# Early Warning System

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WASSER BURGENLAND



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# **Quick Facts**

Countries	Austria			
Specific Location	Eisenstadt, Mattersburg and Neusiedl			
Financial Institutions	European Investment Bank (EIB)			
Status	Proposed			
Bank Risk Rating	U			
Borrower	WASSERLEITUNGSVERBAND NOERDLICHES BURGENLAND			
Sectors	Water and Sanitation			
Investment Type(s)	Loan			
Investment Amount (USD)	\$ 55.38 million			
Project Cost (USD)	\$ 303.46 million			

## **Project Description**

According to the Bank's website, the project concerns the 2024-2030 investment programme of Wasserleitungsverband Nördliches Burgenland (WLF), a water association of local authorities composed of 65 municipalities located in three districts (Eisenstadt, Mattersburg and Neusiedl) in the federal state of Burgenland. More specifically, it will finance the rehabilitation and extension of water supply infrastructure for water production and distribution.

The programme, which will benefit about 200,000 inhabitants, mainly concerns the extension and renewal of water treatment plants and distribution networks to maintain water supply security in the context of climate change.

# **Investment Description**

• European Investment Bank (EIB)



Private Actor 1	Private Actor 1 Role	Private Actor 1 Sector	Relation	Private Actor 2	Private Actor 2 Role	Private Actor 2 Sector
-	-	-	-	Wasserleitungsverband Nördliches Burgenland (WLF)	Client	-

### **Contact Information**

No contact information provided at the time of disclosure.

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http://www.eib.org/attachments/strategies/complaints mechanism policy en.pdf

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