

Grant Agreement Number: CFC 22-0086

Grant Recipient Name: Zapata County

Practical Result of the Project: 460 San Ygnacio colonia residents no longer rely on poor water quality. Aged and deteriorated water plant components have been rehabilitated for the San Ygnacio colonia, to include pump house upgrades, water filtration system, clarifier, filter pumps and electrical panels.

Brief Quotes from elected officials and local stakeholders regarding project: Judge Rathmell, Zapata County is most thankful for the resources provided for the residents of San Ygnacio Colonia. Their water source is the Rio Grande River, and every drop of water that the residents of San Ygnacio drink come from the Rio Grande River. These water plant improvements will not only provide for safe drinking water but provide for sustainability and resiliency for the San Ygnacio Colonia for years to come.

Additional Comments: San Ygnacio is the oldest town in Zapata County established in 1830. Many of the structures dating back to the 1800s have received a National Register of Historic Places designation.