



## TOWN OF BASILE

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May 26, 2009

Mr. Bijan Sharafkhani, P.E.  
Louisiana Department of Environmental Quality  
Office of Environmental Assessment  
P.O. Box 4301  
Baton Rouge, LA 70821-4301

RE: ARRA State Priority List for IUP  
Town of Basile  
Wastewater System Improvements  
Financial Assistance Request  
A&A File: 09-03-02

Dear Mr. Sharafkhani:

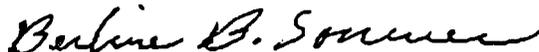
We have received the fax from your office outlining the provisions the Town is required to comply with in order to qualify for the above referenced funding.

If partially or fully funded, the Town of Basile fully intends to comply with all provisions of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (ARRA) as established by Congress and any regulations related thereto as promulgated by the USEPA, which includes:

1. Provisions of Davis-Bacon Act (prevailing wage rates) and,
2. The Buy American provision of ARRA, unless a waiver is granted by the EPA
3. No later than 6/12/09, the Town will submit to DEQ, documentation supporting a Categorical Exclusion
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5. By 11/1/09 and upon signing principle forgiveness/loan agreement, the Town will commence construction

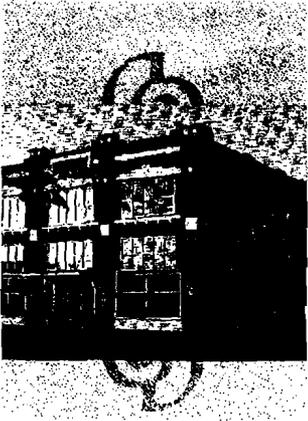
Sincerely,

TOWN OF BASILE



Berline Sonnier, Mayor

BS/ssg



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May 22, 2009

Bijan Sharafkhani, P.E.  
Administrator  
Business and Community Outreach Division  
Office of the Secretary  
Department of Environmental Quality  
P.O. Box 4301  
Baton Rouge, La. 70821-4301

Re: City of Crowley  
Project No. 1: Repair of Rock Filter at the Wastewater Treatment Facility  
(Total Funds Requested: \$3,045,000)

Dear Bijan,

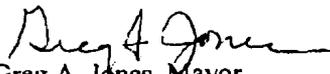
Thank you very much for your phone call yesterday and the great news that the City of Crowley is in line to receive a grant to assist us with the captioned project. It is my understanding from our conversation that the City of Crowley will receive a \$1,000,000 principal forgiveness grant for the construction of a portion of this project under the following conditions:

1. If partially or fully funded, the City of Crowley fully intends to comply with all provisions of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (ARRA) as established by Congress and any regulations related thereto as promulgated by the USEPA, which include the provisions of the Davis-Bacon Act (prevailing wage rates), and The Buy American provision of ARRA, unless a waiver is granted by the EPA.
2. No later than 6/12/09 the City of Crowley will submit to DEQ documentation supporting a Categorical Exclusion
3. No later than 8/1/09 the City of Crowley will submit to DEQ the full application and plans and specifications
4. By 11/1/09 and upon signing the principal forgiveness/loan agreement the City of Crowley will commence construction

Should you have any questions or need any additional information, please do not hesitate to contact us at any time.

We look forward to working with you on this project.

Sincerely,

  
Greg A. Jones, Mayor  
City of Crowley

cc: Mader Engineering, Inc.

**GREG A. JONES**  
MAYOR

**STEVEN PREMEAUX**  
ALDERMAN AT-LARGE  
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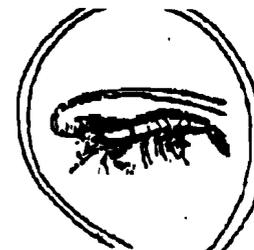
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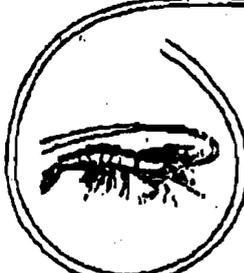
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CAROL BROUSSARD, Mayor



# TOWN OF DELCAMBRE

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May 22, 2009

MR. BIJAN SHARAFKHANI, P.E.  
LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY  
P. O. Box 4314  
Baton Rouge, LA 70821-4314

Re: Clean Water State Revolving Fund  
Program-Stimulus Funding  
Wastewater Treatment Facility  
Rehabilitation

Dear Mr. Sharafkhani:

The Town of Delcambre recently submitted a Pre-Application to Louisiana Department of Environmental Quality (LA DEQ) for the State Revolving Loan Fund for Wastewater Facilities for rehabilitation of the Town's wastewater treatment facility. Based on our recent telephone conversations, it is our understanding that our application is currently being considered for Stimulus funding and that you would like some assurances from the Town of Delcambre. This letter will serve to assure LA DEQ that:

1. Should this project be funded, either fully or partially, the Town of Delcambre will comply with the provisions of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (ARRA) including the use of Davis Bacon and Buy American provisions in our construction documents; and
2. That no later than June 12, 2009, the Town of Delcambre will submit to LA DEQ the documentation required for the Categorical Exclusion notices for this project; and
3. That no later than August 1, 2009, the Town of Delcambre will submit a complete Application including plans and specifications for this project to LA DEQ; and
4. Assuming that approval of the application is timely, that during the month of November, 2009, the Town of Delcambre will be in a position to close a Loan with LA DEQ and commence construction.

Should you have any questions concerning this application, please do not hesitate to contact our office.

Sincerely,  
TOWN OF DELCAMBRE

  
CAROL BROUSSARD  
MAYOR

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CITY CLERK  
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CHIEF OF POLICE

May 21, 2009

Bijan Sharafkhani, Administrator  
Department of Environmental Quality  
Office of the Secretary  
PO Box 431  
Baton Rouge LA 70821

Mr. Sharafkhani,

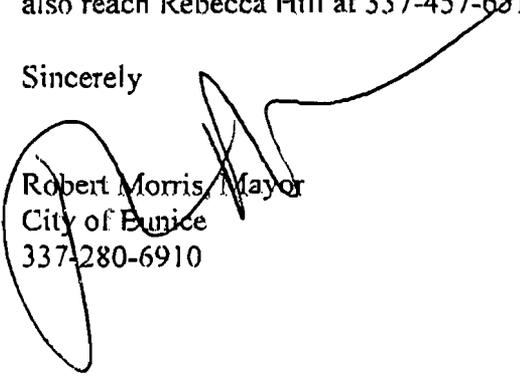
Per our conversation today, if our application is fully or partially funded, we agree to fully comply with all provisions of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (ARRA) which includes the Davis-Bacon Act and the "Buy American" Act.

We also agree to adhere to the following timeline:

1. By no later than June 12, 2009, we will submit the appropriate documentation to the Department of Environmental Quality for categorical exclusion.
2. By no later than August 1, 2009, we will submit a full application along with specifications and plans for review.
3. By no later than November 1, 2009, we will start construction upon loan closeout.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at the number below. You can also reach Rebecca Hill at 337-457-6514.

Sincerely

  
Robert Morris, Mayor  
City of Eunice  
337-280-6910

ARTHUR L. VERRET  
Mayor



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Office of the Mayor  
**CITY OF JEANERETTE**  
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May 22, 2009

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LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY  
P. O. Box 4314  
Baton Rouge, LA 70821-4314

Re: Clean Water State Revolving Fund  
Program-Stimulus Funding  
Rehabilitation of Lift Stations

Dear Mr. Sharafkhani:

The City of Jeanerette recently submitted a Pre-Application to Louisiana Department of Environmental Quality (LA DEQ) for the State Revolving Loan Fund for Wastewater Facilities for improvements to the City's main sewer pump station. Based on our recent telephone conversations, it is our understanding that our application is currently being considered for Stimulus funding and that you would like some assurances from the City of Jeanerette. This letter will serve to assure LA DEQ that:

1. Should this project be funded, either fully or partially, the City of Jeanerette will comply with the provisions of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (ARRA) including the use of Davis Bacon and Buy American provisions in our construction documents; and
2. That no later than June 12, 2009, the City of Jeanerette will submit to LA DEQ the documentation required for the Categorical Exclusion notices for this project; and
3. That no later than August 1, 2009, the City of Jeanerette will submit a complete Application including plans and specifications for this project to LA DEQ; and
4. That assuming that approval of the application is timely, that during the month of November, 2009, the City of Jeanerette will be in a position to close a Loan with LA DEQ and commence construction.

Should you have any questions concerning this application, please do not hesitate to contact our office.

Sincerely,  
CITY OF JEANERETTE



ARTHUR L. VERRET  
MAYOR

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c: Todd Vinent, Sellers and Associates  
Gene Sellers Sr., Sellers and Associates

# TOWN OF MAMOU

**WILDA CHAMBERLAIN**  
MAYOR

**GUY PUCHEU**  
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May 26, 2009

Mr. Bijan Sharafkhani, P.E.  
Louisiana Department of Environmental Quality  
Office of Environmental Assessment  
P.O. Box 4301  
Baton Rouge, LA 70821-4301

RE: ARRA State Priority List for IUP  
Town of Mamou  
Wastewater System improvements  
Financial Assistance Request  
A&A File: 09-08-02

Dear Mr. Sharafkhani:

We have received the fax from your office outlining the required provisions the Town is required to comply with in order to qualify for the above referenced funding.

If partially or fully funded, the Town of Mamou fully intends to comply with all provisions of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (ARRA) as established by Congress and any regulations related thereto as promulgated by the USEPA, which includes:

1. Provisions of Davis-Bacon Act (prevailing wage rates) and,
2. The Buy American provision of ARRA, unless a waiver is granted by the EPA
3. No later than 6/12/09, the Town will submit to DEQ, documentation supporting a Categorical Exclusion
4. No later than 8/1/09, the Town will submit to DEQ the full application and plans/specifications
5. By 11/1/09 and upon signing principle forgiveness/loan agreement, the Town will commence construction

Sincerely,

TOWN OF MAMOU



Wilda Chamberlain

WC/ssg

DONALD CRAVINS, SR.  
MAYOR



318 NORTH COURT ST.  
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# City of Opelousas

Gateway to Acadiana

May 22, 2009

Bijan Sharafkhani, P. E.  
Administrator  
Department of Environmental Quality  
P. O. Box 4301  
Baton Rouge, LA 70821-4301

Dear Mr. Sharafkhani:

If partially or fully funded, the City of Opelousas fully intends to comply with all provisions of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (ARRA) as established by Congress and any regulations related thereto as promulgated by the USEPA which include:

- The provisions of the Davis-Bacon Act (prevailing wage rates) and,
- The Buy American provision of ARRA, unless a waiver is granted by the EPA.

The City of Opelousas will also submit to DEQ documentation supporting a Categorical Exclusion no later than June 12, 2009. The full application which will include the plans and specifications for the project will be submitted to DEQ no later than August 1, 2009. By November 1, 2009 and upon signing principle forgiveness/loan agreement, the City of Opelousas will commence construction.

If you have any questions or concerns, please don't hesitate to contact me or Ms. Karen Frank at (337)948-2520.

Sincerely,

Donald R. Cravins  
Mayor

**ALDERMEN**

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GERALDINE HAWKINS ALDERWOMAN, DISTRICT "D" • JACQUELINE MARTIN ALDERWOMAN, DISTRICT "E"

**CITY CLERK & TAX COLLECTOR**  
KAREN FRANK

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Mayson H. Foster  
Mayor

May 22, 2009

Mr. Bijan Sharfkhani, P. E.  
Administrator, Business and Community Outreach Division  
Office of the Secretary, Department of Environmental Quality  
P. O. Box 4301  
Baton Rouge, LA 70821-4301

Dear Mr. Sharfkhani:

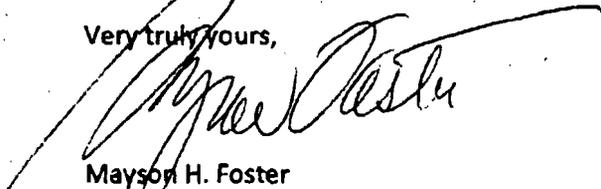
As per our discussion of today, we thank you for the notification of the acceptance of our cross-town sewer project for the City of Hammond. This added project will assure our citizens that we can continue to give them the best, most efficient, and best quality service for wastewater treatment.

The City of Hammond fully intends to comply with all provisions of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (ARRA) as established by Congress and agrees to follow any regulations related thereto as promulgated by the United States Environmental Protection Agency (USEPA), which include but are not limited to the provisions of the Davis-Bacon Act regarding prevailing wage rates and the Buy American provision of ARRA. If deviation from any of these regulations is requested to complete our project, we will request such waiver from the EPA and agree that no such deviations will occur without such waiver. At this time, we anticipate no waiver requests.

We fully appreciate the timetables enacted in order to assure that the provisions and the purposes of ARRA are met. Specifically, the City of Hammond will submit to DEQ documentation supporting a Categorical Exclusion no later than June 12, 2009. Our full application will be submitted to DEQ with plans and specifications no later than August 1, 2009. By November 1, 2009, and upon signing the principle forgiveness/loan agreement, the City of Hammond will commence construction.

We thank you for the confidence you have shown in our city, and we assure you that you will be proud of the performance of the City of Hammond on this project.

Very truly yours,

  
Mayson H. Foster  
Mayor

Cc: City Council members  
State Senators and Representatives

**CHARLES E. COLEMAN**  
MAYOR

**MRS. HOLLI E. GILMORE**  
SECRETARY-TREASURER

**TOWN OF JACKSON**

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May 26, 2009

Mr. Bijan Sharafkhani, P.E.  
Office of the Secretary  
Department of Environmental Quality  
P.O. Box 4301  
Baton Rouge, LA 70821-4301

Re: State Revolving Loan Fund  
Wastewater Facilities Application

Mr. Sharafkhani:

The purpose of this letter is to confirm that if our application concerning the referenced project is partially or fully funded through the Department of Environmental Quality, the Town of Jackson will comply with all provisions of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (ARRA) as established by Congress and all regulations related thereto as promulgated by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, including the provisions of the Davis-Bacon Act and the Buy American provisions of the ARRA.

In addition, The Town of Jackson will submit documentation to DEQ supporting a Categorical Exclusion no later that June 12, 2009.

The full application, along with project specifications and construction plans will be submitted to DEQ no later than August 1, 2009.

And finally, upon signing principle forgiveness, the Town of Jackson will commence construction of the project by November 1, 2009.

Thank you for your assistance with this project. If you have any questions, please let me know.

Respectfully,

Charles E. Coleman, Mayor

xc: file



# TOWN OF MARINGOUIN

**Mayor**  
John F. Overton  
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**Chief of Police**  
John Simien  
**Town Clerk**  
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**Utility Clerk**  
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**Alderman**  
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Charles Wright  
Ed James, Jr.  
Sammy Collura  
**Alderswoman**  
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May 22, 2009

Mr. Bijan Sharafkhani  
State of Louisiana  
Department of Environmental Quality  
Post Office Box 4301  
Baton Rouge, LA 70821

RE: Town of Maringouin, LA  
Improvements to the Treatment Facilities  
New Aerated Sludge Digester/Holding Tank

Dear Mr. Sharafkhani:

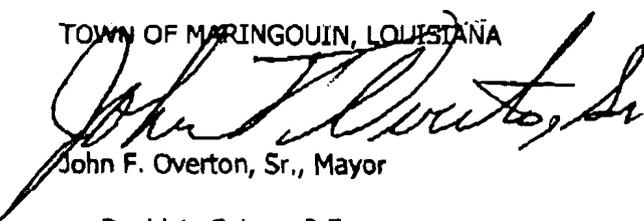
This letter shall serve as certification that if the above referenced project is funded, the Town of Maringouin will fully comply with all provisions of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 including the provisions of the Davis-Bacon Act and the Buy American Act as required.

The Town of Maringouin will submit documentation as required for "categorical exclusion" no later than June 12, 2009. By no later than August 1, 2009, the Town of Maringouin will submit a fully completed application for funding including sealed and signed engineering plans and specifications. By November 1, 2009, upon loan closure, the Town will start construction on the proposed improvements.

If you have any questions or need any additional information please contact David Colson, P.E. (Project Engineer) at 225-769-2810 or myself at 225-625-2630.

Very truly yours,

TOWN OF MARINGOUIN, LOUISIANA



John F. Overton, Sr., Mayor

cc: David A. Colson, P.E.  
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# Town of Ball

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May 20, 2009

Louisiana Department  
of Environmental Quality  
Office of the Secretary  
P.O. Box 4301  
Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70821-4301

Attention: Mr. Bijan Sharafkhani, P.F.

Re: DEQ Stimulus Package  
Application for Sewer Pump Station  
Rehabilitation and Infiltration/Inflow  
Correction Project

Dear Mr. Sharafkhani:

Please let this correspondence be considered as supporting documentation to the Town's Pre-Application package dated March 11, 2009 submitted to LDEQ for the American Resource and Reinvestment Act of 2009 funding (ARRA).

If our Pre-Application is fully funded, or partially funded, the Town intends to fully comply with all provisions included in the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (ARRA) as established by Congress, and any regulations related thereto as promulgated by the EPA.

In addition, the Town agrees to apply the provisions of Davis-Bacon and related acts, (i.e. prevailing wage rates) to any construction contracts funded under this program.

In addition, the Town acknowledges that it will require utilization of Buy American provision of ARRA such as iron, steel and manufactured goods on any project funded under this program, unless a waiver is granted by the EPA Administrator. We acknowledge that these provisions are typically known as "Buy American" provisions.

(Continued)

May 20, 2009

Re: DEQ Stimulus Package  
Application for Sewer Pump Station  
Rehabilitation and Infiltration/Inflow  
Correction Project

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In addition, it is the opinion of the Mayor's office, and that of our Town Engineer, that all activities proposed to be undertaken utilizing ARRA 2009 Stimulus funding are eligible for Categorical Exclusion designation; being that all work being considered is related to rehabilitation and/or replacement of existing sewer pump stations, existing sewer lines and sewer force mains, etc. Further, it is our intention to submit to LDEQ by June 12, 2009, sufficient documentation to demonstrate that the classifications of all proposed activities to be undertaken under the Stimulus program are Categorical Exclusion activities.

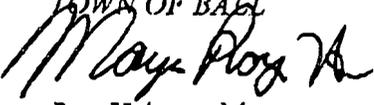
In addition, the Town intends to have all designs completed, and bidding documents available for advertisement for bids by August 1, 2009, and accordingly submitted to LDEQ for review by that date.

Thereafter, we tentatively intend to initiate the advertisement for public bids on or about August 25, 2009; and accordingly receive bids on or about September 3, 2009.

With the securing of bids under this schedule, the Town would be in a position to have approximately sixty (60) days to allow for the loan closing with LDEQ and related activities. Therefore the goal will be to have the LDEQ Stimulus loan closed by November 1, 2009.

I hope the above information is helpful to your efforts in seeing that Recovery funds are allocated to needed and eligible projects that would accomplish the intent of Congress as far as expedited delivery is concerned.

Yours very truly,

TOWN OF BALL  
  
Roy Hebron, Mayor

RH/sfb

cc: Pan American Engineers - Alexandria, Inc.  
Attention: Mr. Thomas C. David, Jr.



OFFICE OF THE MAYOR  
P.O. BOX 431  
BASTROP, LOUISIANA 71221-0431

CLARENCE W. HAWKINS  
MAYOR

May 22, 2009

Bijan Sharafkhani, P.E.  
Administrator  
Business and Community Outreach Division  
Office of the Secretary  
Department of Environmental Quality  
P.O. Box 4301  
Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70821-4301

**Re: American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009**

Dear Mr. Sharafkhani:

If partially or fully funded, the City of Bastrop fully intends to comply with all provisions of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (ARRA) as established by Congress and any regulations related thereto as promulgated by the USEPA, which include:

- The provisions of the Davis-Bacon Act (prevailing wage rates) and
- The Buy American provision of ARRA, unless a waiver is granted by the EPA.
- No later than 06/12/09, the City of Bastrop will submit to DEQ, the documentation supporting a Categorical Exclusion.
- No later than 08/01/09, the City of Bastrop will submit to DEQ, the full application and plans/specifications.
- By 11/01/09 and upon signing principle forgiveness/loan agreement, the City of Bastrop will commence construction.

If additional information is needed, please advise.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Clarence W. Hawkins".

Clarence W. Hawkins, Mayor

**TOWN OF BOYCE**

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**Donald W. Welch, Mayor**

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Carolyn D. Aaron  
**Chief of Police**  
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**Superintendent**  
Glenn E. Aaron, Sr.

May 22, 2009

Bijan Sharafkhani, P.E.  
Administrator  
Business and Community Outreach Division  
Office of the Secretary  
Department of Environmental Quality  
P O Box 4301  
Baton Rouge, LA 70821-4301

Dear Sir:

If partially or fully funded, the Town of Boyce fully intends to comply with all provisions of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (ARRA) as established by Congress and any regulations related thereto as promulgated by the USEPA, which include:

- The provisions of the Davis-Bacon Act (prevailing wage rates) and,
- The Buy American provision of ARRA, unless a waiver is granted by the EPA.

The Town will submit to DEQ, documentation supporting a Categorical Exclusion not later than 06/12/2009.

The Town will also submit to DEQ the full application and plans/specifications.

By 11/01/2009 and upon signing principle forgiveness/loan agreement, the Town of Boyce will commence construction.

Sincerely,

Donald W. Welch, Mayor  
Town of Boyce, LA

DWW/cda

RYDELL TURNER  
MAYOR

CLARENCE SKIPPER  
POLICE CHIEF

MRS. SADIE G. JONES  
CLERK

# Town of Clayton

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IRENE JEFFERSON

CARL RAY THOMPSON

22 May, 2009

Mr. Bijan Sharafkani, Administrator  
State of Louisiana  
Department of Environmental Quality  
Office of Environmental Services  
P. O. Box 4314  
Baton Rouge, LA 70821

Re: State Revolving Loan Fund Application  
Town of Clayton - Wastewater System Improvements  
Concordia Parish, LA

Dear Mr. Sharafkani:

As per our conversation, relative to the above captioned project, we understand that if this application is fully or partially funded, we are required to comply with the provisions of the American Recovery & Reinvestment Act (ARRA) which includes compliance with Davis-Bacon, Buy American and other provisions.

We also understand that there are several scheduling deadlines we are required to meet. These deadlines include, but are not limited to, the following:

- June 12, 2009 - Submittal of required documentation to DEQ to determine categorical exclusion eligibility.
- August 1, 2009- Submittal of full application, along with completed plans and specifications.
- November, 2009 - Loan closing and construction contract award.

We look forward to working with you on this much needed project.

Sincerely, 

xc: The Honorable Frances Thompson, Senator  
The Honorable Neil Riser, Senator  
The Honorable Andy Anders, Representative



# Town of Delhi

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May 26, 2009

Mr. Bijan Sharafkhani, PE, Administrator  
Louisiana Department of Environmental Quality  
Business and Community Outreach Division  
PO Box 4301  
Baton Rouge, LA 70821-4301

Re: Town of Delhi  
CWSRF-Funded Sanitary Sewer Rehabilitation Project  
American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009

Dear Mr. Sharafkhani:

With reference to our recent telephone conversation in which we were informed that the Town of Delhi is eligible for up to \$1 million in principal forgiveness, this letter is to affirm our intent to construct a sanitary sewer rehabilitation project with Clean Water State Revolving Fund (CWSRF) funding. The Town of Delhi will comply with all provisions of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (ARRA) as established by Congress and any regulations related thereto as promulgated by USEPA and/or LDEQ which include:

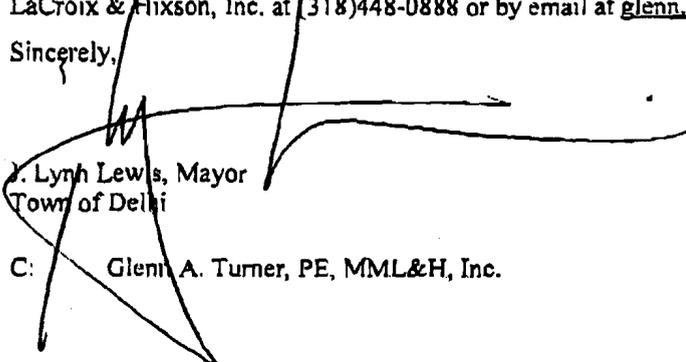
- The Davis-Bacon Act for prevailing wage rates, and
- The Buy American provisions of the ARRA, unless a waiver is granted by EPA

The Town of Delhi will also comply with the "shovel ready" timelines of the ARRA funding. Particularly, we will meet the following timelines:

- By June 12, 2009, we will submit documentation supporting a Categorical Exclusion to formal environmental review requirements. The proposed project will consist entirely of rehabilitation of existing facilities, functional replacement of equipment, or toward the construction of related facilities adjoining the existing facilities that do not affect the degree of treatment or the capacity of the works (i.e., infiltration and inflow correction, rehabilitation of existing equipment and structures, and the construction of small structures on existing sites). We will submit the necessary documentation required by LAC.33.IX.2125.B.1.
- By August 1, 2009, we will submit to LDEQ the full application, along with plans, specifications, and construction contract documents.
- Upon favorable review of the plans and contract documents, advertisement for bids, award of the bid, and signing of a principal forgiveness / loan agreement, the Town will commence construction by November 1, 2009.

Please do not hesitate to contact this office at (318)878-3792 if you need any additional information. You may also contact our project engineer, Glenn A. Turner, PE of Meyer, Meyer, LaCroix & Flixson, Inc. at (318)448-0888 or by email at [glenn.turner@mmlh.com](mailto:glenn.turner@mmlh.com).

Sincerely,



J. Lynn Lewis, Mayor  
Town of Delhi

C: Glenn A. Turner, PE, MML&H, Inc.

J. Lynn Lewis, Mayor

Glenn King, Town Clerk

Stanley McDade, Alderman  
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## Grambling City Hall

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May 26, 2009

Mr. Bljan Sharafkhani, P.El, Administrator  
Business and Community Outreach Division  
Department of Environmental Quality  
P.O. Box 4301  
Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70821-4301

Re: ARRA Funding Response Letter  
City of Grambling, La.  
Wastewater Treatment Plant Renovations  
DDE# 2313

Dear Mr. Sharafkhani:

In response to your instructions by facsimile dated 5/26/09, the City of Grambling, La. has prepared the following written comments for your review and approval. On behalf of the City Council and the residents of Grambling, we are especially pleased to receive your notice that Grambling is eligible to receive ARRA funding for the subject renovations.

As stipulated under this funding, the City of Grambling agrees to comply with the following items and scheduling restrictions:

- If partially or fully funded, the City of Grambling, La. fully intends to comply with all provisions of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (ARRA) as established by Congress and any regulations related thereto as promulgated by the USEPA, inclusive of the provisions of the Davis-Bacon Act (prevailing wage rates) and the Buy American provision of ARRA, unless a waiver is granted by the EPA.
- The City of Grambling will submit to DEQ, no later than 6/12/09, documentation supporting a Categorical Exclusion.
- The City of Grambling will submit the full application and plans and specifications for the WWTP renovations to the DEQ no later than 8/01/09.
- By 11/01/09 and upon signing a Principle Forgiveness/Loan Agreement, the City of Grambling will authorize commencement of construction.

We hope the above response is acceptable to proceed under this program. Please advise should further information be required.

Sincerely,

City of Grambling

Mayor Martha Andrus

Xc: Dean Dick Engineering, Inc.  
Marios Papadopoulos

TOWN OF JONESBORO



LESLIE C. THOMPSON  
MAYOR

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR

POST OFFICE BOX 610  
JONESBORO, LA 71251  
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**Mr. Bijan Sharafkhani**  
**Administrator**  
**Business and Outreach Division**  
**Office of the Secretary**  
**Department of Environmental Quality**  
**P.O.Box4301**  
**Baton Rouge, La 70821-4301**

**Dear Mr. Sharafkhani:**

We have researched the American Recovery and Reimbursement Act of 2009 as established by congress, and regulations thereto as promulgated by USEPA. Per those stipulations of stimulus funding, The Town of Jonesboro fully intends to comply with all provisions which include:

- The provisions of the Davis-Bacon Act (prevailing wages rates) and,
- The Buy American provisions of ARRA, unless a waiver is granted by the EPA.

Further:

- No later than 6/12/09, The Town of Jonesboro will submit to DEQ, documentation supporting a Categorical Exclusion.
- No later than 8/1/09, The Town of Jonesboro will submit to DEQ the full application and plans/specifications.
- By 11/1/09 and upon signing principle forgiveness loan agreement, The Town of Jonesboro will commence construction

Respectfully submitted,

Mayor Leslie Cornell Thompson

(318) 574-3451  
FAX (318) 574-3122

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SECT./TREAS

MARILYN WYCHE  
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# Madison Parish Police Jury

Courthouse Building Tallulah, Louisiana 71282



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DISTRICT 5

May 22, 2009

Bijan Sharafkhani, P.E.  
Business and Community Outreach Division  
Office of the Secretary  
Department of Environmental Quality  
P. O. Box 4301  
Baton Rouge, LA 70821-4301

Re: Madison Parish  
Stimulus Project Application

Dear Mr. Sharafkhani:

If partially or fully funded, the Madison Parish Police Jury fully intends to comply with all provisions of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (ARRA) as established by Congress and Congress and any regulations related thereto as promulgated by the USEPA, which include:

- The provisions of the Davis-Bacon Act (prevailing wage rates) and,
- The Buy American provision of ARRA, unless a waiver is granted by the EPA.

No later than 6/12/09, the Madison Parish Police Jury will submit to DEQ, documentation supporting a Categorical Exclusion.

No later than 8/1/09, the Madison Parish Police Jury will submit to DEQ the full application and plans/specifications.

By 11/1/09 and upon signing principle forgiveness/loan agreement, the Madison Parish Police Jury will commence construction.

Sincerely,

  
James J. Griffin, Jr.  
President



# Town of Mansura

"LA CAPITALE DE COCHON DE LAIT"

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REV. FLOYD MURRAY

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**WASTEWATER SUPERVISOR**  
TERRY BURKE

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JAMES SAMPSON

May 22, 2009

Bijan Sharafkhani,, P. E., Administrator  
Business and Community Outreach Division  
Office of the Secretary  
Dept. of Environmental Quality  
P. O. Box 4301  
Baton Rouge, La, 70821-4301

Dear Mr. Sharafkhani:

If partially or fully funded, the Town of Mansura fully intends to comply with all provisions of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (ARRA) as established by Congress and any regulations related thereto as promulgated by the USEPA which include:

The provisions of the Davis-Bacon Act (prevailing wage rates) and, The Buy American provision of ARRA, unless a waiver is granted by the EPA.

No later than 6/12/09, the Town of Mansura will submit to DEQ documentation supporting a Categorical Exclusion.

No later than 8/1/09, the Town of Mansura will submit to DEQ the full application and plans/specifications.

By 11/1/09 and upon signing principle forgiveness/loan agreement, the Town of Mansura will commence construction.

If additional information is required please do not hesitate to contact our office.

Sincerely,

Kenneth Pickett, Mayor

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## Town of Marion

398 Main St.  
Marion, LA 71260  
Telephone: (318) 292-4715  
Fax: (318) 292-4717



May 26, 2009

Dear Mr. Sharafkhani,

This is to inform you that the Town of Marion will fully comply with all provisions of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 as established by Congress and any regulations related thereto as promulgated by the USEPA. This includes the provision of the Davis-Bacon Act and the Buy American provision of ARRA, unless a waiver is granted by the EPA.

Thanks for Your Assistance.

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Kenneth W. Franklin".

Kenneth W. Franklin  
Mayor

# Village of Sicily Island

## Mayor Arte Goode

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101 Sicily Street - P. O. Box 45  
Sicily Island  
Louisiana 71368

May 26, 2009

Mr. Bijan Sharafkani, Administrator  
State of Louisiana  
Department of Environmental Quality  
Office of Environmental Services  
P.O. Box 4314  
Baton Rouge, La. 70821

Re: State Revolving Loan Fund Application  
Village of Sicily Island-Wastewater System Improvements  
Catahoula Parish, LA.

Dear Mr. Sharafkani:

As per our conversation, relative to the above captioned project, we understand that if this application is fully or partially funded, we are required to comply with the provisions of the American Recovery & Reinvestment Act (ARRA) which includes compliance with Davis Bacon, Buy American and other provisions.

We also understand that there are several scheduling deadlines we are required to meet. These deadlines include, but are not limited to the following:

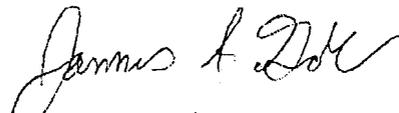
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November, 2009-Loan closing and construction contract award.

We look forward to working with you on this much needed project.

Sincerely,



James Arte Goode  
Mayor



WILLIE HENDRICKS  
Mayor  
STEPHANIE L. COMPTON  
Clerk

## VILLAGE OF SIMSBORO

ALDERMEN:  
Al Madden  
Pam Durrett  
Doug Durrett

May 22, 2009

Bijan Sharafkhani  
Administrator  
DEQ Office of the Secretary  
PO Box 4301  
Baton Rouge LA 70821

If this project is funded we will comply with all provisions in the American Recovery and Reinvestment Fund Act of 2009; including the Davis-Bacon Act and Buy American. No later than June 12, 2009 the Village of Simsboro will submit to DEQ documentation for Categorical Conclusion. By no later than August 1, 2009 the Village of Simsboro will submit to DEQ a full application and plans/specifications. By no later than November 1, 2009 upon closing out the loan we will begin construction.

Willie Hendricks

Mayor

**TOWN OF URANIA**

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**Mayor**  
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**Town Clerk**  
Pam Sullivan

**Aldermen**  
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**May 26, 2009**

**Mr. Bijan Sharafkani, Administor**  
**State of Louisiana**  
**Department of Environmental Quality**  
**Office of Environmental Services**  
**P.O. Box 4314**  
**Baton Rouge, LA 70821**

**RE: State Revolving Loan Fund Application**  
**Town of Urania – Wastewater System Improvements**  
**LaSalle Parish, LA**

**Dear Mr. Sharafkan;**

**As per our conversation, relative to the above captioned project, we understand that if this application is fully or partially funded, we are required to comply with the provisions of the American Recovery & Reinvestment Act (ARRA) which includes compliance with Davis-Bacon, Buy American and other provisions.**

**We also understand that there are several scheduling deadlines we are required to meet. These deadlines include, but are not limited to, the following:**

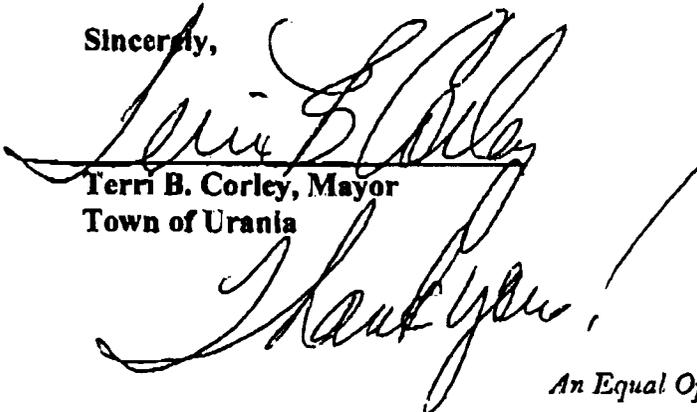
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**November 1, 2009 – Loan closing and construction contract award.**

**We look forward to working with you on this much needed project.**

**Sincerely,**



**Terri B. Corley, Mayor**  
**Town of Urania**

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**xc: The Honorable Neil Riser, Senator  
The Honorable Billy Chandler, Representative**

**The Honorable Neil Riser  
Louisiana State Senator, Dist. 32  
216 Main Street  
Columbia, LA 71418**

**The Honorable Billy Chandler  
Louisiana State Representative, Dist. 22  
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Dry Prong, LA 71423**

# City of Winnfield

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WINNFELD, LOUISIANA  
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Deano Thornton, Mayor

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MATT WALTON

Bijan Sharafkhani, P.E.  
Business and Community Outreach Division  
Office of the Secretary  
Department of Environmental Quality  
P. O. Box 4301  
Baton Rouge, LA 70821

Re: City of Winnfield

Dear Mr. Sharafkhani:

If partially or fully funded, the recipient, City of Winnfield fully intends to comply with all provisions of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (ARRA) as established by Congress and any regulations related thereto as promulgated by the USEPA, which include:

The provisions of the Davis-Bacon Act (prevailing wage rates) and,  
The Buy American provision of ARRA, unless a waiver is granted by the EPA.

No later than 6/12/09, the recipient, City of Winnfield will submit to DEQ, documentation supporting a Categorical Exclusion.

No later than 8/1/09, the recipient, City of Winnfield will submit to DEQ the full application and plans/specifications.

By 11/1/09 and upon signing principle forgiveness/loan agreement, the recipient, City of Winnfield will commence construction.

Sincerely,

Deano Thornton,  
Mayor



# City of Winnsboro



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MAYOR

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CITY CLERK

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CHIEF OF POLICE

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ALDERMEN:

RICHARD MAHONEY  
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BETTY JOHNSON  
CRAIG GILL  
REX McCARTHY

May 26, 2009

Mr. Bijan Sharafkhan, PE, Administrator  
Louisiana Department of Environmental Quality  
Business and Community Outreach Division  
PO Box 4301  
Baton Rouge, LA 70821-4301

Re: City of Winnsboro  
CWSRF-Funded Sanitary Sewer Rehabilitation Project  
American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009

Dear Mr. Sharafkhan:

With reference to our recent telephone conversation in which we were informed that the City of Winnsboro is eligible for up to \$1 million in principal forgiveness, this letter is to affirm our intent to construct a sanitary sewer rehabilitation project with Clean Water State Revolving Fund (CWSRF) funding. The City of Winnsboro will comply with all provisions of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (ARRA) as established by Congress and any regulations related thereto as promulgated by USEPA and on LDESQ which include:

- The Davis-Bacon Act for prevailing wage rates, and
- The Buy American provisions of the ARRA unless a waiver is granted by EPA

The City of Winnsboro will also comply with the shovel ready timelines of the ARRA funding. Particularly, we will meet the following timelines:

- By June 12, 2009, we will submit documentation supporting a Categorical Exclusion to formal environmental review requirements. The proposed project will consist entirely of rehabilitation of existing facilities, functional replacement of equipment, or toward the construction of related facilities adjoining the existing facilities that do not affect the degree of treatment or the capacity of the works (i.e., infiltration and inflow correction, rehabilitation of existing equipment and structures, and the construction of small

structures on existing sites). We will submit the necessary documentation required by LAC.33.IX.2125.B.1.

- By August 1, 2009, we will submit to LDEQ the full application, along with plans, specifications, and construction contract documents.
- Upon favorable review of the plans and contract documents, advertisement for bids, award of the bid, and signing of a principal forgiveness / loan agreement, the City will commence construction by November 1, 2009.

Please do not hesitate to contact this office at (318) 435-9087 if you need any additional information. You may also contact our project engineer, Glenn A. Turner, PE of Meyer, Meyer, LaCroix & Hixson, Inc. at (318)448-0888 or by email at [glenn.turner@mmlh.com](mailto:glenn.turner@mmlh.com).

Sincerely,



Jack Hammons, Mayor  
City of Winnsboro

C: Glenn A. Turner, PE, MML&H, Inc.



# TOWN OF ARCADIA

*Eugene Smith, Mayor*

P. O. Box 767

Arcadia, Louisiana 71001

(318) 263-8456 ~ Fax (318) 263-2571

May 26, 2009

Clerk  
*Tammy Johnson*

Attorney  
*Patrick O. Jefferson*

Mr. Bijan Sharafkhani, P.E., Administrator  
Business and Community Outreach Division  
Office of the Secretary  
Department of Environmental Quality  
P. O. Box 4301  
Baton Rouge, LA 70821-4301

Re: Town of Arcadia  
State Revolving Loan Fund  
2009 Pre-Application

Dear Mr. Sharafkhani:

We are in receipt of the notification letter for the referenced project.

The Town of Arcadia intends to proceed with this project if partially or fully funded and fully intends to comply with all provisions of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (ARRA) of 2009 as established by Congress, the provisions of the Davis-Bacon Act and, the Buy American provision of ARRA.

The Town of Arcadia will submit documentation supporting a Categorical Exclusion to DEQ by June 12, 2009; will submit the full application with plan/specifications by August 1, 2009; will execute a principal forgiveness loan agreement and commence construction by November 1, 2009.

Sincerely,

TOWN OF ARCADIA

Eugene Smith, Mayor



## TOWN OF BENTON

P O Box 1390  
Benton, Louisiana 71006  
(318) 965-2781  
(318) 965-2577 FAX

ALBERT DOUGHTY  
MAYOR

STEPHANIE SULLIVANT  
TOWN CLERK

May 22, 2009

Bijan Sharafkhani, P.E.  
Administrator  
Business and Community Outreach Division  
Office of the Secretary  
Department of Environmental Quality  
P O Box 4301  
Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70821-4301

Dear Mr. Sharafkhani:

If partially or fully funded the Town of Benton fully intends to comply with all provisions of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (ARRA) as established by Congress and any regulations related thereto as promulgated by the USEPA, which include:

- The provisions of the Davis-Bacon Act (prevailing wage rates) and,
- The Buy American provision of ARRA, unless a waiver is granted by the EPA.

No later than June 12, 2009, the Town of Benton will submit to DEQ, documentation supporting a Categorical Exclusion.

No later than August 1, 2009, the Town of Benton will submit to DEQ the full application and plans/ specifications.

By November 1, 2009, and upon signing principal forgiveness/ loan agreement, the Town of Benton will commence construction.

Sincerely,

Albert Doughty  
Mayor  
Town of Benton

MAYOR  
KENNETH A. FREEMAN  
CHIEF OF POLICE  
RON LAMBERT

# **Town of Many**

***The Heart of Toledo Bend***

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May 22, 2009

Mr. Bijan Sharafkhani, P.E.  
Administrator  
Business and Community Outreach Division  
Office of the Secretary  
Department of Environmental Quality  
P.O. Box 4301  
Baton Rouge, LA 70821-4301

Dear Mr. Sharafkhani:

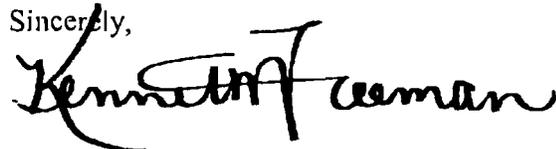
This is in reference to the Town of Many's application for \$251,000 for wastewater repairs. If partially or fully funded, the Town of Many fully intends to comply with all provisions of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (ARRA) as established by Congress and any regulations related thereto as promulgated by the USEPA, which include:

- \* The provisions of the Davis-Bacon Act (prevailing wages rates) and,
- \* The Buy American provision of ARRA, unless a waiver is granted by the EPA.

No later than June 12, 2009, the Town of Many will submit to DEQ documentation supporting a Categorical Exclusion. No later than August 1, 2009, the Town of Many will submit to DEQ the full application and plans/specifications. And by November 1, 2009 and upon signing principle forgiveness/ loan agreement, the Town of Many will commence construction.

If any additional information is needed contact our office and we will provide it upon request. Thank you for offering our town participation in this program.

Sincerely,



Kenneth A. Freeman, Mayor  
Town of Many

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OFFICE OF THE MAYOR  
**Wayne McCullen**

May 26, 2009

Via Fax (225) 219-3971  
And Regular Mail

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LA Department of Environmental Quality  
P.O. Box 4301  
Baton Rouge, LA 70821-4301

Attention: Mr. Bijan Sharafkhani, P.E.  
Administrator

Re: City of Natchitoches  
Louisiana Department of Environmental Quality  
American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009

Dear Mr. Sharafkhani:

The City of Natchitoches hereby certifies:

If partially or fully funded, the City of Natchitoches fully intends to comply with all provisions of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (ARRA) as established by Congress and any regulations related thereto as promulgated by the USEPA which include:

- The provisions of the Davis-Bacon Act (prevailing wage rates); and,
- Buy American provision of ARRA, unless a waiver is granted by EPA.

No later than 6/12/09, the City of Natchitoches will submit to DEQ documentation supporting a Categorical Exclusion.

No later than 8/1/09, the City of Natchitoches will submit to DEQ the full application and plans/specifications.

By 11/1/09 and upon signing principle of forgiveness/loan agreement, the City of Natchitoches will commence construction.

LA Department of Environmental Quality  
May 26, 2009  
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Should you have any questions or require additional information, please contact our office at your earliest convenience.

Sincerely,

  
Wayne McCullen, Mayor  
City of Natchitoches

WM:css

J.C. DICKEY, JR.  
MAYOR

MELISSA DOISE  
TOWN CLERK

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CHIEF OF POLICE

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ATTORNEY

## TOWN OF OIL CITY

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May 22, 2009

Bijan Sharafkhani, P.E.  
Administrator  
Business and Community Outreach Division  
Office of the Secretary  
Department of Environmental Quality  
P.O. Box 4301  
Baton Rouge, LA 70821-4301

Dear Mr. Sharafkhani:

On behalf of the Town of Oil City I would like to thank you for considering the Town for this funding. Our sewer system has been in need of an upgrade for some time now. We have been doing the minimally necessary repairs for years in an effort to not raise the sewer charge and pass this burden onto our already heavily burdened community. We are however, at a time where just minimal repairs are no longer justified.

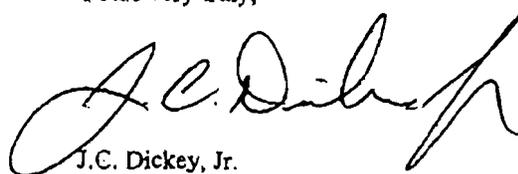
If partially or fully funded, the Town of Oil City fully intends to comply with all provisions of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (ARRA) as established by Congress and any regulations related thereto as promulgated by the USEPA, which include:

- The provisions of the Davis-Bacon Act (prevailing wage rates) and,
- The Buy American provision of ARRA, unless a waiver is granted by the EPA

The the Town of Oil City will no later than June 12, 2009 submit to the DEQ documentation supporting a Categorical Exclusion. The Town of Oil City will also no later than August 1, 2009 submit to DEQ the full application and plans/specifications for the intended project. Finally, the Town of Oil City will no later than November 1, 2009 sign the principle forgiveness/loan agreement and commence construction.

The Town of Oil City is eager to begin this project and resolve our problems. Thank you for taking an interest in our community.

Yours very truly,



J.C. Dickey, Jr.

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## PARISH

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May 26, 2009

Bijan Sharafkhani, P.E.  
 Administrator  
 Business and Community Outreach Division  
 Office of the Secretary  
 Department of Environmental Quality  
 Post Office Box 4301  
 Baton Rouge, LA 70821-4301

RE: ARRA Projects

Dear Mr. Sharafkhani:

As per your telephone notification on Friday, May 22, 2009, it is our understanding that the Parish of Lafourche has been awarded funding for the following projects:

|                |             |
|----------------|-------------|
| Rita Community | \$46,000    |
| Lewistown      | 358,921     |
| Marydale       | 596,000     |
| Total          | \$1,000,921 |

If partially or fully funded, the Parish of Lafourche fully intends to comply with all provisions of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (ARRA) as established by Congress and any regulations related thereto as promulgated by the USEPA, which include:

- o The provisions of the Davis-Bacon Act (prevailing wage rates) and,
- o The Buy American provision of ARRA, unless a waiver is granted by the EPA.
- The Parish will meet the following deadlines:
  - o No later than June 12, 2009, the Parish will submit to DEQ, documentation supporting a Categorical Exclusion.
  - o No later than August 1, 2009, the Parish will submit to DEQ the full application and plans/specifications
  - o By November 1, 2009 and upon signing principal forgiveness/loan agreement, the Parish will commence construction.

Sincerely,



Charlotte A. Randolph  
 Parish President  
 Lafourche Parish

|                       |                  |                 |            |
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May 21, 2009

Bijan Sharafkhani, P.E.  
Administrator  
Office of Secretary  
P.O. Box 4301  
Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70821

Re: Sewer Project – Stimulus Package

Dear Mr. Sharafkhani:

This letter is to advise you that the Town of Hornbeck, if partially or fully funded, intends to fully comply with the requirements of the American Recovery Act, such as the provisions of Davis-Bacon, and Buy American. The Town of Hornbeck agrees to submit documentation to DEQ regarding categorical exclusion no later than June 12, 2009. We will be submitting to DEQ plans and specifications and the full application no later than August 1, 2009. Upon loan close out, we will start construction by November 1, 2009.

If you need additional, I will be happy to provide it.

With kindest regards, I remain...

Sincerely,



**Clarence Beebe – Mayor**

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May 26, 2009

Mr. Bijan Sharafkhani, P.E.  
Louisiana Department of Environmental Quality  
Office of Environmental Assessment  
P.O. Box 4301  
Baton Rouge, LA 70821-4301

RE: ARRA State Priority List for IUP  
City of Jennings  
Wastewater System improvements  
Financial Assistance Request  
PES File: 09-07-03

Dear Mr. Sharafkhani:

We have received the fax from your office outlining the required provisions the City is required to comply with in order to qualify for the above referenced funding.

If partially or fully funded, the City of Jennings fully intends to comply with all provisions of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (ARRA) as established by Congress and any regulations related thereto as promulgated by the USEPA, which includes:

1. Provisions of Davis-Bacon Act (prevailing wage rates) and,
2. The Buy American provision of ARRA, unless a waiver is granted by the EPA
3. No later than 6/12/09, the City will submit to DEQ, documentation supporting a Categorical Exclusion
4. No later than 8/1/09, the City will submit to DEQ the full application and plans/specifications
5. By 11/1/09 and upon signing principle forgiveness/loan agreement, the City will commence construction

Sincerely,

CITY OF JENNINGS

Terry Duhon, Mayor

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May 21, 2009

Mr. Bijan Sharafkhani, Administrator  
Louisiana Department of Environmental Quality  
Office of the Secretary  
P. O. Box 4301  
Baton Rouge, LA 70821

Dear Mr. Sharafkhani:

If our wastewater rehabilitation project is funded, either fully or partially, the City intends to fully comply with all provisions of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 including Davis-Bacon and Buy American provisions.

We will also comply with the following:

- No later than June 12, 2009, we will be submitting categorical exclusion documentation to DEQ.
- No later than August 1, 2009, we will be submitting plans and specifications and a full application to DEQ.
- By November 1, 2009, upon loan closeout, we will start construction.

Your assistance with our project is greatly appreciated.

Sincerely,

Betty Westerchil  
Mayor



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# Town of Merryville

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May 21, 2009

Mr. Bijan Sharafkhani, Administrator  
Louisiana Department of Environmental Quality  
Office of the Secretary  
PO Box 4301  
Baton Rouge, La 70821-4301

Re: Town of Merryville  
Pre-Application for ARRA 2009  
DEQ Project No. CS221250-01

Dear Mr. Sharafkhani:

This is to advise regarding fully or partial funding of our Town's wastewater rehabilitation project, the Town intends to fully comply with all provisions of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 including David-Bacon and Buy American provisions.

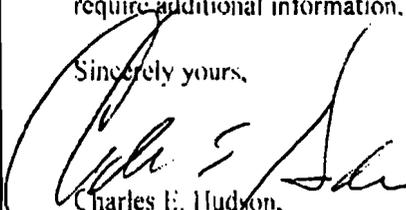
In addition, we also agree to comply with the following:

- Submittal of plans and specifications and a full application to DEQ no later than August 1, 2009.
- Construction to commence by November 1, 2009 upon loan closeout.

With respect to Categorical Exclusion documentation, our Engineering Consultant, Meyer & Associates, Inc. submitted a Technical Memorandum "Request for Categorical Exclusion" dated April 27, 2009 to Mr. William Barlett.

We look forward to working with you on our wastewater improvement project. If you should require additional information, please do not hesitate to call.

Sincerely yours,

  
Charles E. Hudson,  
Mayor

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**Andrew Hayes**  
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May 26, 2009

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Mr. Bijan Sharafkhani, PE, Administrator  
Louisiana Department of Environmental Quality  
Business and Community Outreach Division  
PO Box 4301  
Baton Rouge, LA 70821-4301

Re: City of Oakdale  
CWSRF-Funded Sanitary Sewer Rehabilitation Project  
American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009

Dear Mr. Sharafkhani:

With reference to our recent telephone conversation in which we were informed that the City of Oakdale is eligible for up to \$1 million in principal forgiveness, this letter is to affirm our intent to construct a sanitary sewer rehabilitation project with Clean Water State Revolving Fund (CWSRF) funding. The City of Oakdale will comply with all provisions of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (ARRA) as established by Congress and any regulations related thereto as promulgated by USEPA and/or LDEQ which include:

- The Davis-Bacon Act for prevailing wage rates, and
- The Buy American provisions of the ARRA, unless a waiver is granted by EPA

The City of Oakdale will also comply with the "shovel ready" timelines of the ARRA funding. Particularly, we will meet the following timelines:

- By June 12, 2009, we will submit documentation supporting a Categorical Exclusion to formal environmental review requirements. The proposed project will consist entirely of rehabilitation of existing facilities, functional replacement of equipment, or toward the construction of related facilities adjoining the existing facilities that do not affect the degree of treatment or the capacity of the works (i.e., infiltration and inflow correction, rehabilitation of existing equipment and structures, and the construction of small structures on existing sites). We will submit the necessary documentation required by LAC.33.IX.2125.B.1.
- By August 1, 2009, we will submit to LDEQ the full application, along with plans, specifications, and construction contract documents.



**Andrew Hayes**  
MAYOR

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- Upon favorable review of the plans and contract documents, advertisement for bids, award of the bid, and signing of a principal forgiveness / loan agreement, the City will commence construction by November 1, 2009.

Please do not hesitate to contact this office at (318)335-1111 if you need any additional information. You may also contact our project engineer, Glenn A. Turner, PE of Meyer, Meyer, LaCroix & Hixson, Inc. at (318)448-0888 or by email at [glenn.turner@mmlh.com](mailto:glenn.turner@mmlh.com).

Sincerely,

Andrew Hayes, Mayor  
City of Oakdale

C: Glenn A. Turner, PE, MML&H, Inc.



May 22, 2009

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Office of the Secretary  
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Re: American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009

Dear Mr. Sharafkhani:

The Town of Welsh fully intends to comply with all provisions of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (ARRA) as established by Congress and any regulations related thereto as promulgated by the USEPA, which include:

- The provisions of the Davis-Bacon Act (prevailing wage rates)
- The Buy American provision of ARRA, unless a waiver is granted by the EPA

No later than June 12, 2009, the Town of Welsh will submit to DEQ documentation supporting a Categorical Exclusion, and no later than August 1, 2009, the Town of Welsh will submit to DEQ the full application and plans/specifications.

By November 1, 2009, and upon signing principle forgiveness/loan agreement, the Town of Welsh will commence construction.

With the Town of Welsh being a small municipality having a limited budget, we truly appreciate the opportunity to participate in this program.

Sincerely,

Carolyn Louviere  
Mayor

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# TOWN OF WASHINGTON

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Mr. Bijan Sharafkhani, P.E.  
 Louisiana Department of Environmental Quality  
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 P.O. Box 4301  
 Baton Rouge, LA 70821-4301

RE: ARRA State Priority List for IUP  
 Town of Washington  
 Wastewater System Improvements  
 Financial Assistance Request  
 A&A 09-10-03

Dear Mr. Sharafkhani:

We have received the fax from your office outlining the provisions the Town is required to comply with in order to qualify for the above referenced funding.

If partially or fully funded, the Town of Washington fully intends to comply with all provisions of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (ARRA) as established by Congress and any regulations related thereto as promulgated by the USEPA, which includes:

1. Provisions of Davis-Bacon Act (prevailing wage rates) and,
2. The Buy American provision of ARRA, unless a waiver is granted by the EPA
3. No later than 6/12/09, the Town will submit to DEQ, documentation supporting a Categorical Exclusion
4. No later than 8/1/09, the Town will submit to DEQ the full application and plans/specifications
5. By 11/1/09 and upon signing principle forgiveness/loan agreement, the Town will commence construction

Sincerely,

TOWN OF WASHINGTON

Joseph A. Pitre, Mayor

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May 26, 2009

Mr. Bijan Sharafkhani  
Louisiana Department of Environmental Quality  
602 N. 5<sup>th</sup> Street  
P.O. Box 4301  
Baton Rouge, LA 70802

Re: State Clean Water Revolving Fund Pre-Application

Dear Mr. Sharafkhani:

Thank you so much for assistance as the Town of White Castle addresses clean water and infrastructure issues through State Clean Water Revolving Fund. This letter is to inform you that if our application is fully or partially funded the Town will comply with all provisions of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 to include Davis Bacon and the By American Act. Additionally, no later than June 12, 2009, we will submit documentation for categorical exclusion, and no later than August 1, 2009 we will submit the full application and plan specifications. Finally, no later than November for 2009 upon loan close out, construction will start on our projects. Again, thanks you for this opportunity.

If you need any additional information, contact me at (225)545-3012 or our consultant, Dr. Chuck Carr Brown, at (225)768-9060.

Sincerely,

Maurice A. Brown  
Mayor  
Town of White Castle

cc: Chuck Carr Brown, Ph. D.  
Franklin Industries, LLC

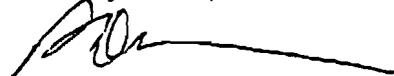
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May 29, 2009

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- If Partially funded, the recipient, Town of Waterproof fully intends to comply with all provisions of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (ARRA) as established by Congress and any regulations related thereto as promulgated by the USEPA, which include:
  - The provisions of the Davis-Bacon Act (prevailing wage rates) and,
  - The Buy American provision of ARRA unless a waiver is granted by the EPA.
- No later than 6/12/09, the recipient, Town of Waterproof will submit to DEQ, documentation supporting a Categorical Exclusion.
- No later than 8/1/09 the recipient, Town of Waterproof will submit to DEQ the full application and plans/specifications.
- By 11/1/09 and upon signing principal forgiveness/loan agreement, the recipient, Town of Waterproof will commence construction.

Sincerely Yours,

  
Bobby Higginbotham,  
Mayor

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# VILLAGE OF HALL SUMMIT

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Office of the Secretary  
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**Re: Grant Application Sewer Dept.**

**Dear Mr. Sharafkhani:**

**If partially or fully funded, The Village of Hall Summit fully intends to comply with all provisions of the American Recovery Reinvestment Act of 2009 (ARRA) as established by Congress and any regulations related thereto as promulgated by the USEPA, which include:**

**The provision of the Davis-Bacon Act (prevailing wage rates) and,  
The buy American provision of ARRA, unless a waiver is granted by EPA.**

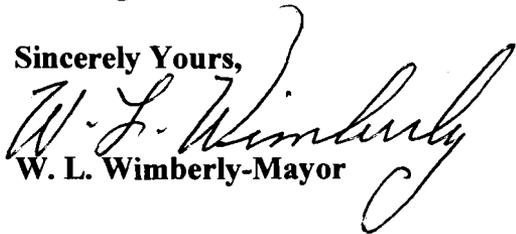
**The Village of Hall Summit no later than 6/12/09 will submit to DEQ, documentation supporting Categorical Exclusion.**

**No later than 8/01/09 The Village of Hall Summit will submit to DEQ the full application and plans/specifications.**

**By 11/01/09 and upon signing principle forgiveness/loan agreement The Village of Hall Summit will commence construction.**

**Thank you for assisting, the Citizenry of Hall Summit does appreciate your help in securing this Grant/Loan.**

**Sincerely Yours,**

  
**W. L. Wimberly-Mayor**



# The City of Mansfield

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ALDERMAN, DISTRICT E

Re: Our File No. 40104.00  
Wastewater Collection System Improvements  
(American Recovery and Reinvestment Act)  
City of Mansfield, Louisiana

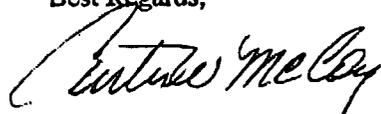
Dear Mr. Sharafkhani:

The City of Mansfield is excited about the opportunity the Department of Environmental Quality, through the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act, has provided to make improvements to our Wastewater Collection System. As required by the program, the City of Mansfield agrees to the following:

1. If funded, the City of Mansfield fully intends to comply with all provisions of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (ARRA) as established by Congress and any regulations related thereto as promulgated by the USEPA, which include:
  - The provisions of the Davis-Bacon Act (prevailing wage rates) and,
  - The Buy American provision of ARRA, unless a waiver is granted by the EPA.
2. No later than 6/12/09, the City of Mansfield will submit to DEQ, documentation-supporting a Categorical Exclusion.
3. No later than 8/1/09, the City of Mansfield will submit to DEQ the full application and plans/specifications.
4. By 11/01/09 and upon signing the principle forgiveness/loan agreement, the City of Mansfield will commence construction.

Please contact me if you need any additional information. We look forward to the opportunity to work with you and your staff on this Project.

Best Regards,



Hon. Curtis W. McCoy, *Mayor*  
City of Mansfield, Louisiana

cc: Mr. Benjamin C. Rauschenbach, P.E., BALAR Associates, Inc.



BETTY THOMAS  
MAYOR

# Village of Pleasant Hill

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Re: Our File No. 40104.00  
Wastewater Treatment System Improvements  
(American Recovery and Reinvestment Act)  
Village of Pleasant Hill, Louisiana

Dear Mr. Sharafkhani:

The Village of Pleasant Hill is excited about the opportunity the Department of Environmental Quality, through the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act, has provided to make improvements to our Wastewater Treatment System. As required by the program, the Village of Pleasant Hill agrees to the following:

1. If partially or fully funded, the Village of Pleasant Hill fully intends to comply with all provisions of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (ARRA) as established by Congress and any regulations related thereto as promulgated by the USEPA, which include:
  - The provisions of the Davis-Bacon Act (prevailing wage rates) and,
  - The Buy American provision of ARRA, unless a waiver is granted by the EPA.
2. No later than 6/12/09, the Village of Pleasant Hill will submit to DEQ, documentation-supporting a Categorical Exclusion.
3. No later than 8/1/09, the Village of Pleasant Hill will submit to DEQ the full application and plans/specifications.
4. By 11/01/09 and upon signing the principle forgiveness/loan agreement, the Village of Pleasant Hill will commence construction.

Please contact me if you need any additional information. We look forward to the opportunity to work with you and your staff on this Project.

Best Regards,

Hon. Betty Sue Thomas, Mayor  
Village of Pleasant Hill, Louisiana

cc: Mr. Benjamin C. Rauschenbach, P.E., BALAR Associates, Inc.

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Mr. Bijan Sharafkhani, Administrator  
Louisiana Department of Environmental Quality  
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Re: City of DeQuincy  
Pre-Application for ARRA 2009  
DEQ Project No. CS221230-01

Dear Mr. Sharafkhani:

This is to advise regarding fully or partially funding of our City's wastewater rehabilitation project, the City intends to fully comply with all provisions of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 including David-Bacon and Buy American provisions.

In addition, we also agree to comply with the following:

- Submittal of categorical exclusion documentation to DEQ no later than June 12, 2009
- Submittal of plans and specifications and a full application to DEQ no later than August 1, 2009
- Construction to commence by November 1, 2009 upon loan closeout

We look forward to working with you on our wastewater improvement project. If you should require additional information, please do not hesitate to call.

Sincerely,



Lawrence Henagan  
Mayor

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# THE TOWN OF CULLEN

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May 21, 2009

Deputy Secretary Alex Appeaning  
Office of the Secretary  
Post Office Box 4301  
Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70821

Mr. Appeaning:

I am writing you this letter to express my gratitude to you on behalf of the Town of Cullen for the interest your organization has taken in us in obtaining much needed funding for rehabilitation of our wastewater treatment facilities. During the last year, several representatives from the DEQ have visited me at my office including Mr. C.W. Webb, Jr., Mr. Thomas R. Griggs, and Ms. Karyn Andrews. All three representatives were extremely helpful to me and our plant supervisor. They answered all of our questions and were eager to assist us with the current state of our wastewater treatment facility. They provided me with necessary information regarding the submittal of an application for the state revolving loan fund so we would have the opportunity to correct some identified infrastructure deficiencies. The work the DEQ is doing to promote economic development and improve environmental quality in the northern part of Louisiana is especially appreciated.

If our project is fully or partially funded, the Town of Cullen intends to fully comply with all provisions stated in the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009, as established by Congress and any regulations related thereto as promulgated by the USEPA, including the Buy American provisions, the provisions of the Davis-Bacon Act (prevailing wage rates), and all other provisions. We further intend to present to the DEQ, no later than June 12, 2009, all necessary information establishing our project as qualifying for Categorical Exclusion by being shovel ready. Also, no later than August 1, 2009 we will provide the Louisiana DEQ with all plans and specifications for our project and upon signing principle forgiveness/loan agreement we will commence construction beginning no later than November 1, 2009.

Sincerely,



Bobby R. Washington  
Mayor, Town of Cullen