

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**  
for the  
**MITCHELL WATER SYSTEM IMPROVEMENTS PROJECT**

The City of Mitchell is seeking funding from the South Dakota Board of Water and Natural Resources for a project consisting of major upgrades to the City's drinking water system, including construction of a 2.5 million gallon capacity ground storage tank and associated pump station and chemical feed facility, modifications to the water distribution system, and demolition of the Burr Street water tank. The funds could be either a grant from the state Consolidated Water Facilities Construction Program or a loan from the Drinking Water State Revolving Fund (DWSRF) Program. The City is seeking up to \$11,000,000 from the DWSRF program. The expected loan term is 30 years at 1.875%. The Board of Water and Natural Resources may forgive all or a portion of the loan principal for the loan. The amount, source of funds, and terms will be determined by the Board of Water and Natural Resources when the application is presented at a scheduled board meeting. The purpose of this public hearing is to discuss the proposed project, the proposed financing, and the source of repayment for the loan. The public is invited to attend and comment on the project.

The public hearing will be held in the Mitchell City Hall council chambers on September 20, 2021 at 6:00 PM. Please contact the City's engineering office at 995-8435 if you have any questions about the hearing.