

USDA Rural Development Reservation Economic Summit March 12, 2024

Total Projects: 3; Grant Funding Total: \$57,817,354

States	Senators	Representatives	Program	Recipient	Grant	Project Description
NV	Catherine Cortez Masto Jacky Rosen	Steven Horsford (04)	306 C Water and Waste Grants - Native American	Yomba Shoshone Tribe	\$772,000	This Rural Development investment will be used to provide additional funding of \$772,000 to the Yomba Shoshone Tribe to support their effort to replace their current water tank. The tank has reached the end of its useful life and does not have proper disinfection equipment. The new water tank will reduce the risk of water loss and have disinfection equipment to maintain clean and reliable water access. More than 15 residences and other tribal buildings will benefit from this improvement, enabling families in the Yomba Shoshone Tribe to have safer water. Additional installations include water lines, fire hydrants and other minor improvements to the water system that would increase efficiency and resiliency.
ОК	James Lankford Markwayne Mullin	Josh Brecheen (02)	ReConnect Grant	Choctaw Nation	\$22,297,100	This Rural Development investment will be used to deploy a fiber-to- the-premises network to provide high-speed internet. This network will benefit 1,988 people, 12 businesses and 100 farms in Le Flore County in Oklahoma. Choctaw Nation will make high-speed internet affordable by participating in the Federal Communications Commission's (FCC) Affordable Connectivity Program. This project will serve Choctaw Tribal Statistical Area and socially vulnerable communities in Le Flore County.
SD	John Thune Mike Rounds	Dusty Johnson (At Large)	ReConnect Grant	Oglala Sioux Tribe	\$34,748,254	This Rural Development investment will be used to deploy a fiber-to- the-premises network to provide high-speed internet. This network will benefit 3,322 people, 47 businesses, 55 farms and seven educational facilities in Bennett and Oglala Lakota counties in South Dakota. Oglala Sioux Tribe will make high-speed internet affordable by participating in the Federal Communications Commission's (FCC) Affordable Connectivity Program. This project will serve Pine Ridge Land Area Representation and socially vulnerable communities in Bennett and Oglala Lakota counties.
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