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**Gov. Noem Announces Nearly \$1.1 Million for Elk Point Water and  
Wastewater Improvements**

PIERRE, S.D. – Gov. Kristi Noem says the state Board of Water and Natural Resources has approved a \$1,088,000 funding package for Elk Point to make water and wastewater improvements.

The funding package includes a \$593,000 loan from the Clean Water State Revolving Fund and a \$495,000 loan from the Drinking Water State Revolving Fund. Loan terms are 2.5 percent for 30 years. The funding package along with local funds will cover the estimated \$1.125 million cost of the project.

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

“I am pleased to announce that Elk Point will receive this assistance,” said Gov. Noem. “This funding will help the city complete needed upgrades to its water and wastewater systems to better serve its customers.”

The project includes replacement of water and sewer lines along Douglas Street and Washington Street that have outlived their useful life. Eight hundred and twenty feet of sewer line and 1,670 feet of water line will be replaced with PVC piping. The project will be completed along with roadway infrastructure improvements.

The State of South Dakota and the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency fund the Clean Water State Revolving Fund Program, which provides low-interest loans for wastewater, storm water and nonpoint source projects.

The State of South Dakota and the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency fund the Drinking Water State Revolving Fund Program, which provides low-interest loans for public drinking water system projects.

The board met today over the Digital Dakota Network.