

WASTEWATER COLLECTION SYSTEM AND TREATMENT PLANT IMPROVEMENTS

STATE PROGRAM: Indiana Finance Authority

ASSISTANCE RECIPIENT: Town of Prince's Lakes

ASSISTANCE AMOUNT: \$2,341,000



PROJECT DESCRIPTION

In 2018, the Indiana General Assembly passed a law requiring recipients of Indiana CWSRF and Drinking Water State Revolving Fund financial assistance to certify they have documentation, such as an asset management plan, that demonstrates they have the financial, managerial, technical, and legal capability to operate and maintain drinking water or wastewater distribution/collection and treatment system. To help recipients comply with this requirement, the Indiana SRF program provides State grant funding for utilities to establish asset management plans. To date, Indiana has provided \$600,000 in State grant funds to 24 SRF recipients to establish asset management plans.

The Town of Prince's Lakes received \$2,341,000 in financial assistance from the Indiana CWSRF for wastewater collection system and treatment plant improvements to meet effluent limits and improve system efficiency. The Town also received a \$25,000 State grant for the development of an asset management plan, which will include the Town's collection system and wastewater treatment plant. Through the asset management planning process, the Town will inventory and regularly assess the condition of its system, enabling them to forecast their future maintenance costs more efficiently.

To read more about this case study, please visit https://www.epa.gov/sites/default/files/2021-02/documents/asset_management_plans_and_the_clean_water_state_revolving_fund.pdf.