



Alaska Department of Environmental Conservation State Revolving Fund Program



Project #910011-SE, Whittier Well Replacement

Alaska State Revolving Fund Program finances critical drinking water infrastructure with fully subsidized loan

The Alaska Department of Environmental Conservation (ADEC) awarded a fully forgiven \$3.5 million loan to the City of Whittier for the design and construction of a new well system and supporting facilities to replace the community's aging water system, originally built in the 1950s. This project will help Whittier meet its current water supply needs for residential, commercial, and industrial customers.

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.

This fully subsidized loan offers Whittier a valuable opportunity to construct utility improvements that will increase operational efficiency and support the potential to provide clean, safe drinking water to its customers, investments that might otherwise be financially out of reach. The Alaska Drinking Fund is capitalized annually by a grant from the

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency. The Drinking Water State Revolving Fund programs operate nationwide to provide states and communities with the resources necessary to maintain and improve the infrastructure that delivers clean and safe drinking water.



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