

IEPA Funding of Disinfection Improvements at UCSD Southwest Treatment Plant

The Urbana & Champaign Sanitary District (UCSD) has been approved to receive an approximately \$3.4 million low interest loan from the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency for Disinfection Improvements at its Southwest Treatment Plant. The project includes new ultraviolet (UV) disinfection equipment for the treatment plant's effluent along with upgrades to the existing hypochlorite system for disinfection of excess flow discharge.

The State Revolving Fund (SRF) program is administered by the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency and receives a portion of its money to fund these types of projects from the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency. SRF programs operate in each state to provide communities the resources necessary to build, maintain, and improve the infrastructure that protects one of our most valuable resources water.