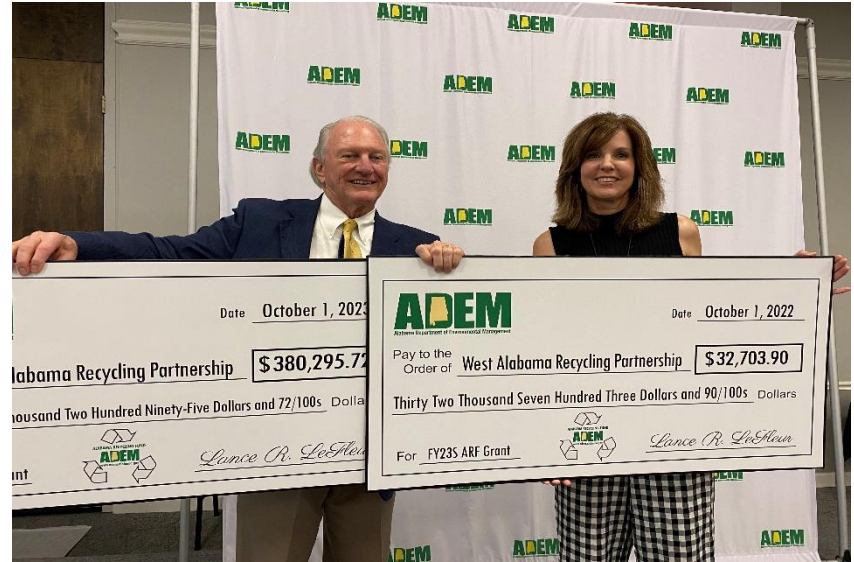


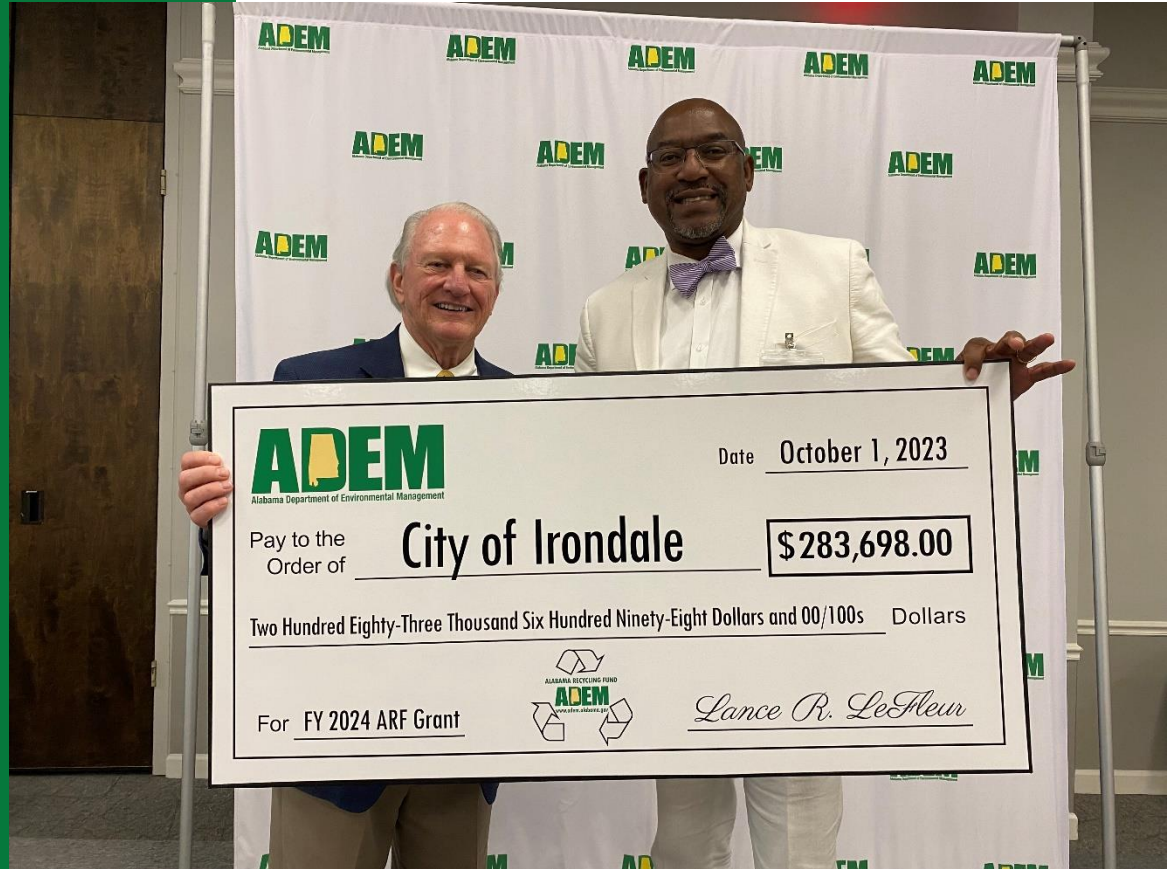
# Alabama Recycling Fund Check Presentation



2025 Alabama Recycling Fund Grants  
\$2.5 million in funding to 18 awardees





# 2025 ARF Grant Recipients



Alabama Recycling Coalition

\$164,500.00



 Alabama Department of Environmental Management	Date <u>October 1, 2024</u>
Pay to the Order of <u>Alabama Recycling Coalition</u>	<b>\$164,500.00</b>
<u>One Hundred Sixty Four Thousand Five Hundred Dollars and 00/100s</u> Dollars	
For <u>FY25 ADEM ARF Grant</u>	 <i>Lance R. LeFleur</i>

In Alabama, thousands of jobs and significant economic impact result from the buying and selling of recyclable commodities. While not everything can be recycled, many items are, and they provide essential feedstock for various Alabama industries. Supporting recycling strengthens both local and regional economies. For municipalities, recycling is a key component of responsible materials management.

– *Alabama Recycling Coalition*

City of Gulf Shores

\$148,135.00

 Alabama Department of Environmental Management	Date <u>October 1, 2024</u>
Pay to the Order of <u>City of Gulf Shores</u>	<b>\$148,135.00</b>
<u>One Hundred Forty Eight Thousand One Hundred Thirty Five Dollars and 00/100s</u> Dollars	
For <u>FY25 ADEM ARF Grant</u>	 <i>Lance R. LeFleur</i>

With recent economic development and strong local support, we will provide a long-term solution for the recycling needs of Baldwin County.

– *City of Gulf Shores*

City of Guntersville

\$137,779.00



Date October 1, 2024

Pay to the Order of City of Guntersville **\$137,779.00**

One Hundred Thirty Seven Thousand Seven Hundred Seventy Nine Dollars and 00/100s Dollars

For FY25 ADEM ARF Grant





Lance R. LeFleur

With the funds awarded by this grant, we plan to increase our current recyclable recovery rate of 28% to 50% over the next five years.

– *City of Guntersville*

Solid Waste Disposal  
Authority of Baldwin  
County

\$419,977.00



 <small>Alabama Department of Environmental Management</small>	Date <u>October 1, 2024</u>
Pay to the Order of <u>Solid Waste Disposal Authority of Baldwin County</u>	<b>\$419,977.00</b>
<u>Four Hundred Nineteen Thousand Nine Hundred Seventy Seven Dollars and 00/100s</u> Dollars	
For <u>FY25 ADEM ARF Grant</u>	 <i>Lance R. LeFleur</i>

To achieve the new recycling goals the Solid Waste Disposal Authority is building a multimillion-dollar single stream material recovery facility with a state-of-the-art educational facility to increase awareness and participation in recycling to all communities in Baldwin County.

– Solid Waste Disposal Authority of Baldwin County

City of Alexander City

\$104,110.00

 Alabama Department of Environmental Management	Date <u>October 1, 2024</u>
Pay to the Order of <u>City of Alexander City</u>	<b>\$104,110.00</b>
<u>One Hundred Four Thousand One Hundred Ten Dollars and 00/100s</u> Dollars	
For <u>FY25 ADEM ARF Grant</u>	 <i>Lance R. LeFleur</i>



Think beyond today: Recycling is more than just a bin. It is a mindset. Each bottle, each newspaper, each can – they have potential for a new life. Think of recycling as a way to give resources a second chance.

– City of Alexander City



City of Gadsden

\$67,323.00



 Alabama Department of Environmental Management	Date <u>October 1, 2024</u>
Pay to the Order of <u>City of Gadsden</u>	<b>\$67,323.00</b>
<u>Sixty Seven Thousand Three Hundred Twenty Three Dollars and 00/100s</u> Dollars	
For <u>FY25 ADEM ARF Grant</u>	 <i>Lance R. LeFleur</i>

Recycling is a win/win proposition for the individual household, as well as the city landfill and transfer station. We hope to build a new Free-standing recycling facility and expand our operations.

– *City of Gadsden*

City of Troy

\$104,070.00



 Alabama Department of Environmental Management	Date <u>October 1, 2024</u>
Pay to the Order of <u>City of Troy</u>	<b>\$104,070.00</b>
<u>One Hundred Four Thousand Seventy Dollars and 00/100s</u> Dollars	
For <u>FY25 ADEM ARF Grant</u>	 <u>Lance R. LeFleur</u>

The City of Troy’s Recycling Program is dedicated to increasing the community’s awareness of the importance of having an ecofriendly environment.

– *City of Troy*

City of Southside

\$52,578.00



 Alabama Department of Environmental Management	Date <u>October 1, 2024</u>
Pay to the Order of <u>City of Southside</u>	<b>\$52,578.00</b>
<u>Fifty Two Thousand Five Hundred Seventy Eight Dollars and 00/100s</u> Dollars	
For <u>FY25 ADEM ARF Grant</u>	 <u>Lance R. LeFleur</u>

This grant will make it possible to offer and maximize recycling options to our citizens. We are also partnering with our neighboring municipality: the City of Rainbow City to retrieve our trailers and process our recyclables.

– *City of Southside*

West Alabama  
Recycling Partnership

\$72,683.00



 <small>Alabama Department of Environmental Management</small>	Date <u>October 1, 2024</u>
Pay to the Order of <u>West Alabama Recycling Partnership</u>	<b>\$72,683.00</b>
<u>Seventy Two Thousand Six Hundred Eighty Three Dollars and 00/100s</u> Dollars	
For <u>FY25 ADEM ARF Grant</u>	 <i>Lance R. LeFleur</i>

Together, we can create lasting and meaningful change that will allow future generations of Alabamians to enjoy the natural wonders of our beautiful and diverse environment.

– West Alabama Recycling Partnership

City of Northport

\$47,780.00



 Alabama Department of Environmental Management	Date <u>October 1, 2024</u>
Pay to the Order of <u>City of Northport</u>	<b>\$47,780.00</b>
<u>Forty Seven Thousand Seven Hundred Eighty Dollars and 00/100s</u> Dollars	
For <u>FY25 ADEM ARF Grant</u>	 <i>Lance R. LeFleur</i>

We would like to partner with schools to raise awareness in our community's youth and expand our current lost of expected materials. Recycling starts with individual actions. Each one of us can make a difference by incorporating recycling our daily lives.

– *City of Northport*

Lawrence County  
Commission

\$5,582.00

 Alabama Department of Environmental Management	Date <u>October 1, 2024</u>
Pay to the Order of <u>Lawrence County Commission</u>	<b>\$5,582.00</b>
Five Thousand Five Hundred Eighty Two Dollars and 00/100s Dollars	
For <u>FY25 ADEM ARF Grant</u>	 <i>Lance R. LeFleur</i>

Formed in 2017 by the Lawrence County Solid Waste Department, our goal was to provide an informative program within our school system to educate the importance of recycling. 14 schools participated. After a successful year in 2017 we decided to expand our services to local businesses.

– *Lawrence County Commission*

City of Florence

\$95,797.00



Date October 1, 2024

Pay to the  
Order of

City of Florence

**\$95,797.00**

Ninety Five Thousand Seven Hundred Ninety Seven Dollars and 00/100s Dollars

For FY25 ADEM ARF Grant




Lance R. LeFleur

One message that we would like to convey to the community is the important and need of a steady stream of non contaminated recyclables to sell to local manufacturers.

– *City of Florence*

Shoals Solid Waste Disposal Authority

\$158,593.00

 <small>Alabama Department of Environmental Management</small>	Date <u>October 1, 2024</u>
Pay to the Order of <u>Shoals Solid Waste Disposal Authority</u>	<b>\$ 158,593.00</b>
<u>One Hundred Fifty Eight Thousand Five Hundred Ninety Three Dollars and 00/100s</u> Dollars	
For <u>FY25 ADEM ARF Grant</u>	 <i>Lance R. LeFleur</i>

We have a vision of curbside recycling and more active participation by citizens and business in the next 5 years. Recycling is one way we can make a difference in the quality of life in the Shoals and Northwest Alabama.

– Shoals Solid Waste Disposal Authority



City of Irondale

\$300,447.00



Date October 1, 2024

Pay to the  
Order of

City of Irondale

**\$ 300,447.00**

Three Hundred Thousand Four Hundred Forty Seven Dollars and 00/100s Dollars

For FY25 ADEM ARF Grant





Lance R. LeFleur

Please save our landfill space and our planet! Together, we can minimize waste by purchasing products from vendors that environmentally smart, recyclable packaging.

– *City of Irondale*

City of Birmingham

\$438,105.00



 Alabama Department of Environmental Management	Date <u>October 1, 2024</u>
Pay to the Order of <u>City of Birmingham</u>	<b>\$438,105.00</b>
<u>Four Hundred Thirty Eight Thousand One Hundred Five Dollars and 00/100s</u> Dollars	
For <u>FY25 ADEM ARF Grant</u>	 <u>Lance R. LeFleur</u>

Data collected during the grant cycle will enable the city to continue to leverage resources that will improve the overall quality of life within the City of Birmingham.

– *City of Birmingham*

City of Fort Payne

\$43,329.00



 Alabama Department of Environmental Management	Date <u>October 1, 2024</u>
Pay to the Order of <u>City of Fort Payne</u>	<b>\$43,329.00</b>
<u>Forty Three Thousand Three Hundred Twenty Nine Dollars and 00/100s</u> Dollars	
For <u>FY25 ADEM ARF Grant</u>	 <i>Lance R. LeFleur</i>

The goal is to focus on overcoming storage limitations, updating outreach materials and expanding collection capabilities to make a significant impact on the community’s recycling initiatives.

– *City of Fort Payne*

Calhoun County  
Commission

\$93,410.00

 Alabama Department of Environmental Management	Date <u>October 1, 2024</u>
Pay to the Order of <u>Calhoun County Commission</u>	<b>\$93,410.00</b>
<u>Ninety Three Thousand Four Hundred Ten Dollars and 00/100s</u> Dollars	
For <u>FY25 ADEM ARF Grant</u>	 <i>Lance R. LeFleur</i>

To reach the goal of diverting 25% of waste from the landfill, the Calhoun County Recycling Facility needs to have a consistent presence in reliable locations to extend its collection services to the community.

– *Calhoun County Commission*

Mobile County  
Commission

\$126,872.00



Date October 1, 2024

Pay to the Order of Mobile County Commission **\$126,872.00**

One Hundred Twenty Six Thousand Eight Hundred Seventy Two Dollars and 00/100s Dollars

For FY25 ADEM ARF Grant



*Lance R. LeFleur*

The Mobile County Commission is aligned with the following goals: reducing the amount of solid waste deposited into landfills, recycling materials promoting community education programs and providing job training and employment to persons with disabilities.

– *Mobile County Commission*

*Congratulations!*

To the awardees of the 2025 ARF Grant

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