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**Gov. Noem Announces \$6.36 Million for Madison Storm Water and
Wastewater System Improvements**

PIERRE, S.D. – Gov. Kristi Noem says the state Board of Water and Natural Resources has approved \$6,360,000 in loans from the Clean Water State Revolving Fund for Madison to complete upgrades to its storm water and wastewater systems.

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

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

Madison will use the funding to make improvements to its storm water and wastewater infrastructure. Storm water system improvements include replacement of approximately 5,000 linear feet of storm sewer pipe, removal of 30 manholes, replacement of 90 inlets, installation of 39 storm sewer junction boxes, and street and curb repairs. Wastewater system improvements include replacement of approximately 8,500 linear feet of sanitary sewer pipe, 13,500 linear feet of sewer pipe relining, and street repairs.

The loans will cover the total cost of the project. Loan terms are 2.125 percent for 30 years.

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 board met today via remote video connection.