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## Webster Springs VFD Approved For Federal Funding

**Morgantown, WV – June 16, 2010:** State Director **Bobby Lewis** announces that **Rural Development** approved a Community Facilities Direct Loan in the amount of \$10,200 and a Community Facilities Economic Impact Initiative Grant in the amount of \$30,300 for Webster Springs Volunteer Fire Department, Inc., Webster County, WV.

Rural Development funds will be used to purchase a 12-lead cardiac monitor and a thermal imaging camera for the department.

Through the Community Facilities Programs, assistance is provided to facilities such as libraries, schools and First Responders (e.g., ambulance services, hospitals), using a variety of programs that assist in funding construction, operating costs, repairs and equipment.

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