

Regional Wastewater Plant



The South Dakota Ellsworth Development Authority formally dedicated the completion of a \$23 million regional waste water plant on SEPTEMBER 11, 2014. The new facility will serve the city of Box Elder and the Ellsworth Air Force Base.

Both Ellsworth and the city of Box Elder faced regulatory issues with their old facilities. The new facility will not only eliminate the regulatory issues, it will also save money for the base and Box Elder because they can share the operating costs.

"The new waste water plant is designed to sustain growth over the next 20 years," said Governor Daugaard in a news release. "The ingenuity and foresight of the leadership at the Ellsworth Air Force Base, the city of Box Elder, and the South Dakota Ellsworth Development Authority were instrumental in making this new plant a reality."