

The City of Hammond Funds a Lead Service Line Replacement Project

Funding will be used to complete necessary improvements to the City of Hammond's water system.

INDIANAPOLIS, April 2025 - The City of Hammond will be provided \$5,000,000 of financial assistance through the Indiana Finance Authority's (IFA) State Revolving Fund (SRF) Program to fund improvements to the City's drinking water systems. The City of Hammond will save approximately \$5,500,000 in principal and interest costs by utilizing the SRF Loan Program rather than open market financing.

SRF Loan Programs are administered by the IFA with joint funding from the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency and the State of Indiana. The City of Hammond's drinking water project will replace aging lead service lines in older areas of the distribution system. The project will ensure the City of Hammond is able to provide consistent quality water and help protect public health within its service area.

SRF Loan Programs operate in all States to provide the resources necessary to maintain and improve the infrastructure that protects our valuable water resources. Communities can get more information about obtaining an SRF loan by contacting Stephanie McFarland at (317) 709-8728, stephanie@mcfarlandpr.com, or by visiting www.srf.in.gov.