

(2) Coordination with other Federal agencies

In carrying out this section, the Secretary and the eligible entity shall, to the maximum extent practicable, use the design work and environmental evaluations initiated by—

- (A) non-Federal entities; and
- (B) the Corps of Engineers in the San Pablo Bay Watershed of the State.

(3) Phased project

A cooperative agreement described in paragraph (1) shall require that the North Bay Water Reuse Program carried out under this section shall consist of 2 phases as follows:

(A) First phase

During the first phase, the Secretary and an eligible entity shall complete the planning, design, and construction of the main treatment and main conveyance systems.

(B) Second phase

During the second phase, the Secretary and an eligible entity shall complete the planning, design, and construction of the sub-regional distribution systems.

(4) Cost sharing**(A) Federal share**

The Federal share of the cost of the first phase of the project authorized by this section shall not exceed 25 percent of the total cost of the first phase of the project.

(B) Form of non-Federal share

The non-Federal share may be in the form of any in-kind services that the Secretary determines would contribute substantially toward the completion of the water reclamation and reuse project, including—

- (i) reasonable costs incurred by the eligible entity relating to the planning, design, and construction of the water reclamation and reuse project; and
- (ii) the acquisition costs of land acquired for the project that is—
 - (I) used for planning, design, and construction of the water reclamation and reuse project facilities; and
 - (II) owned by an eligible entity and directly related to the project.

(C) Limitation

The Secretary shall not provide funds for the operation and maintenance of the project authorized by this section.

(5) Effect

Nothing in this section—

- (A) affects or preempts—
 - (i) State water law; or
 - (ii) an interstate compact relating to the allocation of water; or
- (B) confers on any non-Federal entity the ability to exercise any Federal right to—
 - (i) the water of a stream; or
 - (ii) any groundwater resource.

(6) Authorization of appropriations

There is authorized to be appropriated for the Federal share of the total cost of the first phase of the project authorized by this section \$25,000,000, to remain available until expended.

(Pub. L. 102-575, title XVI, §1651, as added Pub. L. 111-11, title IX, §9110(a), Mar. 30, 2009, 123 Stat. 1315.)

§ 390h-35. Prado Basin natural treatment system project**(a) In general**

The Secretary, in cooperation with the Orange County Water District, shall participate in the planning, design, and construction of natural treatment systems and wetlands for the flows of the Santa Ana River, California, and its tributaries into the Prado Basin.

(b) Cost sharing

The Federal share of the cost of the project described in subsection (a) shall not exceed 25 percent of the total cost of the project.

(c) Limitation

Funds provided by the Secretary shall not be used for the operation and maintenance of the project described in subsection (a).

(d) Authorization of appropriations

There is authorized to be appropriated to carry out this section \$10,000,000.

(e) Sunset of authority

This section shall have no effect after the date that is 10 years after March 30, 2009.

(Pub. L. 102-575, title XVI, §1652, as added Pub. L. 111-11, title IX, §9111(a)(1), Mar. 30, 2009, 123 Stat. 1317.)

§ 390h-36. Lower Chino Dairy Area desalination demonstration and reclamation project**(a) In general**

The Secretary, in cooperation with the Chino Basin Watermaster, the Inland Empire Utilities Agency, and the Santa Ana Watershed Project Authority and acting under the Federal reclamation laws, shall participate in the design, planning, and construction of the Lower Chino Dairy Area desalination demonstration and reclamation project.

(b) Cost sharing

The Federal share of the cost of the project described in subsection (a) shall not exceed—

- (1) 25 percent of the total cost of the project; or
- (2) \$26,000,000.

(c) Limitation

Funds provided by the Secretary shall not be used for operation or maintenance of the project described in subsection (a).

(d) Authorization of appropriations

There are authorized to be appropriated such sums as are necessary to carry out this section.

(e) Sunset of authority

This section shall have no effect after the date that is 10 years after March 30, 2009.

(Pub. L. 102-575, title XVI, §1653, as added Pub. L. 111-11, title IX, §9111(b)(1), Mar. 30, 2009, 123 Stat. 1317.)

REFERENCES IN TEXT

The Federal reclamation laws, referred to in subsection (a), are defined in section 390h(a) of this title.

§ 390h-37. Oxnard, California, water reclamation, reuse, and treatment project

(a) Authorization

The Secretary, in cooperation with the City of Oxnard, California, may participate in the design, planning, and construction of Phase I permanent facilities for the GREAT project to reclaim, reuse, and treat impaired water in the area of Oxnard, California.

(b) Cost share

The Federal share of the costs of the project described in subsection (a) shall not exceed 25 percent of the total cost.

(c) Limitation

The Secretary shall not provide funds for the following:

- (1) The operations and maintenance of the project described in subsection (a).
- (2) The construction, operations, and maintenance of the visitor's center related to the project described in subsection (a).

(d) Sunset of authority

The authority of the Secretary to carry out any provisions of this section shall terminate 10 years after March 30, 2009.

(Pub. L. 102-575, title XVI, §1654, as added Pub. L. 111-11, title IX, §9113(a), Mar. 30, 2009, 123 Stat. 1319.)

§ 390h-38. Yucaipa Valley regional water supply renewal project

(a) Authorization

The Secretary, in cooperation with the Yucaipa Valley Water District, may participate in the design, planning, and construction of projects to treat impaired surface water, reclaim and reuse impaired groundwater, and provide brine disposal within the Santa Ana Watershed as described in the report submitted under section 390h-4 of this title.

(b) Cost sharing

The Federal share of the cost of the project described in subsection (a) shall not exceed 25 percent of the total cost of the project.

(c) Limitation

Funds provided by the Secretary shall not be used for operation or maintenance of the project described in subsection (a).

(d) Authorization of appropriations

There is authorized to be appropriated to carry out this section \$20,000,000.

(Pub. L. 102-575, title XVI, §1655, as added Pub. L. 111-11, title IX, §9114(a), Mar. 30, 2009, 123 Stat. 1320.)

§ 390h-39. City of Corona Water Utility, California, water recycling and reuse project

(a) Authorization

The Secretary, in cooperation with the City of Corona Water Utility, California, is authorized to participate in the design, planning, and construction of, and land acquisition for, a project to reclaim and reuse wastewater, including degraded groundwaters, within and outside of the

service area of the City of Corona Water Utility, California.

(b) Cost share

The Federal share of the cost of the project authorized by this section shall not exceed 25 percent of the total cost of the project.

(c) Limitation

The Secretary shall not provide funds for the operation and maintenance of the project authorized by this section.

(Pub. L. 102-575, title XVI, §1656, as added Pub. L. 111-11, title IX, §9114(a), Mar. 30, 2009, 123 Stat. 1320.)

SUBCHAPTER I-A—RECLAMATION REFORM

§ 390aa. Congressional declaration of purpose; short title

This subchapter shall amend and supplement the Act of June 17, 1902, and Acts supplementary thereto and amendatory thereof (43 U.S.C. 371), hereinafter referred to as “Federal reclamation law”. This subchapter may be referred to as the “Reclamation Reform Act of 1982”.

(Pub. L. 97-293, title II, §201, Oct. 12, 1982, 96 Stat. 1263.)

REFERENCES IN TEXT

This subchapter, referred to in text, was in the original “this title”, meaning title II (§§201-230) of Pub. L. 97-293, Oct. 12, 1982, 96 Stat. 1263, known as the Reclamation Reform Act of 1982, which enacted this subchapter, amended sections 373a, 422e, 425b, and 485h of this title, and repealed section 383 of Title 25, Indians. For complete classification of title II to the Code, see Tables.

Act of June 17, 1902, referred to in text, is act June 17, 1902, ch. 1093, 32 Stat. 388, popularly known as the Reclamation Act, which is classified generally to this chapter. For complete classification of this Act to the Code, see Short Title note set out under section 371 of this title and Tables.

§ 390bb. Definitions

As used in this subchapter:

(1) The term “contract” means any repayment or water service contract between the United States and a district providing for the payment of construction charges to the United States including normal operation, maintenance, and replacement costs pursuant to Federal reclamation law.

(2) The term “district” means any individual or any legal entity established under State law which has entered into a contract or is eligible to contract with the Secretary for irrigation water.

(3)(A) The term “full cost” means an annual rate as determined by the Secretary that shall amortize the expenditures for construction properly allocable to irrigation facilities in service, including all operation and maintenance deficits funded, less payments, over such periods as may be required under Federal reclamation law or applicable contract provisions, with interest on both accruing from October 12, 1982, on costs outstanding at that date, or from the date incurred in the case of costs arising subsequent to October 12, 1982: *Provided*, That operation, maintenance, and re-