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SENATE BILL 326

**54TH LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - FIRST SESSION, 2019**

INTRODUCED BY

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ENDORSED BY THE NEW MEXICO  
FINANCE AUTHORITY OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE

AN ACT

RELATING TO PUBLIC FINANCE; AUTHORIZING THE NEW MEXICO FINANCE  
AUTHORITY TO MAKE LOANS OR GRANTS FROM THE WATER PROJECT FUND  
FOR CERTAIN WATER PROJECTS; DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO:

**SECTION 1. AUTHORIZATION OF QUALIFYING WATER PROJECTS.--**

Pursuant to Section 72-4A-9 NMSA 1978, the legislature  
authorizes the New Mexico finance authority to make loans or  
grants from the water project fund to the following qualifying  
entities for the following qualifying water projects on terms  
and conditions established by the water trust board and the New  
Mexico finance authority:

1. to the village of Milan in Cibola county for a  
flood prevention project;
2. to the eastern Sandoval county arroyo flood

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1 control authority in Sandoval county for a flood prevention  
2 project;

3 3. to the southern Sandoval county arroyo flood  
4 control authority in Sandoval county for a flood prevention  
5 project;

6 4. to the upper Rio Grande watershed district in  
7 Rio Arriba county for a flood prevention project;

8 5. to the city of Grants in Cibola county for a  
9 flood prevention project;

10 6. to the city of Sunland Park in Dona Ana county  
11 for a flood prevention project;

12 7. to the city of Clovis in Curry county for a  
13 water conservation or treatment, recycling or reuse project;

14 8. to Los Alamos county for a water conservation or  
15 treatment, recycling or reuse project;

16 9. to the city of Gallup in McKinley county for a  
17 water storage, conveyance and delivery project;

18 10. to the city of Portales in Roosevelt county for  
19 a water storage, conveyance and delivery project;

20 11. to the Eldorado area water and sanitation  
21 district in Santa Fe county for a water storage, conveyance and  
22 delivery project;

23 12. to the El Creston mutual domestic water  
24 consumers association in San Miguel county for a water storage,  
25 conveyance and delivery project;

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1           13. to the Sangre de Cristo regional mutual  
2 domestic water consumers and mutual sewage works association in  
3 Guadalupe county for a water storage, conveyance and delivery  
4 project;

5           14. to the village of Cuba in Sandoval county for a  
6 water storage, conveyance and delivery project;

7           15. to the Chappelle mutual domestic consumers  
8 association in San Miguel county for a water storage,  
9 conveyance and delivery project;

10          16. to the eastern New Mexico water utility  
11 authority in Curry county for a water storage, conveyance and  
12 delivery project;

13          17. to the Buena Vista mutual domestic water  
14 consumer's and sewage works association in Mora county for a  
15 water storage, conveyance and delivery project;

16          18. to the town of Red River in Taos county for a  
17 water storage, conveyance and delivery project;

18          19. to the city of Belen in Valencia county for a  
19 water storage, conveyance and delivery project;

20          20. to the Alcalde mutual domestic water consumers'  
21 and mutual sewage works association in Rio Arriba county for a  
22 water storage, conveyance and delivery project;

23          21. to the Pena Blanca water and sanitation  
24 district in Sandoval county for a water storage, conveyance and  
25 delivery project;

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1           22. to the La Cueva mutual domestic water consumers  
2 association in San Miguel county for a water storage,  
3 conveyance and delivery project;

4           23. to the lower Arroyo Hondo mutual domestic water  
5 consumers and mutual sewage works association in Taos county  
6 for a water storage, conveyance and delivery project;

7           24. to the Union del Llano mutual domestic water  
8 consumers association in Taos county for a water storage,  
9 conveyance and delivery project;

10          25. to the village of Eagle Nest in Colfax county  
11 for a water storage, conveyance and delivery project;

12          26. to the city of Jal in Lea county for a water  
13 storage, conveyance and delivery project;

14          27. to the Guadalupe soil and water conservation  
15 district in Guadalupe county for a watershed restoration and  
16 management project;

17          28. to the Claunch-Pinto soil and water  
18 conservation district in Torrance county for a watershed  
19 restoration and management project in Taos, Rio Arriba, Los  
20 Alamos, Santa Fe and Sandoval counties;

21          29. to the Claunch-Pinto soil and water  
22 conservation district in Torrance county for a watershed  
23 restoration and management project; and

24          30. to the San Juan soil and water conservation  
25 district in San Juan county for a watershed restoration and

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1 management project.

2 SECTION 2. EMERGENCY.--It is necessary for the public  
3 peace, health and safety that this act take effect immediately.

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