

## LOCAL GOVERNMENTS AND RURAL WATER SYSTEMS IMPROVEMENTS BOARD

## **MEMORANDUM**

To: Mayors, Presidents of Boards of Supervisors, County Administrators, Presidents of

Rural Water Associations, Consulting Engineers, and Other Interested Parties

Les Herrington, P.E., BCEE, CPM, Chairman, Local Governments and Rural Water From:

Systems Improvements Board (Board)

Drinking Water Systems Improvements Revolving Loan Fund Program – Subject:

Intended Use Plan

Date: March 31, 2025

By means of this memorandum, the FFY-2024 Emerging Contaminants and Lead Service Line Intended Use Plans of the Drinking Water Systems Improvements Revolving Loan Fund (DWSIRLF) Program are being presented for public notice and review. The Local Governments and Rural Water Systems Improvement Board (Board) has established a public comment period for these documents. Accordingly, written comments on these documents must be received at the address below or SRF.drinkingwater@msdh.ms.gov no later than 5:00 p.m. on April 28, 2025. Please include an email contact in any written communication. The Program will use it to provide confirmation of receipt and feedback as necessary.

> Local Governments and Rural Water Systems Improvements Board Attn: Lee Alford, Director, DWSRLF Program Mississippi State Department of Health (MSDH) 570 East Woodrow Wilson Avenue, Suite U-222 (Underwood Building) Post Office Box 1700

Jackson, Mississippi 39215-1700

The Board will hold an oral proceeding at 9:00 a.m. on April 28, 2025, for comment. All comments received, written or oral, in a timely manner.

The hearing will be held via Zoom video conference:

https://us06web.zoom.us/j/86569220902?pwd=hhOVwdbJZ7VbGTJz1zzwPqdcMdWUI2.1

Password: 332966



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The "Priority List" contained in the Intended Use Plans identifies projects proposed for loan funds. This list of projects has been prioritized in accordance with the criteria approved by the Board. Potential loan recipients with projects shown on the "After Planning List" are encouraged to continue working on their projects. Funds may become available for award to these projects should funded projects fail to meet the established deadlines of the priority system. Released funds will be made available on a first-come first-served basis to projects which proceed and meet all requirements for a loan award.

A copy of the Intended Use Plan may be obtained from the Mississippi State Department of Health (MSDH) website at <a href="www.healthyms.com/dwsrf">www.healthyms.com/dwsrf</a> or by contacting Brittney Carmichael at (601) 576-7649. Please contact her with any questions concerning this information or if assistance is needed.