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Governor Musgrove Awards Grants in Sharkey County

(Jackson, MS) – Governor Ronnie Musgrove has awarded grants through the Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) program to the towns of Anguilla, Cary and Rolling Fork, and to Sharkey County. Anguilla will receive \$300,000 for street improvements. Cary will receive \$299,400 to construct a water well. Rolling Fork will receive \$297,500 for sewer improvements. Sharkey County will receive \$450,000 to provide the Child Support Division of the Department of Human Services with a new building.

“We are working hard to help our communities improve their infrastructure and other services,” said Musgrove. “Strong communities build a strong economy and a better way of life for our citizens.”

CDBG is a program of the Community Services Division of the Mississippi Development Authority. Among the division’s goals are assisting communities in analyzing their strengths and weaknesses, involving their leadership in economic development, planning development strategies, strengthening development organizations, and implementing and financing community projects. The Community Services Division also administers other Economic Development grant and loan programs.

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