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Department of Conservation & Natural Resources

DIVISION OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

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IMPORTANT MEMORANDUM

DATE: December 15, 2011

TO: Interested Parties

FROM: Bureau of Administrative Services

SUBJECT: Nevada Division of Environmental Protection Drinking Water & Clean Water State Revolving Fund Priority Lists

We are in the process of preparing **Priority Lists** for projects to be funded from the State of Nevada Division of Environmental Protection, **Drinking Water State Revolving Fund (DWSRF) & Clean Water Revolving State Revolving Fund (CWSRF)**.

If you are interested in applying for a Drinking Water and/or a Clean Water Project loan, please fill out the combined **DWSRF/CWSRF** Pre-Application form (attached). Complete one application for each project you want to be included on the Project Priority List. Indicate whether the project is a **Drinking Water or Clean Water** project on the application. DO NOT include a Drinking Water project and a Clean Water project on the same Pre-Application form.

If your utility already has a project on the 2012 Priority List for either the Drinking Water or Clean Water State Revolving Fund Loan Programs and you want it to remain on the list for 2013, you are required to provide us with a written request stating your wish to remain on the list. To determine which projects in priority order can receive funding, we need to assess the current status and “readiness to proceed” of each project on the Priority List. Please include, in your written request, an updated description and estimate of the cost of the project (or remaining project phases) and your best estimate of when your project will be ready to proceed. If the scope of the project has changed, a description of the new scope should also be included with the written request. There is no need to complete and submit the Pre-Application form unless you wish to add a new project. Please note that if you fail to submit a written request, your water and/or wastewater project will be removed from the 2013 Priority List(s).

Since Federal rules of the FY 2012 funds require that 20% of the funds be reserved for Green projects, we are soliciting for projects that emphasize energy and water efficiency such as, but not limited to:

- Energy efficient retrofits and upgrades to pumps and treatment processes.
- On site clean power production including: wind, solar, hydroelectric, geothermal, biogas, etc.
- Installation of water meters.
- Replacement or rehabilitation of distribution lines that have data documenting water loss.
- Reuse of treated effluent.

This is not an exhaustive list. For a more complete list of the type of projects that can be funded, feel free to contact me at the number or email address shown below.

Please complete the enclosed Pre-Application form or provide your written request to remain on the priority list(s) and submit it no later than **February 15, 2012**. The information on the form will be used to determine the priority ranking of your project. It is important that we receive an accurate assessment of your project needs so that we can develop financial strategies to meet these needs.

For additional information on the Clean Water State Revolving Loan Fund or to download additional copies of the loan pre-application, visit our website <http://ndep.nv.gov/bffwp/srlf01.htm> or the Drinking Water State Revolving Loan Fund website <http://ndep.nv.gov/bffwp/dwsrf1.htm>. Please do not hesitate to call me at (775) 687-9489 or email ddobson@ndep.nv.gov, if you have any questions or need to know which of your projects are on the 2012 Priority List.

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