

DRINKING WATER STATE REVOLVING FUND



WATER SYSTEM CONSOLIDATION/PARTNERSHIPS

State Program:

Arkansas Drinking Water State Revolving Fund

Assistance Recipient:

City of Arkadelphia

Project Name:

Town of Gum Springs Consolidation

Initial Agreement Date:

2021



Project Description

The Town of Gum Springs and City of Arkadelphia worked together to improve drinking water quality and affordability for customers by consolidating the Gum Springs water system with the existing Arkadelphia water system. Before this project, Gum Springs purchased water from Arkadelphia and experienced 50 percent water loss. **This \$2.8 million DWSRF project with \$767,000 in principal forgiveness included improvements to the elevated water storage tank, water booster and chlorination station, meters, and water mains.** Gum Springs residents now receive more reliable, safe drinking water and benefit from the financial solvency of being incorporated into the Arkadelphia water system.



**DWSRF Assistance
Provided
\$2.8M**



**Principal
Forgiveness
\$767,000**

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