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DANR Announces a \$275,600 Grant for Rapid City Landfill Improvements

PIERRE, S.D. – Today, the South Dakota Department of Agriculture and Natural Resources (DANR) announced the Board of Water and Natural Resources has approved a \$275,600 Solid Waste Management Program grant for Rapid City to make landfill improvements.

Rapid City plans to install an earthen perimeter berm along the northern limits of Cell 18. The perimeter berm will obstruct the view of the landfill from nearby commercial and residential developments. The project will also include litter control netting to protect the neighboring environment. These improvements will protect the environment and prevent litter from leaving the landfill.

The Solid Waste Management Program provides grants and loans for solid waste disposal, recycling and waste tire projects. The Legislature annually appropriates dedicated water and waste funding for the Consolidated and Solid Waste programs through the Governor's Omnibus Water Funding Bill.

The board met today in Pierre.