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Town of Newburg Approved For Water & Waste Grant

Morgantown, WV – June 17, 2010: State Director **Bobby Lewis** announces that **Rural Development** approved a Water and Waste Disposal Grant in the amount of \$341,000 for the Town of Newburg, Preston County, WV.

Rural Development funds, leveraged with other funding sources, will be used to extend public water service to approximately 136 additional households, as well as an elementary school and medical facility. The proposed project area includes the communities of Fellowsville, York Run, and sections along County Route 50/3, State Route 26, and State Route 92.

“This project exemplifies our mission to improve the quality of life for rural Americans,” stated Lewis. “Residents in these areas currently do not have a safe and reliable source of water.”

This grant consists of subsequent funding to cover a construction bid over-run and completes a total Rural Development funding package of \$1,526,000.

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