

# China Bengbu Integrated Environment Improvement

## Description

**Purpose:** To improve the effectiveness and sustainability of urban water supply, treatment services and flood prevention and control systems.

### Expected Results (include):

- 95% flood protection of Bengbu's city land area.
- 11% pollution discharge reduction.
- 3 months of water supply reserves.

**IBRD Financing:** US\$100 million



## Country Challenge

Anhui Province in the mid-eastern region of China is relatively underdeveloped. Bengbu, its second largest city, has experienced sluggish economic growth due to frequent flooding from the Huai River, industrial pollution, unreliable water supply and inadequate wastewater management.

## Project Goals

The project finances storm drainage networks and pumping stations, flood prediction and control systems, wastewater treatment facilities, and improved water supply systems. The project covers Bengbu City proper, including Huaishang District and the satellite counties of Guzhen.

The project illustrates the kind of infrastructure investments needed to increase resilience to the impacts of climate change, particularly floods.

For more information: <http://www.worldbank.org/projects/P096925/china-bengbu-integrated-environment-improvement-project?lang=en>