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To whom it may concern,

The Flandreau Santee Sioux Tribe's Housing Department is managing a grant from the Bureau of Indian Affairs for Potable Water, which was enacted by Congress creating the American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA).

The Flandreau Santee Sioux Tribe received grant funding that will be used to help Tribal members from having water sources shut off or disconnected due to non-payment or overdue balances and will pay a portion of their water bill directly to the utility provider. The amount to be paid will be 75% of the water bill.

It is the applicant's responsibility to provide the Housing office with a completed application and a copy of their water bill. The Tribe will then determine the average water usage and will send a check for 3 months' worth directly to the utility provider, to apply towards their bill.

Applications are due once every 90 days starting **March 15, 2024**, and can be submitted to the Tribal Office, Housing Department, or by email at <u>Housing@fsst.org</u>.

Please give our office a call if you have any questions at (605)997-2194.

Sincerely,

Tyler Rambeau HAF/Housing Administrative Assistant