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Garfield County Federal Mineral Lease District announces first grants

GLENWOOD SPRINGS, CO – The Garfield Federal Mineral Lease District Board of Directors today announces the following awards for its inaugural Spring 2012 Grant Cycle:

City of Rifle, Airport Road and Overlay	\$330,000.00
Town of Parachute, Parachute Avenue	\$242,962.18
Town of Silt, Orchard Avenue, Phase I	\$179,218.55
City of Glenwood Springs, Three Mile Culvert	\$119,850.00
Town of New Castle, Exit 105 Safety Enhancements	\$273,000.00
Garfield School District RE-2, Student Mobile Upgrades	\$284,893.00
Battlement Mesa Metropolitan District, Facility Improvements	\$185,780.00

Grant requests for the cycle totaled \$4,547,405.39. The total grants awarded for the cycle is \$1,615,703.73.

The Fall 2012 Grant Cycle will begin in August with award announcements anticipated in October.