

Brad Henry
Governor

September 10, 2009

The Honorable Lisa Jackson
Administrator
United States Environmental Protection Agency
Ariel Rios Building
1200 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20460

**RE: Oklahoma ARRA Section 1511 Certification
for Drinking Water State Revolving Fund – September 2009 projects**

Dear Administrator Jackson:

Pursuant to the Section 1511 Transparency and Oversight Certification for recovery projects as required by the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (ARRA), enclosed is the State of Oklahoma's certification that the Drinking Water State Revolving Fund ("DWSRF") Projects have received the full review and vetting required by law and are an appropriate use of taxpayer dollars. This Certification is provided for the attached list of DWSRF Recovery Projects only and is for the September 2009 project list.

The projects are proposed to be financed with a combination ARRA funding in the form of principal forgiveness and traditional DWSRF loan funds. The final financing and ARRA participation levels will be determined to the extent possible at the time of loan closure, but 27.5% principal forgiveness from ARRA and 72.5% loan from the traditional DWSRF program is anticipated. The State will be submitting additional certifications on behalf of the Oklahoma Department of Environmental Quality to address the remaining ARRA DWSRF projects.

Please do not hesitate to contact me should you have questions, comments or require additional information.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Brad Henry", written over a large, stylized circular flourish.

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xc: Secretary J.D. Strong



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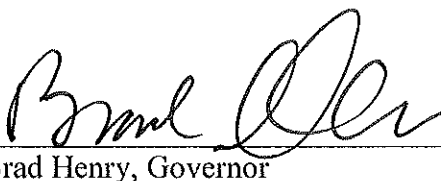
**CERTIFICATION UNDER SECTION 1511 OF
THE AMERICAN RECOVERY AND REINVESTMENT ACT**

Pursuant to Title XV, Subtitle A, section 1511, of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (Pub. L. 111-5 (Feb. 17, 2009)) ("ARRA"), I, Brad Henry, Governor of the State of Oklahoma, hereby certify that the drinking water infrastructure projects depicted in the attached list (September 2009 project list) and proposed to be funded in whole or in part with amounts appropriated by ARRA under the Drinking Water State Revolving Fund to the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency have received the full review and vetting as required by law. I accept responsibility that the certified investments represented in the attached list are appropriate uses of taxpayer dollars. I further certify that the specific information required by section 1511 concerning each such investment (a description of the investment, the estimated total cost, and the amount of ARRA funds to be used) is available to the public at <http://www.deq.state.ok.us>, linked to Recovery.gov, as well as described in Oklahoma's FY 2009 DWSRF Intended Use Plan and Project Priority List approved by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region 6 on January 7, 2009, with a subsequent amendment accepted on June 8, 2009.

I understand that Oklahoma may not receive ARRA infrastructure investment funding unless this certification for the referenced projects is made and posted.

Hereby Certified:

STATE OF OKLAHOMA
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR



Brad Henry, Governor

Signed this 10th day of September, 2009

ATTACHMENT

Oklahoma Department of Environmental Quality
 Drinking Water State Revolving Fund Program
 Approved ARRA Projects
 September 8, 2009

Binding Commitment Date
 which will allow for Loan Closing and Construction Contract by February 17, 2010.

Shovel Ready Projects	Brief Project Description	Estimated Project Amount	ARRA Funds
Bixby PWA	Construction of 15,200 L.F. of water main ranging in size from 12-inch to 24-inch along Mingo Road, Arkansas River crossing, and road borings, water valves, fire hydrants, and all other appurtenances.	\$ 3,070,000.00	\$ 844,250.00
Elk City PWA	Construction of 76,740 L.F. of 24-inch PVC water line; 11,030 L.F. of 20-inch PVC water line; 34,956 L.F. of 16-inch PVC water line; 9,349 L.F. of 12-inch PVC water line; 1,900 L.F. of PE water line and all other appurtenances.	\$ 9,375,000.00	\$ 2,000,000.00
Guymon UA	Construction of two (2) water wells, retrofitting an existing water well, and approximately 13,500 L.F. of 12" PVC water main and all other appurtenances.	\$ 1,915,000.00	\$ 526,625.00
Lawton WA	Replace a total of 51,000 L.F. of undersized 2-inch, 4-inch, and 6-inch waterlines with 8-inch and 10-inch waterlines to improve the water distribution grid and system reliability.	\$ 6,210,000.00	\$ 1,707,750.00
Mayes County RWD #3	Upgrade the treatment plant to increase the capacity from 400,000 to 700,000 gallons per day; replace media in four filters; install tube settlers in the sedimentation weirs; install air scrubber system; construct a 50' x 70' filter building; install automated valves, and all other appurtenances.	\$ 976,000.00	\$ 268,400.00
Newcastle PWA	Construction of 6,680 L.F. of 12-inch water line and 17,365 L.F. of 18-inch water line, and all other appurtenances to connect to Oklahoma City to purchase water.	\$ 2,463,227.00	\$ 677,387.00
Ponca City UA	Rehabilitation of the Lake Ponca raw water transmission main, construction of two (2) 800 gallon per minute water wells, replacement of the water plant line softening system, and installation of SCADA controls.	\$ 3,355,000.00	\$ 922,625.00
Rogers County RWD #7	Installation of approximately 7,500 L.F. of 12-inch water line and 1,500 water meters equipped with an automated meter reading system.	\$ 759,000.00	\$ 207,705.00
Tulsa MUA	Project #1 (TMWA 04-57 C1) - Installation of 2,542 L.F. of 6-inch DIP and 12,696 L.F. of 6-inch PVC; Project #2 (TMWA 04-57 C2) - 27,000 L.F. of 6-inch waterline throughout city; Project #3 (TMWA 04-57 C4) - 10,200 L.F. of 6-inch waterline and 1,000 L.F. of 8-inch waterline throughout city; Project #4 (TMWA 07-28) - 9,000 L.F. of 6-inch waterline in vicinity of N. Madison Ave. to N. Peoria and E. Latimer St. to E. Archer St.	\$ 6,670,000.00	\$ 1,834,250.00
TOTAL		\$ 34,793,227.00	\$ 8,990,012.00