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The Honorable Bill Feldmeier, Chairman of the Board Yavapai County Board of Supervisors 1015 Fair Street Prescott, AZ 86301

Dear Chairman Feldmeier:

Congratulations! I am pleased to announce that Yavapai County has been awarded a \$150,000 Community Development Block Grant from the FY 1998 AzSTEP State Special Project (SSP) Account, the first Water/Wastewater Self-Help award in the state.

These grant funds will be used by the Yavapai County for Mayer Water System Improvements. Please see the enclosure for a detailed description of the project.

The agreement for these grant funds will be initiated shortly and should be mailed to you for signature within the next 30 days. If you have any questions or concerns about this contracting process, please contact Rivko Knox, CDBG Program Manager, at [602] 280-1361.

If the Department of Commerce can be of any further assistance to you in assuring the successful implementation of this project, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Sincerely,

Steve Capobres

Director of Housing & Infrastructure

Enclosure

CC:

U. S. Senators John McCain and Jon Kyl

U. S. Congressman Bob Stump

State Senator Carol Springer and Senator-Elect Ken Bennett

State Representatives Don Aldridge and Sue Lynch and Representatives-Elect Linda Binder and Barbara Blewster

County Administrator/CDBG Contact Person, James Holst

Mayer Domestic Water Improvement District, Frank Soto

NACOG, Ken Sweet, Executive Director

NACOG, Margaret Keener, CDBG Contact person

CDBG Manager, Rivko Knox





Attachment I

Yavapai County

Activity #1 Administration

\$ 5,000 CDBG

To carry out all required actions to administer all activities funded from the FGY98 State Special Project Account (AzSTEP set-aside) for Yavapai County, to include requesite record keeping, reporting, monitoring and all other actions necessary to ensure compliance with CDBG Program requirements and may include contracting with other entities to carry out such actions.

Activity #2 Mayer Water Improvement System

\$145,000 CDBG

To procure a 125,000 gallon bolt together water storage tank and to procure materials for the replacement of approximately 7,000 l.f. of water line with 6 in. PVC for the Mayer Domestic Water Improvement District (MDWID). The storage tank will be constructed on parcel #500-09-131, which is land owned by MDWID in Poland Junction. Lines will be replaced/relocated to Agua Fria from 7th St. to Sunset, Sunset and Agua Fria to Sunset and Central Avenue and Sunset to Central Avenue and Oak Street. Engineering and contracting will be procured only when such services cannot be provided by volunteers or other means. This activity will meet the areawide low and moderate-income national objective and serve approximately 1,061 persons of whom approximately 671 or 63% are low to moderate income.