



Drinking Water State Revolving Loan Fund September Priority List FY2026
Projects Recommended to NMFA for IJIA Emerging Contaminant Funding

This list will be updated with each funding cycle- Updated 11/6/2025

Rank	Public Water System Name and Number	Score	Population	County	Disadvantaged Status	Project Title	Project Description	Requested Funding	Terms of Financial Assistance
1	Elephant Butte Water System / New Mexico Water Service Company, NM3530827	48	2,800	Sierra	Severely Disadvantaged	NMWSC - Elephant Butte PFAS Treatment Project	<p>New Mexico Water Service, Elephant Butte Water System, NM3530827, located in the city of Elephant Butte. We have detected levels of PFAS in our drinking water above the EPA guidelines. The Elephant Butte Water System has 1195 total service connections, 1121 active connections and a population of 2800. We are seeking grant funding to design and build GAC treatment facilities to remove PFAS at 2 well sites, Unit 5 and Unit 27 in Elephant Butte. The sole source of water supply for the Elephant Butte Water System is groundwater pumped from these two wells.</p> <p>In March 2023, the United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) proposed National Primary Drinking Water regulations for select PFAS compounds as summarized in Attachment A. The EPA is planning to finalize the proposed regulation early in 2024, with a compliance window of 3-years. New Mexico Water identified 2 active wells throughout the Elephant Butte District that currently exceed the EPA’s planned regulation for PFAS . Removing all groundwater sources impacted by PFAS from service would result in a no water supply for the Elephant Butte Water System.</p>	\$10,110,791.00	To be determined by NMFA
Total:								\$ 10,110,791.00	
Notes:									





Comprehensive -Eligible IJA Emerging Contaminants Projects Submitted Not Recommended for Funding at This Time
***Projects on this list have submitted a pre-application for funding but have not been reviewed or ranked for final eligibility**

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FY24 Q4	Cordova MDWCA, NM3501221	325	Rio Arriba	Cordova MDWCA Well 3	Drill and construct a new well adjacent to the tank site. The existing two supply wells have elevated levels of manganese.	\$354,000.00
					Total:	\$354,000.00

