



HANCOCK COUNTY UTILITY AUTHORITY

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1. Atlantic Street Area Sewer Improvements - \$2,721,250

This project would install a low pressure grinder pump system throughout the area between Highway 90 to the South, Highway 603 to the North and Kiln / Waveland Cutoff Road. This system would send the wastewater from the homes in that area to the Hancock County Utility Authority's Southern Regional Wastewater Treatment Plant. We would also, remove or fill in all septic tanks in that area.

2. Western Regional Wastewater Treatment Plant Outfall Relocation Project - \$3,200,000

This project would relocate the outfall line for the Western Regional WWTP, which is discharging into Pate Bayou, to the discharge into the Pearl River. The line would be installed down Whites Road, Whipple Road, cross under Highway 604 to Logtown Road, and then down Logtown Road to the Pearl River.

3. Oak Harbor Sewer System Improvements - \$2,811,548

This project would purchase the certificates for the water and sewer in that area and install a new STEP tank sewer collection system. The homeowners would become customers of the Pearlington Water & Sewer District. The Hancock County would continue to apply for grant funding to upgrade the Well inside the subdivision to connect and use as a back up to the Pearlington Water Well.

4. Stennis Space Center Wastewater Conveyance Project - \$10,650,000

This project would consist of installing 7 miles of sewer force main and two lift stations to convey the wastewater from the Stennis Space Center to the Hancock County Utility Authority's Northern Regional Wastewater Treatment Plant on Texas Flat Road in Kiln, MS. Stennis doesn't want to treat wastewater.

5. Energy Efficiency Upgrades to All Wastewater Plants (Solar) - \$3,000,000

This project will allow us to install solar panels at all three wastewater treatment plants and cut electrical costs approximately 25% annually. Along with this

project, Coast Electric will be installing a battery system at the Western Regional Plant to possibly save another 5-10% more on our power bill.

6. Other projects that we will be seeking grant funding for are as follows:

- Kiln / Delisle Road Sewer Improvements
- Springwood Sewer Improvements
- Lift Station Upgrades for Bay St. Louis
- Southern Plant Process Improvements
- Oak Harbor Water Well Upgrades and Connection