent for eventual land application. The project will address a longstanding public health emergency. The project is estimated to cost a total of \$1,326,974, of which \$1,126,974 will be forgiven, requiring that \$170,000 be repaid over 20 years with zero percent interest. Thirty thousand dollars of the loan will be made with State Revolving Fund base grant funds to purchase land.

Dated February 46, 2010

Director

Department of Environmental Quality

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