

SOLUTIONS THAT WORK

The sale of the City of Rosiclare's water and wastewater systems to Illinois American Water made good sense for the community.



CITY OF ROSICLARE WATER & WASTEWATER ACQUISITION

The City of Rosiclare is located in Hardin County, just south of Illinois American Water's Hardin County operations. Rosiclare provides water and wastewater services to residents through 558 and 400 connections, respectively.

CHALLENGES

- Quality & Service: Existing Rosiclare wells were under the influence of surface water and subject to contamination. Because of this, City officials were concerned about the capital needed to adequately invest in their water and wastewater systems.
- Financial: The City had debt due to recent upgrades to the water distribution system.

SOLUTION

The City chose to issue a Request for Proposals (RFP) to sell its assets. Through the RFP process, Rosiclare officials selected Illinois American Water as the best long-term solution provider for their residents.

BENEFITS

- Reliable Service: Illinois American Water is making significant investments in Rosiclare's
 water and wastewater systems, including construction of a new deep well to replace the
 existing wells and mitigate contamination issues.
- Financial: The City received approximately \$600,000 for its water and wastewater assets
 after regulatory approval of the acquisition and at close of sale. This helped Rosiclare relieve
 existing operations debt.

