

**CWSRF ARRA Success Story:
ARRA Funds Wastewater Treatment Upgrades in Georgetown, CO**

The Town of Georgetown used Recovery Act funds to replace and upgrade its activated sludge wastewater treatment equipment with an advanced biological nutrient removal process, an improved process for enhanced phosphorous and zinc reduction. Translation: much cleaner water discharged from the utility to Clear Creek. Georgetown has also used funding to make much needed improvements to its drinking water system, including a new water storage tank, and has installed renewable power generation systems. The net results—safer drinking water for residents and improved water quality in an important water source, trout fishery and recreational amenity for downstream communities.