Gov. Daugaard Announces $167,200 for Tri County Landfill Association Project

PIERRE, S.D. – Gov. Dennis Daugaard says the state Board of Water and Natural Resources has approved a $167,200 funding package to the Tri County Landfill Association to construct a new cold storage building at the regional landfill near Pukwana.

The financial package includes a $33,440 grant and a $133,760 loan from the Solid Waste Management Program. Loan terms are 2.25 percent for seven years.

The funds will be administered through the Department of Environment and Natural Resources.

“I am pleased to announce that the Tri County Landfill Association will receive this assistance,” said Gov. Daugaard. “This funding will help build a storage facility to use for storing and maintaining equipment used at the landfill.”

The project involves constructing 60-by-120-by-14-foot cold storage building to store equipment used at the landfill.

The funds will cover the estimated cost of the project.

The Solid Waste Management Program provides grants and loans for solid waste disposal, recycling and waste tire projects. The Legislature appropriates dedicated funds annually to the Solid Waste program through the Governor’s Omnibus Water Funding Bill.

The board met today over the Digital Dakota Network.

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