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(Little Rock) - The Arkansas Natural Resources Commission announced today, approval of a grant in an amount up to \$32,000 from the Water Development Fund to the city of Joiner (Mississippi County), according to Commission Chairman Fred Fowlks. Approval is contingent upon the city establishing and maintaining a depreciation reserve fund. Funds will be used to match USDA Rural Development grant funds.

"These funds will be used to repair and upgrade a water storage tank, remove an old tank and construction of a backwash water holding system. These improvements will serve 278 customers," said Mark Bennett, ANRC Water Development Division Manager.