





On November 18, 2024, Ohio Governor Mike DeWine and Ohio Environmental Protection Agency (Ohio EPA) Director Anne M. Vogel announced \$16.7 million for 13 infrastructure projects across the state. This is the sixth round of H2Ohio funding awarded to municipalities by Ohio EPA to improve water infrastructure and increase access to safe drinking water.

The outline of award winners below was compiled by the Ohio EPA. Reporters with questions regarding a specific project should contact the entity receiving the award. Those with questions about the grant program should contact Bryant Somerville, digital communications manager for Ohio EPA, at 614-965-2463 or bryant.somerville@epa.ohio.gov

Grantee	Targeted Infrastructure Projects	Amount	Purpose
Madison Water District	Lincoln Fields Area Phase 1	\$378,500.00	This project will connect 200 Madison Township residents and 10 businesses to reliable and safe public drinking water
Wintersville	Wintersville/Steubenville Water Connection	\$650,000.00	This project will fund improvements to a drinking water pump station for the City of Wintersville. The improvements will enable a drinking water connection between Wintersville and Steubenville.
Meigs County	Meigs County Landfill Leachate Treatment	\$675,000.00	The Meigs County Landfill is closed but it has been impacting surface water quality due to ammonia discharges. This project will help fund an aeration system to mitigate any impacts to surface water.
Lakeview	Midway Water System Improvements	\$1,000,000.00	This project will help fund the construction of approximately 2,400 linear feet of new 8" waterlines with fire hydrants and valves. The project extends water service to an area that no longer meets private well water regulations.
Guernsey County	Route 40 Sewer Extension	\$1,000,000.00	This project will extend sewer access four miles along Route 40 and constructing a county-owned treatment facility.

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Tuppers Plains-Chester Water District	Mountain Belle Road Water Extension	\$49,091.79	This project will extend drinking water access to five homes on Mountain Belle Road within the Tuppers Plains-Chester Water District.
Findlay	Springlake Sanitary Sewer Upgrades	\$1,000,000.00	This project will fund improvements to a subdivision that was previously tied into the City of Findlay sewer system.
Portage County	Chinn Regional Sewer Improvements	\$2,000,000.00	The project will install a new wastewater collection system that will address the water quality violations. The new sewers and pump stations also provide regional improvements to the project and surrounding area.
Trumbull County	Meadowbrook Sanitary Sewer Improvements	\$1,000,000.00	This project includes the construction of more than 10,000 feet of sewer to service 71 structures in Warren Township. A wastewater treatment plant will also be built and will service approximately 750 properties.
Ohio & Lee Water and Sewer District	Hannibal Wastewater Collection System	\$1,500,000.00	The unincorporated area of Hannibal is an unsewered community that consists of 211 homes and 15 commercial properties in Monroe County. The community has a water system and is currently served by on-site household sewage treatment systems (HSTS). Many of these HSTS are old and are beyond their useful lives. This project will provide sanitary sewers to transfer wastewater to the existing Duffy wastewater treatment plant.
South Vienna	WTP Upgrades	\$1,500,000.00	This project will install upgrades to South Vienna's water treatment plant to address maximum contaminant levels. It will also include iron removal filtration and clear well improvements.
Clark County	Donnelsville Water System	\$5,000,000.00	The project will extend of water access from Clark County to the Village of Donnelsville and construct a new water distribution system in the Village of Donnelsville.

Gallipolis	Waterline Replacement	\$1,000,000.00	This project will replace of a significant number of water mains and other drinking water infrastructure in Gallipolis. Much of the infrastructure is beyond its useful life with regular breaks leading to boil orders.
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