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## Sen. Frank Barnitz Announces \$418,040 Grant for the City of Newburg

JEFFERSON CITY – State Senator Frank Barnitz, D-Lake Spring, today announced that Newburg will receive a \$418,040 state grant for community development. The Community Development Block Grant will be used to expand the city's wastewater collection system.

"These funds will make real improvements to the quality of life of Newburg residents," Barnitz said. "With more than \$400,000 for wastewater development, this small-but-thriving community now has the resources to better protect its citizens."

Community Development Block Grants are issued by the Missouri Department of Economic Development. Block grant staffers at the Community Development division rely on communication with community leaders to determine which areas are most deserving of development grants.

"This grant shows that the citizens and community leaders of Newburg are committed to improving their city's infrastructure," Barnitz said. "They are the ones who have put forth the effort to move forward with community progress."

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