

FEMA awards Passaic Valley Sewerage Commission \$2.3M grant

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The Federal Emergency Management Agency has awarded the Passaic Valley Sewerage Commission a \$2.3 million grant to help the wastewater treatment plant recover from Hurricane Sandy.

The grant will help to fund critical services needed because of the storm's damage to the facility, including providing rental equipment, protective barriers and emergency repairs.

"Wastewater treatment facilities like PVSC provide a critical service in protecting our environment and the public's health, so their recovery must remain a priority," said Rep. Bill Pascrell Jr. in a statement.

In May, FEMA also awarded PVSC a \$1,097,696 grant to restore critical documents that Sandy's tidal surge ruined.

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