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SENATE BILL 170

**53RD LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - SECOND SESSION, 2018**

INTRODUCED BY

Joseph Cervantes

ENDORSED BY THE NEW MEXICO

FINANCE AUTHORITY OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE

AN ACT

RELATING TO FINANCE; AUTHORIZING THE NEW MEXICO FINANCE  
AUTHORITY TO MAKE LOANS OR GRANTS FROM THE WATER PROJECT FUND  
FOR CERTAIN WATER PROJECTS; DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO:

**SECTION 1. AUTHORIZATION OF QUALIFYING WATER PROJECTS.--**

Pursuant to Section 72-4A-9 NMSA 1978, the legislature  
authorizes the New Mexico finance authority to make loans or  
grants from the water project fund to the following qualifying  
entities for the following qualifying water projects on terms  
and conditions established by the water trust board and the New  
Mexico finance authority:

1. to the village of Columbus in Luna county for a  
flood prevention project;
2. to the city of Sunland Park in Dona Ana county

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1 for a flood prevention project;

2 3. to the upper Rio Grande watershed district in  
3 Rio Arriba county for a flood prevention project;

4 4. to the city of Carlsbad in Eddy county for a  
5 water conservation or treatment, recycling or reuse project;

6 5. to the village of Chama in Rio Arriba county for  
7 a water conservation or treatment, recycling or reuse project;

8 6. to the city of Clovis in Curry county for a  
9 water conservation or treatment, recycling or reuse project;

10 7. to the city of Jal in Lea county for a water  
11 conservation or treatment, recycling or reuse project;

12 8. to the Trampas mutual domestic water consumers  
13 and mutual sewage works association in Taos county for a water  
14 conservation or treatment, recycling or reuse project;

15 9. to the eastern New Mexico water utility  
16 authority in Curry county for a water storage, conveyance and  
17 delivery project;

18 10. to the city of Portales in Roosevelt county for  
19 a water storage, conveyance and delivery project;

20 11. to the Canoncito at Apache Canyon mutual  
21 domestic water consumers and mutual sewage works association in  
22 Santa Fe county for a water storage, conveyance and delivery  
23 project;

24 12. to the city of Gallup in McKinley county for a  
25 water storage, conveyance and delivery project;

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1           13. to the town of Elida in Roosevelt county for a  
2 water storage, conveyance and delivery project;

3           14. to the Ancones mutual domestic water and  
4 wastewater consumers association in Rio Arriba county for a  
5 water storage, conveyance and delivery project;

6           15. to the Albuquerque-Bernalillo county water  
7 utility authority in Bernalillo county for a water storage,  
8 conveyance and delivery project;

9           16. to the Garfield mutual domestic water consumers  
10 and mutual sewage works association in Dona Ana county for a  
11 water storage, conveyance and delivery project;

12           17. to the Alcalde mutual domestic water consumers  
13 and mutual sewage works association in Rio Arriba county for a  
14 water storage, conveyance and delivery project;

15           18. to the town of Carrizozo in Lincoln county for  
16 a water storage, conveyance and delivery project;

17           19. to the Valley Estates mutual water and sewer  
18 association in Rio Arriba county for a water storage,  
19 conveyance and delivery project;

20           20. to the Sierra soil and water conservation  
21 district in Sierra county for a watershed restoration and  
22 management project;

23           21. to the Claunch-Pinto soil and water  
24 conservation district in Torrance county for a watershed  
25 restoration and management project; and

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22. to the East Rio Arriba soil and water  
conservation district in Rio Arriba county for a watershed  
restoration and management project.

SECTION 2. EMERGENCY.--It is necessary for the public  
peace, health and safety that this act take effect immediately.

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