

Garrison Rural Water Projects

Project Description

American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 funding is providing needed improvements at a number of drinking water facilities in North Dakota and South Dakota. These activities include: the construction of a new water treatment plant (WTP) and storage at Wakpala, S.D. for the Standing Rock Sioux Tribe (\$19.05 million); piloting and design of an existing WTP rehabilitation/expansion project for the Spirit Lake Sioux Tribe to address arsenic compliance issues (\$1.755 million); expansion of the Four Bears WTP for the Three Affiliated Tribe Rural Water System (\$6.53 million); the construction of a new WTP for the Southwest Pipeline Project (\$12.015 million) and a new intake and WTP for the South Central Regional Water District (\$20.015 million).



Project Benefits

Completing these activities are:

- Accelerating completion of projects that will result in serving more people with reliable supplies of drinking water.
- Reducing administrative costs by completing projects sooner.
- Providing quality drinking water to people that currently have poor quality water or have to haul water.

Project Status

- Standing Rock Sioux Tribe - \$18.9 million in funding was provided on Oct. 6, 2009. Water Treatment Plant (WTP) is currently under construction and scheduled for completion, along with a raw water pipeline contract by the end of 2011.
- Spirit Lake Sioux Tribe - \$1.65 million in funding was provided on Sept. 24, 2009. WTP studies and designs are underway and are scheduled for completion by the end of 2010.
- Three Affiliated Tribe - \$6.4 million in funding was provided on Nov. 4, 2009. Expansion of two WTP's is underway and is scheduled to be completed by March 2011.
- Garrison Diversion Conservancy District (State Component) - \$31.8 million in funding was provided on July 9, 2009. Southwest Pipeline Project WTP contract will be advertised in the near future with work scheduled to be completed by March 2012. South Central Regional Water District Missouri River intake will begin construction soon with WTP and distribution construction contracts to follow. All construction is scheduled to be completed by March of 2012.

Budget Information

Recovery funding: \$59.365 million

For more information

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