



*Brad Henry*  
Governor

August 14, 2009

The Honorable Lisa Jackson  
Administrator  
United States Environmental Protection Agency  
Ariel Rios Building  
1200 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20460

**RE: Oklahoma ARRA Section 1511 Certification  
for Clean Water State Revolving Fund – August 2009 projects**

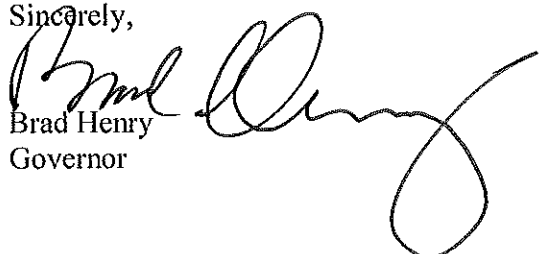
Dear Administrator Jackson:

Pursuant to the Section 1511 Transparency and Oversight Certification for recovery projects as required by the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (ARRA), enclosed is the State of Oklahoma's certification that the Clean Water State Revolving Fund ("CWSRF") Projects have received the full review and vetting required by law and are an appropriate use of taxpayer dollars. This Certification is provided for the attached list of CWSRF Recovery Projects only and is for the August 2009 project list.

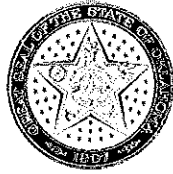
The projects are proposed to be financed with a combination ARRA funding in the form of principal forgiveness and traditional CWSRF loan funds. The final financing and ARRA participation levels will be determined to the extent possible at the time of loan closure, and we anticipate that the final financing determinations will remain subject to further review and modification until December 2009. The State will be submitting additional certifications on behalf of the Oklahoma Water Resources Board to address the remaining ARRA CWSRF projects.

Please do not hesitate to contact me should you have questions, comments or require additional information.

Sincerely,

  
Brad Henry  
Governor

xc: Secretary J.D. Strong



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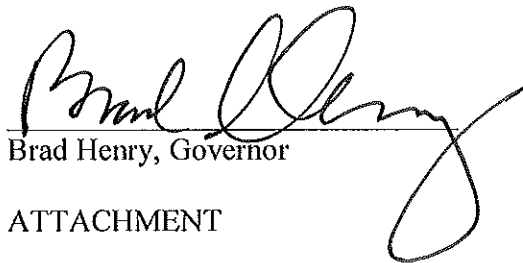
**CERTIFICATION UNDER SECTION 1511 OF**  
**THE AMERICAN RECOVERY AND REINVESTMENT ACT**

Pursuant to Title XV, Subtitle A, section 1511, of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (Pub. L. 111-5 (Feb. 17, 2009)) ("ARRA"), I, Brad Henry, Governor of the State of Oklahoma, hereby certify that the wastewater infrastructure projects depicted in the attached list (August 2009 project list) and proposed to be funded in whole or in part with amounts appropriated by ARRA under the Clean Water State Revolving Fund to the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency have received the full review and vetting as required by law. I accept responsibility that the certified investments represented in the attached list are appropriate uses of taxpayer dollars. I further certify that the specific information required by section 1511 concerning each such investment (a description of the investment, the estimated total cost, and the amount of ARRA funds to be used) is available to the public at <http://www.owrb.ok.gov>, linked to Recovery.gov, as well as described in Oklahoma's FY 2010 CWSRF Intended Use Plan and Project Priority List approved by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region 6 on July 10, 2009.

I understand that Oklahoma may not receive ARRA infrastructure investment funding unless this certification for the referenced projects is made and posted.

Hereby Certified:

STATE OF OKLAHOMA  
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

  
Brad Henry, Governor

Signed this \_\_\_\_\_ day of August, 2009

ATTACHMENT

**Oklahoma Water Resources Board  
Clean Water State Revolving Fund Program  
Approved ARRA Projects**

Binding Commitment Date  
which will allow for Loan  
Closing and Construction  
Contracts by February 17,  
2010

Shovel Ready Projects	Brief Project Description	Estimated Project Amount	ARRA Funds
Del City Municipal Services Authority	Wastewater Treatment Plant Improvements - Additional of a belt filter press and associated metal building and related piping and appurtenances to achieve better sludge management	\$1,190,000.00	\$238,000.00
Muskogee Municipal Authority	Sewer System Improvements - Construct approximately 3,600ft. of sanitary sewer line and all related construction and appurtenances	\$1,435,000.00	\$287,000.00
Stillwater Utilities Authority	Sewer System Improvements - Construct a metal roof and enclosure over the ultra violet disinfection facility and lightning protection equipment at the main WWTP; rehabilitate sewer lines as well as the Airport and Husband lift stations; purchase jet rodding and stormsewer cleaning equipment and a biosolids field application apparatus	\$2,565,000.00	\$513,000.00
Piedmont Municipal Authority	Sewer System Improvements - Construct approx 11090 ft of sanitary sewer line, approx 2,040 ft of force main and all related construction and appurtenances	\$2,655,000.00	\$531,000.00
Owasso Public Works Authority	Wastewater Treatment Plant Improvements - Improvements include to the aeration tank, waste activated sludge thickening, relief pump station and wastewater treatment plant conveyance system, and construction of new clarifier, two new activated sludge pumps, an effluent disinfection systems as well as new aerobic digestion system. Additional a new regional detention facility will be constructed included grading, earthwork necessary to construct the pond, dam, wetlands, and concrete spillway	\$12,880,000.00	\$2,000,000.00
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>\$20,725,000.00</b>	<b>\$3,569,000.00</b>

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