

Yellowstone County



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December 30, 2025

Christalle Thompson, ARPA Grant Specialist
Montana Department of Natural Resources & Conservation
Via: EMAIL

Subject: Yellowstone County Worden-Ballantine Water & Sewer District Water System Improvements
Request for Relief

Dear Christalle :

Worden-Ballantine Water & Sewer District seeks relief from ARPA Grant Agreement AM-22-0063, Section 7, which states that the Subrecipient agrees to submit documentation of its grant expenses to receive reimbursement from DNRC. While the district is anxious to pay our vendors on the project, the district does not maintain reserves for expenditures as large as those that the vendors require.

Invoices from the District accompany this letter to indicate which invoices were submitted with AM-22-0063 Draw #7 for \$29,624.51. Those expenses shown without warrant numbers have not been paid to date.

The district understands and will comply with the requirement to pay vendors within 7 days of receipt of the funds from DNRC and will provide documentation of that payment within 10 days of receipt of funds from DNRC.

Thank you for promptly releasing funds to Worden-Ballantine Water & Sewer District.

Sincerely,

Mark Morse, Chair
Yellowstone County Commissioners

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