

By: Senator(s) Younger

To: Accountability,
Efficiency, Transparency

SENATE BILL NO. 2512

1 AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE COUNTIES TO DIRECTLY ALLOCATE CORONAVIRUS
2 STATE AND LOCAL FISCAL RECOVERY FUNDS MADE AVAILABLE UNDER THE
3 AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN ACT OF 2021 TO RURAL WATER ASSOCIATIONS FOR
4 WATER AND SEWER INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECTS; AND FOR RELATED PURPOSES.

5 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI:

6 **SECTION 1.** The boards of supervisors of any county are
7 hereby authorized to directly allocate Coronavirus State and Local
8 Fiscal Recovery Funds made available under the federal American
9 Rescue Plan Act of 2021 to rural water associations for water and
10 sewer infrastructure projects.

11 **SECTION 2.** Section 1 of this act shall be codified in Title
12 19, Chapter 5 of the Mississippi Code of 1972.

13 **SECTION 3.** This act shall take effect and be in force from
14 and after July 1, 2023.

