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# PUBLIC NOTICE

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## NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING

The South Big Horn County Rural Water Joint Powers Board, Basin, Wyoming, will conduct a public meeting at 7:00 p.m., local time, on March 16, 2017, in Basin Town Hall, 209 S 4th St., Basin, WY. The purpose of the meeting is to allow citizens to review and comment on the following project: South Big Horn County Rural Water Refinance Project. South Big Horn County Rural Water Refinance Project involves securing funds from the Wyoming Drinking Water State Revolving Loan Fund. The SRF loan will be used to refinance an existing loan that was needed to help finance the construction of water transmission and distribution infrastructure. The Rural Development Loans help finance the construction of a regional water system to provide the towns of Basin, Manderson and the surrounding rural areas with a reliable good quality domestic supply. Construction included installing 6" to 12" transmission pipelines and associated infrastructure which service the distribution systems in the Towns of Basin, Manderson and also the distributions system in the southern rural portions of Big Horn County. Rural Development also helped finance the distribution system in the southern rural portions of Big Horn County. Rural Development helped finance the drilling of two potable water wells, a 240,000 gallon storage tank, and SCADA. South Big Horn County Rural Water Joint Powers Board plans to borrow \$822,885.55 in funds from the Wyoming Drinking Water State Revolving Loan Fund administered by the Wyoming Office of State Lands and Investments. The loan which has terms of 2.5% interest and 20 years will be used to repay a higher interest loan.

No increases to user fees will be necessary as a result of this project. Written comments are welcome and must be received by 1:00 p.m. on March 16, 2017. Send written comments to DOWL, 16 W 8th Street, Sheridan, WY 82801.

Public Meeting Date: March 16, 2017

February 28, 2017

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