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(Little Rock) - The Arkansas Natural Resources Commission announced today, approval of a grant in an amount up to \$305,000 from the Water Development Fund to the town of Shirley (Van Buren County), according to Commission Chairman Fred Fowlks. Approval is contingent upon the Community Water System acquiring, operating and maintaining the system as part of the Community Water System.

"These funds will be used to install 650 linear feet of bored 12" encasement pipe containing 6" waterline. These improvements will serve 159 customers," said Mark Bennett, ANRC Water Development Division Manager.