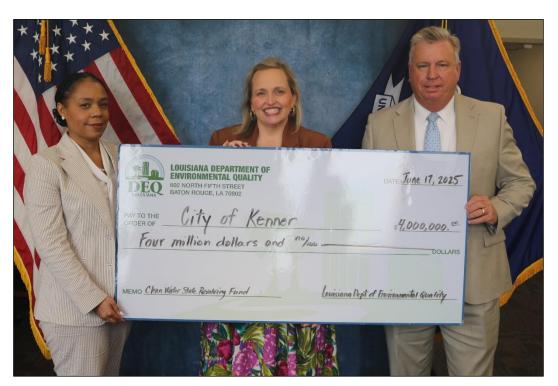
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## The Louisiana Department of Environmental Quality awards Kenner \$4 **Million for Civic Improvements**

Baton Rouge, LA — Louisiana Department of Environmental Quality (LDEQ) Secretary Courtney Burdette met with Kenner Mayor Michael J. Glaser this week to present the city of Kenner with a check for \$4 million from the Clean Water State Revolving Fund (CWSRF) Program.

The City of Kenner will use the funds to make improvements and upgrades to the city's three lift stations. This will include new wells. submersible pumps, discharge piping and valves, control panels with generator hookups, and an emergency pump out for each station.



"This meeting reaffirms our commitment to working with state departments to maintain infrastructure and drive future growth," Mayor Glaser said. "We appreciate Secretary Burdette and her team for listening to our concerns and strengthening our partnership."

"By collaborating with local parish officials, we're building partnerships that safeguard Louisiana's water and its citizens," Secretary Burdette said. "These essential infrastructure investments will create lasting benefits for the people of Kenner."

The CWSRF Program, plays a critical role helping parishes in facilitating compliance with the Clean Water Act through low-interest loans for eligible water and wastewater projects. The CWSRF offers an attractive interest rate of just 0.95% and, in some cases, includes provisions for loan forgiveness. This program is designed to support municipalities in advancing their infrastructure needs while ensuring sustainable financial assistance for future projects across Louisiana.

Photo Key: LDEQ Secretary Courtney Burdette, left, and LDEQ Undersecretary Theresa Delafosse present Kenner Mayor Michael J. Glaser with a facsimile check for \$4 million in loan funds during a June 17 ceremony at LDEQ Headquarters in Baton Rouge.

Appearing at the Louisiana Department of Environmental Quality on June 17, 2025, are (L-R): Courtney Burdette, Secretary, LDEQ; Theresa Delafosse, Undersecretary, LDEQ; Michael J. Glaser, Mayor, City of Kenner.

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