



**Board of Directors
Regular Meeting
October 22, 2021**

MEETING BRIEFING

The SODA Board of Directors met for its regular October meeting at the Donald W. Reynolds Center in Pauls Valley, Oklahoma.

REAP Awards for FY 2022

SODA received an allocation of \$1,470,125 in REAP funding for FY 2022, an increase of \$220,000 over the previous year. The SODA Board of Directors approved REAP grant awards in the amount \$1,491,792.79 to communities and counties in the SODA service area. The total award amount includes a combination of FY 22 REAP funding and REAP de-obligated and interest funds held in reserve (a profile report of FY 2022 REAP Awards is attached).

SODA Conference Center Expansion

The SODA Board of Directors authorized a contract with Blackledge and Associates of Oklahoma City as the architect for the SODA Conference Center expansion. Blackledge was the architect for the existing SODA offices and has also been the architect for several county and municipal projects in the region.

Home-Delivered Meals Survey

The SODA AAA administered a survey to determine client satisfaction with the Mom's Meals meal package. The survey was sent to about 500 recipients during September, 2021. 96% of those responding said the program has helped them. Most were satisfied with the taste and variety of the meals.

SODA Accounting Policies and Procedures Review

The SODA AAA accounting policies have not been updated since 2000. President Joe McReynolds directed the Budget and Finance Committee to review and update the policy and appointed new members to the Budget and Audit Committee.

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City of Ardmore
Carter County
Marshall County
City of Lindsay
City of Lone Grove
Bryan County
Choctaw Nation
Pontotoc County
Chickasaw Nation

The next SODA Board of Directors meeting is December 10, 2021 at Murray State College Student Center, Tishomingo, Oklahoma.



PROFILE OF 2022 REAP GRANT AWARDS

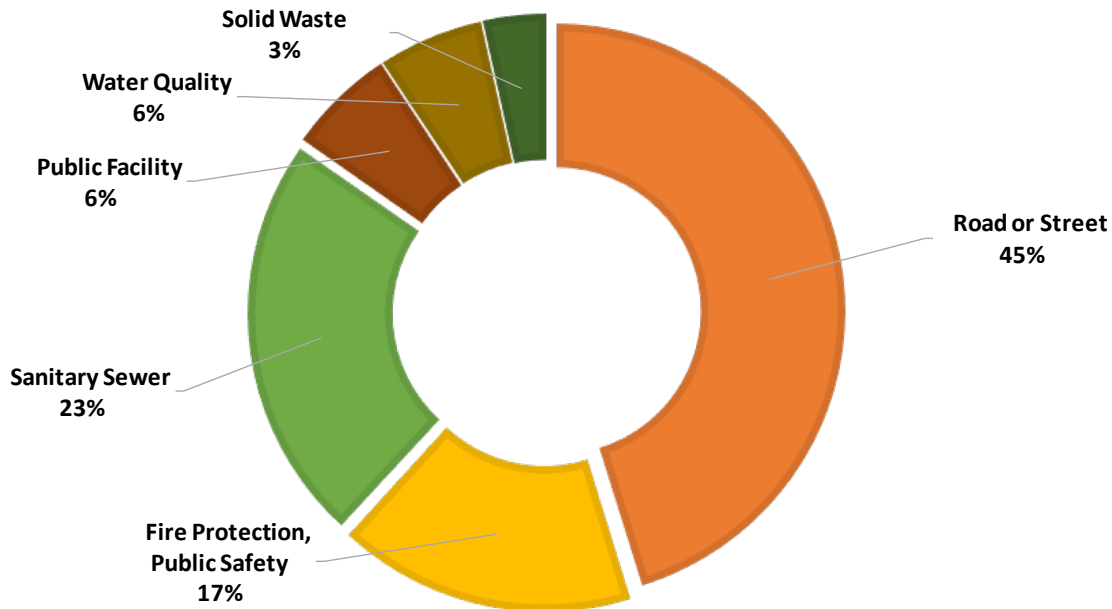
SOCIO-ECONOMIC OUTCOMES/IMPACTS

\$680,000 to increase accessibility, safety and travel to/from residence, work, school and other services
\$396,400 to reduce the incidence of violations in the water/disposal/sewer system
\$117,573 to increase capacity, reliability and/or responsiveness in fighting fires and handling emergencies
\$112,269 to increase capacity, reliability and/or responsiveness in handling emergencies or disasters
\$90,000 to increase accessibility, availability and/or capacity of services provided in public facilities
\$87,650 to increase water/disposal/sewer system pressure/capacity for new and/or existing customers
\$20,364 to increase safety of volunteers in fighting fires

CATEGORIES AND AMOUNTS

(includes CDBG-REAP and any REAP Emergency Awards to-date)

Project Type	APPLICATIONS APPROVED		
	Count	Amount	Proportion
Road or Street	22	\$680,000	45%
Fire Protection, Public Safety	10	\$250,206	17%
Sanitary Sewer	5	\$344,400	23%
Public Facility	4	\$90,000	6%
Water Quality	2	\$87,650	6%
Solid Waste	1	\$52,000	3%
TOTALS -->	44	\$1,504,256	100%



Proportion of Applications Received That Was Funded: 86%

Proportion of Funds Requested That Was Awarded: 96%

Lowest Grant Amount Awarded: \$7,530

Highest Grant Amount Awarded: \$56,000

Average Grant Amount Awarded: \$34,188

Most Frequent Award Amount: \$20,000