Dillingham Design/Permit Water Main Extension Loan # 283161-SE

City of Dillingham receives a fully subsidized loan of \$1,400,000 for planning and design to address PFAS contamination

The Alaska Department of Environmental Conservation (ADEC) awarded a fully subsidized loan of \$1,400,000 to the City of Dillingham. Due to the presence of PFAS, or perfluoroalkyl and polyfluoroalkyl substances, in private groundwater wells near the Dillingham Airport, the City plans to extend a water main 2.4 miles from the existing water system owned by the City in order to provide clean, safe drinking water to the affected properties. The loan will be used for planning and designing the proposed water main extension as well as preparing construction documents and obtaining any needed construction permits.



ADEC is authorized by state law to issue loans to borrowers for eligible water system infrastructure projects. The administration of the loan is through the ADEC State Revolving Fund Program under the authority of the Alaska Drinking Water Fund.

The Alaska Drinking Fund is capitalized annually by a grant from the Environmental Protection Agency. This loan is offered through Emerging Contaminants funding made available through the Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act. The Drinking Water State Revolving Fund programs operate around the country to provide states and communities with the resources necessary to maintain and improve the infrastructure that provides clean and safe drinking water resources nationwide.

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