

Application for Rural Access Infrastructure Grant

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****Funding is subject to approval by the Highway Supt and County Commission, with payment after project completion.**

Date Applied 8-21-25

Township Sterling Contact Person/ Title Michelle Vande Weerd, clerk
Address/ City /State /Zip 416659 208th St. Bruce SD 57200
Telephone: 605-690-3106 Email michelle.vandeweerd@gmail.com

Structure ID from Inventory Database: 061583 0605 and 061583 0606

Describe location of project: moderate deterioration and fair condition on county's report

Describe issue or reason for request: gravel road
replace culverts (see notes)

Safety/emergency implications: NA

Proposed solution: replace culverts

Number of County Residents Affected: _____ Estimated Completion Date: 12/1/26
 One time Problem Re-occurring Problem If re-occurring, how can this problem be resolved?

What is the size of the culvert or structure being replaced? same 72 x 72 x 40
What is the size of the proposed new culvert or structure? _____
What, if any, engineering costs are anticipated? NA

Additional permitting may be required if the replacement is different than the original structure.

Total Project Cost: \$48684.41 Township Proposed Contribution: \$9736.88 Grant Requested: \$38947.53

Please Attach the Bid Proposal/ Estimate from contractor with this application.

Submitted By:
Michelle Vande Weerd
Printed Name

Michelle Vande Weerd
Signature

8-21-25
Date

Estimate

Jensen Hilltop Trucking Inc.
 47157 200th St.
 Brookings, SD 57006

Name/Address
 Michelle Vande Weerd
 Sterling Township
 46659-205th Street
 Bruce, SD 57220

Date	Estimate No.	Project
08/13/25	15	

Item	Description	Quantity	Cost	Total
Culvert	Structures 06-1583-0605 & 0606: 2-72 inch culverts	2	10,300.00	20,600.00
Instalation	50 feet long			
Material Hauled	Ballast	75	35.10	2,632.50
Material Hauled	Rip Rap	75	42.55	3,191.25
Material Hauled	Bedding Rock	100	35.10	3,510.00
Material Hauled	Gravel	250	12.00	3,000.00
excavator	Labor and all equipment to remove old pipes install	1	12,000.00	12,000.00
	new pipes dispose of old pipes and place Rip Rap			
Trucking	Hauling all materials from L.G. Everist		3,200.00	3,200.00
2% Excise Tax		27,533	0.02	550.66
	Quantities and prices may vary at time of instalation			

Thank you for your business.	Total	\$48,684.41
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Resolution Approving Application(s) for
Rural Access Infrastructure Funds

The Starling Township Board of Brookings County hereby approves the
attached Rural Access Infrastructure Funding application and acknowledges that it complies
with SDCL 31-34-7.

Approved this 21 day of August, 2025.

Mike Vande Weerd

Township Chairperson Mike Vande Weerd

James L. Hegg

Township Supervisor Jim Hegg

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Township Supervisor Tom Vander Wae

Attest:

Michelle Vande Weerd

Township Clerk

Township Contact: Michelle Vande Weerd

Phone Number: 605-690-3106

Email Address: michelle.vande.weerd@gmail.com

Received by: Stacy Sellsensen

Date: 08/29/25

**Due by October 31st

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Small Structure Improvement Plan for Rural Access Infrastructure Grant

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Pursuant to 8-10-30, we have provided our townships annual report to the Brookings County Auditor before the last day of March 20 25 and retained a copy in the records of the township clerk. (YES) / NO

The township is eligible for funds based upon the following criteria. Check all that apply.

Impose a Property Tax Levy of 50 cents per thousand 10-12-28.2 yes

Impose a tax levy opt out pursuant to 10-13-36 yes Structure is on a full maintenance road yes

Website for your map and Inventory list: sdtownships.com -- then -- map and inventory access click here

The follow requirements are attached on a separate sheet of paper. Check all that applying

A map showing the location of all small structures within the township ✓

A print out from the DOT database identifying structure location, width, length, condition, load posting ✓

The following list identifies the structures to be proposed for replacement over the next 5 years. As one cannot accurately plan for disasters, this list is subject to modifications as situations present itself.

YEAR 20 25 (bid) Complete 2026

Structure ID Db 15B30605 Location 202 St.

Type of project replace culvert

Estimated Cost see below Expected Completion Year 2026

If the structure has a load posting, the current posting is -. (only fill in if this applies)

YEAR 20 25 (bid) Complete 2026

Structure ID Db 15B30606 Location 202 St.

Type of project replace culvert

Estimated Cost \$48,694.41 Expected Completion Year 2026

If the structure has a load posting, the current posting is -. (only fill in if this applies)

Combined Bid for Both

YEAR 20 26

Structure ID 0613191004 Location 206 St.

Type of project replace culvert

Estimated Cost unknown Expected Completion Year 2027

If the structure has a load posting, the current posting is —. (only fill in if this applies)

YEAR 20 _____

Structure ID _____ Location _____

Type of project _____

Estimated Cost _____ Expected Completion Year _____

If the structure has a load posting, the current posting is _____ . (only fill in if this applies)

YEAR 20 _____

Structure ID _____ Location _____

Type of project _____

Estimated Cost _____ Expected Completion Year _____

If the structure has a load posting, the current posting is _____ . (only fill in if this applies)

YEAR 20 _____

Structure ID _____ Location _____

Type of project _____

Estimated Cost _____ Expected Completion Year _____

If the structure has a load posting, the current posting is _____ . (only fill in if this applies)

YEAR 20 _____

Structure ID _____ Location _____

Type of project _____

Estimated Cost _____ Expected Completion Year _____

If the structure has a load posting, the current posting is _____ . (only fill in if this applies)

YEAR 20 _____

Structure ID _____ Location _____

Type of project _____

Estimated Cost _____ Expected Completion Year _____

If the structure has a load posting, the current posting is _____ . (only fill in if this applies)