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Rural Development Ensures Quality Water for Henry, Lyman and Morrill Residents

Henry, Neb., August 26, 2008— The Village of Henry will develop a new regional water source to be shared with neighboring communities of Lyman and Morrill with a recent funding of \$506,800 from the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) Rural Development.

“The Village of Henry and its’ board members are very grateful for the financial assistance,” stated Chairperson David Derr, Village of Henry. “The funds will help us to complete and update our current water system so that residents can have safe and clean drinking water.”

“Currently the Village of Henry is under an Administrative Order. Rural Development funds will be used to bring Henry’s municipal water system back into compliance with the Safe Drinking Water Act,” stated Roberta Mues, area specialist, USDA Rural Development. “A portion of the funds will also be used to upgrade the existing distribution system.”

Improvements include a new 50,000 gallon elevated storage tank, water meters, valves and distribution mains. Loan terms are 40 years at 3.625 percent interest.

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