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Alexander, Vitter Announce Grant for Lake Providence

(Washington D.C.) – U.S. Rep. Rodney Alexander and U.S. Sen. David Vitter announced today that East Carroll Parish will receive a USDA Rural Development grant totaling \$56,925.

The funding will be used to purchase equipment to furnish the newly built health unit.

“In rural areas like Lake Providence, strengthening local health care is one of the most immediate needs,” Alexander said. “The new health unit will be greatly enhanced by the addition of modern equipment, and, as a result, the quality of care available in this area will be considerably improved.”

“With the construction of the new health unit facility, residents of Lake Providence will now have better access to much-needed health care services,” said Vitter.

“The existing medical equipment, however, is outdated, and this grant will provide the funds needed to properly equip this new facility.”