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# H. R. 2996

[Report No. 111-180]

Making appropriations for the Department of the Interior, environment, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2010, and for other purposes.

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JUNE 23, 2009

Mr. DICKS, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported the following bill; which was committed to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union and ordered to be printed

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## A BILL

Making appropriations for the Department of the Interior, environment, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2010, and for other purposes.

1       *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*  
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*  
3 That the following sums are appropriated, out of any  
4 money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the  
5 Department of the Interior, environment, and related

1       SEC. 422. Section 302(a) of the Secure Rural Schools  
2 and Community Self-Determination Act of 2000 (16  
3 U.S.C. 7142(a)) is amended—

4           (1) in paragraph (2)(B), by striking “; and”  
5 and inserting a semicolon;

6           (2) in paragraph (3), by striking the period and  
7 inserting “; and”; and

8           (3) by inserting after paragraph (3), the fol-  
9 lowing: “(4) to reimburse all or part of the costs in-  
10 curred by the county to pay the salaries and benefits  
11 of county employees who supervise adults or juve-  
12 niles performing mandatory community service on  
13 Federal lands.”.

14       SEC. 423. Within the amounts appropriated in this  
15 Act, funding shall be allocated in the amounts specified  
16 for those projects and purposes delineated in the table ti-  
17 tled “Congressionally Directed Spending” included in the  
18 explanatory statement accompanying this Act. The pre-  
19 ceding sentence shall apply in addition to the allocation  
20 requirements specified in this Act under the heading “Na-  
21 tional Park Service–Historic Preservation Fund” for Save  
22 America’s Treasures and under the heading “Environ-  
23 mental Protection Agency–State and Tribal Assistance  
24 Grants” for special project grants for the construction of

1 drinking water, wastewater and storm infrastructure and  
2 for water quality protection.

3       SEC. 424. Not later than 120 days after the date on  
4 which the President's Fiscal Year 2011 budget request is  
5 submitted to Congress, the President shall submit a report  
6 to the Committee on Appropriations of the House of Rep-  
7 resentatives and the Committee on Appropriations of the  
8 Senate describing in detail all Federal agency obligations  
9 and expenditures, domestic and international, for climate  
10 change programs and activities in fiscal year 2008, fiscal  
11 year 2009, and fiscal year 2010, including an accounting  
12 of expenditures by agency with each agency identifying cli-  
13 mate change activities and associated costs by line item  
14 as presented in the President's Budget Appendix.

15       SEC. 425. Notwithstanding any other provision of  
16 law, none of the funds made available in this or any other  
17 Act may be used to implement any rule that requires man-  
18 datory reporting of greenhouse gas emissions from manure  
19 management systems.

20       SEC. 426. (a) None of the funds made available in  
21 this or any prior Act may be used to release an individual  
22 who is detained, as of April 30, 2009, at Naval Station,  
23 Guantanamo Bay, Cuba, into any of the United States  
24 territories of Guam, American Samoa (AS), the United  
25 States Virgin Islands (USVI), the Commonwealth of Puer-

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, ENVIRONMENT, AND  
 RELATED AGENCIES APPROPRIATION BILL, 2010

JUNE 23, 2009.—Committed to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of  
 the Union and ordered to be printed

Mr. DICKS of Washington, from the Committee on Appropriations,  
 submitted the following

R E P O R T

together with

MINORITY VIEWS

[To accompany H.R. 2996]

The Committee on Appropriations submits the following report in explanation of the accompanying bill making appropriations for the Department of the Interior, the Environmental Protection Agency, and Related Agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2010. The bill provides regular annual appropriations for the Department of the Interior (except the Bureau of Reclamation and the Central Utah Project), the Environmental Protection Agency, and for other related agencies, including the Forest Service, the Indian Health Service, the Smithsonian Institution, and the National Foundation on the Arts and the Humanities.

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to the Committees for approval in compliance with these procedures.

(b) Subsection (a) does not apply to tracts with an appraised value of \$1,000,000 or less.

7. *Land Exchanges.*—Land exchanges, wherein the estimated value of the Federal lands to be exchanged is greater than \$2,000,000, shall not be consummated until the Committees have had a 30-day period in which to examine the proposed exchange, and the Committee shall be provided advance notification of exchanges valued between \$500,000 and \$2,000,000.

8. *Sequestrations or Across-the-Board Reductions.*—The definition of the term “budget activity” established by paragraph 1(a) of these instructions shall also be the definition of the level at which any general, across-the-board or sequestration related reductions mandated by law are to be applied to activities funded in any Interior, Environment and Related Agencies Appropriations bill.

## TITLE I—DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

### BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

The Bureau of Land Management (BLM) is responsible for the multiple use management, protection, and development of a full range of natural resources, including minerals, timber, rangeland, fish and wildlife habitat, and wilderness on about 258 million acres of the Nation’s public lands and for management of 700 million additional acres of Federally-owned subsurface mineral rights. The Bureau is the second largest supplier of public outdoor recreation in the Western United States. The Bureau’s National Landscape Conservation System includes about 29 million acres of national monuments, conservation areas, wild and scenic rivers, national scenic and historic trails, and other areas that have received special recognition and protection through congressional or presidential conservation designations.

The Committee recommendations for all BLM accounts are based on changes to the President’s budget request. Unless otherwise stated, the Committee approves the items in the budget justification and supporting materials from the Bureau. The amounts recommended by the Committee for each Bureau of Land Management appropriation account, compared with the budget estimates by activity, are shown in the following table:

(Amounts in thousands)				
	FY 2009 Enacted	FY 2010 Request	Recommended Enacted	Recommended versus Request
<b>BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT</b>				
Management of Lands and Resources				
Land Resources:				
Soil, water and air management.....	40,568	58,621	58,621	+18,053
Range management.....	71,881	73,493	73,493	+1,612
Forestry management.....	10,242	10,443	10,443	+201
Riparian management.....	22,127	22,518	22,518	+391
Cultural resources management.....	15,766	15,631	15,631	-135
Wild horse and burro management.....	40,613	67,486	60,486	+19,873
Subtotal.....	201,197	248,192	241,192	+39,995
Wildlife and Fisheries:				
Wildlife management.....	35,074	35,447	36,592	+1,518
Fisheries management.....	13,415	13,640	13,640	+225
Subtotal.....	48,489	49,087	50,232	+1,743
Threatened and endangered species.....	21,713	22,112	22,112	+399
Recreation Management:				
Wilderness management.....	17,881	18,221	18,221	+340
Recreation resources management.....	45,857	49,471	49,471	+3,614
Subtotal.....	63,738	67,692	67,692	+3,954
Energy and Minerals:				
Oil and gas.....	79,478	90,336	69,336	-10,142
Oil and gas permit processing fund.....	36,400	45,500	45,500	+9,100
				-21,000

(Amounts in thousands)				
	FY 2009 Enacted	FY 2010 Request	Recommended	Recommended versus Enacted Request
(Pilot offices, Sec. 365, permit processing fund)...	(21,000)	(21,000)	(21,000)	---
Subtotal, Oil and gas, including permit processing fund.....	115,878	135,836	114,836	-1,042
Oil and gas offsetting permit processing fees.....	-36,400	-45,500	-45,500	-9,100
Coal management.....	9,533	9,739	9,739	+206
Other mineral resources.....	10,402	10,614	10,614	+212
Subtotal, Energy and Minerals.....	99,413	110,689	89,689	-9,724
Realty and Ownership Management:				
Alaska conveyance.....	33,382	34,109	34,109	+727
Cadastral survey.....	12,904	12,463	12,463	-441
Land and realty management.....	33,779	50,660	50,660	+16,881
Subtotal.....	80,065	97,232	97,232	+17,167
Resource Protection and Maintenance:				
Resource management planning.....	48,132	48,961	48,961	+829
Resource protection and law enforcement.....	27,525	27,957	27,957	+432
Hazardous materials management.....	16,894	17,159	17,159	+265
Subtotal.....	92,551	94,077	94,077	+1,526
Transportation and Facilities Maintenance:				
Operations.....	5,984	6,067	6,067	+83
Annual maintenance.....	31,388	32,003	32,003	+615
Deferred maintenance.....	36,485	35,085	35,085	-1,400
Subtotal.....	73,857	73,155	73,155	-702

	(Amounts in thousands)			
	FY 2009 Enacted	FY 2010 Request	Recommended	Recommended versus Enacted Request
Land and resources information systems.....	16,581	16,754	16,754	+173
Mining Law Administration:				
Administration.....	34,696	36,696	36,696	+2,000
Offsetting fees.....	-34,696	-36,696	-36,696	-2,000
Workforce and Organizational Support:				
Information systems operations.....	15,204	15,406	15,406	+202
Administrative support.....	50,118	51,377	51,377	+1,259
Bureauwide fixed costs.....	89,572	91,277	91,277	+1,705
Subtotal.....	154,894	158,060	158,060	+3,166
Challenge cost share.....	9,500	9,500	9,500	---
National Monuments and Conservation Areas.....	28,196	28,801	30,801	+2,605
(National Landscape Conservation System, total program)	(66,705)	(72,135)	(74,135)	(+7,430)
Emergency appropriations (P.L. 111-5).....	125,000	---	---	-125,000
Total, Management of Lands and Resources.....	1,015,194	975,351	950,496	-84,698
Appropriations.....	(890,194)	(975,351)	(950,496)	(+60,302)
Emergency appropriations.....	(125,000)	---	---	(-125,000)
Total discretionary, excluding emergencies.....	(890,194)	(975,351)	(950,496)	(+60,302)
Construction				
Construction.....	6,590	6,590	6,590	---
Emergency appropriations (P.L. 111-5).....	180,000	---	---	-180,000
Total, Construction.....	186,590	6,590	6,590	-180,000

(Amounts in thousands)				
	FY 2009 Enacted	FY 2010 Request	Recommended Recommended	Recommended versus Enacted Request
<b>Land Acquisition</b>				
<b>Land Acquisition:</b>				
Acquisitions.....	11,425	21,650	22,150	+10,725
Emergencies, hardships and inholdings.....	1,500	1,500	2,500	+1,000
Acquisition management.....	1,850	1,879	1,879	+29
<b>Total, Land Acquisition.....</b>	<b>14,775</b>	<b>25,029</b>	<b>26,529</b>	<b>+11,754</b>
<b>Oregon and California Grant Lands</b>				
Western Oregon resources management.....	95,611	97,052	97,052	+1,441
Western Oregon information and resource data systems..	2,152	2,153	2,153	+1
Western Oregon transportation & facilities maintenance	11,053	11,202	11,202	+149
Western Oregon construction and acquisition.....	313	317	317	+4
Western Oregon National Monument.....	820	833	833	+13
<b>Total, Oregon and California Grant Lands.....</b>	<b>109,949</b>	<b>111,557</b>	<b>111,557</b>	<b>+1,608</b>
<b>Range Improvements</b>				
Improvements to public lands.....	7,873	7,873	7,873	---
Farm Tenant Act lands.....	1,527	1,527	1,527	---
Administrative expenses.....	600	600	600	---
<b>Total, Range Improvements.....</b>	<b>10,000</b>	<b>10,000</b>	<b>10,000</b>	<b>---</b>
<b>Service Charges, Deposits, and Forfeitures</b>				
Rights-of-way processing.....	19,906	17,340	17,340	-2,566
Energy and minerals cost recovery.....	2,900	2,900	2,900	---

(Amounts in thousands)				
	FY 2009 Enacted	FY 2010 Request	Recommended Enacted	Recommended versus Request
Recreation cost recovery.....	1,000	1,000	1,000	---
Adopt-a-horse program.....	375	375	375	---
Repair of damaged lands.....	5,500	5,500	5,500	---
Cost recoverable realty cases.....	840	840	840	---
Timber purchaser expenses.....	100	100	100	---
Commercial film and photography fees.....	200	200	200	---
Copy fees.....	3,000	3,000	3,000	---
Subtotal (gross).....	33,821	31,255	31,255	-2,566
Offsetting fees.....	-33,821	-31,255	-31,255	+2,566
Total, Service Charges, Deposits & Forfeitures.....	---	---	---	---
Miscellaneous Trust Funds and Permanent Operating Funds				
Current appropriations.....	20,130	20,130	20,130	---
Payment from proceeds, sale of water.....	-46	---	---	+46
Naval oil shale reserves, mineral leasing receipts.....	-12,996	---	---	+12,996
TOTAL, BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT.....	1,343,596	1,148,657	1,125,302	-218,294
Appropriations.....	(1,038,642)	(1,148,657)	(1,125,302)	(+86,660)
Rescissions.....	(-46)	---	---	(+46)
Emergency appropriations.....	(305,000)	---	---	(-305,000)
Total discretionary, excluding emergencies.....	(1,008,466)	(1,118,527)	(1,095,172)	(+86,706)

## MANAGEMENT OF LANDS AND RESOURCES

Appropriation enacted, 2009* .....	\$890,194,000
Budget estimate, 2010 .....	975,351,000
Recommended, 2010 .....	950,496,000
Comparison:	
Appropriation, 2009 .....	+60,302,000
Budget estimate, 2010 .....	-24,855,000

\*Total does not include funding provided in the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009.

The Committee recommends \$950,496,000 for management of lands and resources, \$60,302,000 above the fiscal year 2009 enacted level and \$24,855,000 below the budget request. The amounts recommended by the Committee compared with the budget estimates by activity and subactivity are shown in the table at the beginning of the Bureau of Land Management entry.

The Committee recognizes several new initiatives in this request. The recommendation fully funds the renewable energy portion of the New Energy Frontier initiative and provides steady funding for the fossil energy programs. The Committee also fully funds the Climate Impacts initiative as discussed below. The Committee recommendation also fully funds the bureau's component of the 21st Century Youth Conservation Corps initiative with a \$5,000,000 increase.

*Land Resources.*—The Committee recommends \$241,192,000 for land resources, \$39,995,000 above the fiscal year 2009 enacted level and \$7,000,000 below the budget request. The Committee recommendation fully funds the climate impacts request of \$15,000,000 and understands that about half of this will be utilized on National Landscape Conservation System lands. The Committee supports this effort, and expects that it will be implemented following further scientific evaluations and management planning. The Bureau should work closely with the U.S. Geological Survey, other Interior bureaus, the Forest Service, and State and local partners on this climate impact effort and provide the House and Senate Committees on Appropriations a report concerning the plans for use of these funds within 120 days of enactment. This coordination is discussed further in the front of this report.

Within the funds provided for range management, the Committee designates \$1,000,000 to help reduce the backlog in grazing permits. The Committee recognizes that the increasing numbers of permits expiring, increased costs for processing, and litigation, have resulted in a significant backlog and workload in processing permits. This funding should be targeted to those areas where litigation is causing significant delays.

The recommendation includes \$2,500,000 in the soil, water and air activity for the new youth initiative: these funds may be used in other activities if it enhances the new initiative. The Committee recommendation provides \$60,486,000 for wild horse and burro management, \$19,873,000 above the fiscal year 2009 level and \$7,000,000 below the budget request.

*Wildlife and Fisheries.*—The Committee recommends \$50,232,000 for wildlife and fisheries, \$1,743,000 above the fiscal year 2009 enacted level and \$1,145,000 above the request. The increase above the request includes restoring \$145,000 for the National Fish and Wildlife Foundation and \$500,000 increases for both the wildlife

base program and the plant conservation program within wildlife management.

*Threatened and Endangered Species.*—The Committee recommends \$22,112,000 for threatened and endangered species as requested, \$399,000 above the fiscal year 2009 enacted level. The Committee encourages the Bureau to increase its efforts toward recovery of listed plant and animal species and take conservation action on Bureau-managed lands and waters for at-risk species and ecosystems so the need for listing is prevented.

*Recreation Management.*—The Committee recommends \$67,692,000 for recreation management as requested, \$3,954,000 above the fiscal year 2009 enacted level. The Committee recommendation fully funds the new youth initiative. These funds may be used in other activities if it enhances the new initiative. The recommendation maintains funding for the various national scenic and historic trails.

The Committee encourages the BLM to comply with the provisions of the Steens Mountain Cooperative Management and Protection Act and allow landowner, lessee and inholder access to their property within the boundary of the Steens Mountain Cooperative Management and Protection Area. Unless funding is provided for land acquisition or exchanges, landowners should be afforded full access to their property.

*Energy and Minerals.*—The Committee recommends \$89,689,000 for energy and minerals, \$9,724,000 below the fiscal year 2009 enacted level and \$21,000,000 below the budget request.

The Committee recommended program level for oil, gas, and coal permitting and leasing and management activities, including the Application for a Permit to Drill (APD) fee and the off-budget, pilot offices permit processing fund, provides for all activities supported in the Administration request.

The Committee recommendation includes the increased APD fee requested by the Administration, which yields \$9,100,000 more than in fiscal year 2009. This cost recovery APD fee increases from \$4,000 to \$6,500 per permit, which is closer to the actual cost of issuing a permit.

The Committee recommendation does not include the Administration request to amend the Energy Policy Act of 2005 to stop the use of \$21,000,000 in mandatory funds for the pilot oil and gas permitting offices. The Administration request had assumed a loss of this off-budget \$21,000,000. The request made up for this reduction with an increase of \$11,900,000 in discretionary funds in oil and gas management and the increased \$9,100,000 from the APD fee. The Committee recommendation does not include the requested \$11,900,000 increase. In addition, the Committee has decreased oil and gas management discretionary funds by \$9,100,000, which is covered by the APD fee increase. When these discretionary, mandatory, and APD cost recovery receipts are considered, the overall Committee recommendation for oil and gas activities is the same as the budget request. The recommendation fully funds the request for a \$2,500,000 increase for enhanced audit and compliance as part of the New Energy Frontier initiative.

*Realty and Ownership Management.*—The Committee recommends \$97,232,000 for realty and ownership management as requested, \$17,167,000 above the fiscal year 2009 enacted level.

The recommendation includes the entire request of \$16,100,000 to increase BLM activities in support of the renewable energy initiative. The Committee expects that these funds will be used by a variety of BLM programs in support of this effort. The Committee is concerned that a rapid expansion of renewable energy projects should be done with care. The BLM should look for opportunities to mitigate potential adverse habitat impacts through the conservation and protection of native habitat and mitigation and rehabilitation with appropriate native plant materials. The BLM should provide the Committee a summary plan within 120 days that describes the policy, administrative and management-level actions that will be taken during the evaluation and approval processes for renewable energy development on Federal lands to ensure: (1) that biological resources are assessed at appropriate scales; (2) and to ensure that fish, wildlife, and plant populations are sustained over the long-term through proper project location, mitigation, operational standards, and monitoring.

*Resource Protection and Maintenance.*—The Committee recommends \$94,077,000 for resource protection and maintenance as requested, \$1,526,000 above the fiscal year 2009 enacted level. The Committee is concerned about the Bureau of Land Management decision to stop trash collection services in the Imperial Sand Dunes Recreation Area, CA and expects BLM to restore trash pick-up services.

*Transportation and Facilities Maintenance.*—The Committee recommends \$73,155,000 for transportation and facilities maintenance as requested, \$702,000 below the fiscal year 2009 enacted level.

*Land and Resource Information Systems.*—The Committee recommends \$16,754,000 for land and resource information systems as requested, \$173,000 above the fiscal year 2009 enacted level.

*Mining Law Administration.*—The Committee recommends \$36,696,000 for mining law administration as requested, \$2,000,000 above the fiscal year 2009 enacted level. Offsetting fees are equal to the amount made available to support this activity.

*Workforce and Organizational Support.*—The Committee recommends \$158,060,000 for workforce and organizational support as requested, \$3,166,000 above the fiscal year 2009 enacted level.

*Challenge Cost Share.*—The Committee recommends \$9,500,000 for the Bureau's challenge cost share program, the same as the fiscal year 2009 enacted funding level and the budget request.

*National Monuments and National Conservation Areas.*—The Committee recommends \$30,801,000 for National Monuments and National Conservation areas, \$2,605,000 above the fiscal year 2009 enacted level and \$2,000,000 above the budget request. The Committee notes that the National Landscape Conservation System (NLCS) was recently authorized in Public Law 111–11. It comprises about 29 million acres, as much land as either the national park system or national wildlife refuge system manage in the lower 48 States. The Committee is encouraged by the BLM management of this new system of special public lands and accordingly has increased the base funding by \$2,000,000. The Committee notes that additional funding for the NLCS is provided in other activities, such as wilderness, transportation, and the Oregon and California Grant Lands account. In addition, about half of the funds added for

the new climate change initiative within the soil, air, and water management activity will be utilized on the NLCS lands.

CONSTRUCTION

Appropriation enacted, 2009*	\$6,590,000
Budget estimate, 2010	6,590,000
Recommended, 2010	6,590,000
Comparison:	
Appropriation, 2009	0
Budget estimate, 2010	0

\*Total does not include funding provided in the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009.

The Committee recommends \$6,590,000 for construction, the same as both the 2009 enacted level and the budget request.

LAND ACQUISITION

Appropriation enacted, 2009	\$14,775,000
Budget estimate, 2010	25,029,000
Recommended, 2010	26,529,000
Comparison:	
Appropriation, 2009	+11,754,000
Budget estimate, 2010	+1,500,000

The Committee recommends \$26,529,000 for land acquisition, \$11,754,000 above the fiscal year 2009 enacted level and \$1,500,000 above the request.

The distribution of the funding is as follows:

State	Project	Committee recommendation
CA	California Wilderness	\$500,000
CA	King Range National Conservation Area	2,000,000
CA	Lacks Creek ACEC	750,000
CA	Santa Rosa and San Jacinto National Monument	500,000
CA	Upper Sacramento River ACEC	2,800,000
MT	Blackfoot River SRMA	4,500,000
MT	Meeteetse Spires ACEC	1,500,000
NM	La Cienega ACEC/El Camino Real de Tierra Andentro NHT	3,000,000
NM	Lesser Prairie Chicken Habitat Preservation ACEC	1,500,000
OR	Cascade-Siskiyou National Monument	1,000,000
OR	Sandy River/Oregon NHT	2,100,000
WY	Craig Thomas Little Mountain SMA	2,000,000
	Sub-total	22,150,000
	Emergencies and hardships & inholdings	2,500,000
	Acquisition management	1,879,000
	Total	26,529,000

The Committee has included language on land acquisition in the front section of this report.

OREGON AND CALIFORNIA GRANT LANDS

Appropriation enacted, 2009	\$109,949,000
Budget estimate, 2010	111,557,000
Recommended, 2010	111,557,000
Comparison:	
Appropriation, 2009	+1,608,000
Budget estimate, 2010	0

The Committee recommends \$111,557,000 for the Oregon and California grant lands as requested, \$1,608,000 above the 2009 enacted level.

FOREST ECOSYSTEM HEALTH AND RECOVERY FUND  
(REVOLVING FUND, SPECIAL ACCOUNT)

The Committee includes bill language, as in the past, allowing funds made available in the Forest Ecosystem Health and Recovery Fund to be used for various forestry purposes including planning, preparing, implementing and monitoring salvage timber sales and forest ecosystem restoration activities. This fund includes the Federal share of receipts derived from treatments funded by this account and deposited into this fund. The recommended bill language extends this authority through fiscal year 2015.

RANGE IMPROVEMENTS

Appropriation enacted, 2009 .....	\$10,000,000
Budget estimate, 2010 .....	10,000,000
Recommended, 2010 .....	10,000,000
Comparison:	
Appropriation, 2009 .....	0
Budget estimate, 2010 .....	0

The Committee recommends an indefinite appropriation of not less than \$10,000,000 to be derived from public lands receipts and Bankhead-Jones Farm Tenant Act lands grazing receipts. Receipts are used for construction, purchase, and maintenance of range improvements, such as seeding, fence construction, weed control, water development, fish and wildlife habitat improvement, and planning and design of these projects.

SERVICE CHARGES, DEPOSITS, AND FORFEITURES

The Committee recommends an indefinite appropriation estimated to be \$31,255,000 for service charges, deposits, and forfeitures as requested, a decrease of \$2,566,000 from the fiscal year 2009 enacted level. The Service Charges, Deposits, and Forfeitures appropriation is offset with fees collected under specified sections of the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976 and other Acts to pay for reasonable administrative and other costs in connection with rights-of-way applications from the private sector, miscellaneous cost-recoverable realty cases, timber contract expenses, repair of damaged lands, the adopt-a-horse program, and the provision of copies of official public land documents.

MISCELLANEOUS TRUST FUNDS

The Committee recommends an indefinite appropriation estimated to be \$20,130,000, the same as the fiscal year 2009 enacted level and the budget request, for miscellaneous trust funds. The Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976 provides for the receipt and expenditure of moneys received as donations or gifts (section 307). Funds in this trust fund are derived from the administrative and survey costs paid by applicants for conveyance of omitted lands (lands fraudulently or erroneously omitted from original cadastral surveys), from advances for other types of surveys requested by individuals, and from contributions made by users of Federal rangelands. Amounts received from the sale of Alaska town lots are also available for expenses of sale and maintenance of town sites. Revenue from unsurveyed lands, and surveys

of omitted lands, administrative costs of conveyance, and gifts and donations must be appropriated before it can be used.

ADMINISTRATIVE PROVISIONS, BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

The Committee recommendation includes the administrative provisions as requested.

UNITED STATES FISH AND WILDLIFE SERVICE

The mission of the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service is to conserve, protect and enhance fish and wildlife and their habitats for the continuing benefit of people. The Service has responsibility for migratory birds, threatened and endangered species, certain marine mammals, and land under Service control.

The Service manages more than 150 million acres across the United States, encompassing a 550-unit National Wildlife Refuge System, additional wildlife and wetlands areas, and 70 National fish hatcheries. A network of law enforcement agents and port inspectors enforce Federal laws for the protection of fish and wildlife.

RESOURCE MANAGEMENT

Appropriation enacted, 2009* .....	\$1,140,962,000
Budget estimate, 2010 .....	1,218,206,000
Recommended, 2010 .....	1,248,756,000
Comparison:	
Appropriation, 2009 .....	+107,794,000
Budget estimate, 2010 .....	+30,550,000

\*Total does not include funding provided in the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009.

The amounts recommended by the Committee compared with the budget estimates by activity are shown in the following table:

**INTERIOR AND ENVIRONMENT—Continued**  
**[Presidentially Directed Spending Items]**

Agency	Account	Recipient	Project	Amount	Requester(s)	
					Administration	House
US Forest Service	Land Acquisition	US Forest Service	Multiple—Greater Yellowstone Area	\$1,000,000	The President	Rehberg
US Forest Service	Land Acquisition	US Forest Service	Multiple—Sierra Nevada Checkerboard	\$1,000,000	The President	
US Forest Service	Land Acquisition	US Forest Service	Ottawa NF—Great Lakes/Great Lands	\$1,500,000	The President	Stupak
US Forest Service	Land Acquisition	US Forest Service	San Bernardino NF—Garner Home Ranch	\$500,000	The President	
US Forest Service	Land Acquisition	US Forest Service	Six Rivers NF—Agnew Tract	\$1,000,000	The President	
US Forest Service	Land Acquisition	US Forest Service	Wallowa-Whitman NF—Imnaha River Canyon, Hells Canyon	\$1,500,000	The President	
US Forest Service	Land Acquisition	US Forest Service	Wasatch-Cache NF—High Uintas	\$1,500,000	The President	
US Forest Service	Land Acquisition	US Forest Service	White Mountain NF	\$434,000	The President	

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Agency	Account	Recipient	Project	Amount	Requester(s)
Bureau of Land Management	Land Acquisition	Bureau of Land Management, Sacramento, CA	Santa Rosa and San Jacinto Mountains National Monument	\$500,000	Bono Mack
Fish and Wildlife Service	Resource Management	Alaska Sealife Center, Seward, AK	Stellers and Spectacled Sea Eider Research	\$350,000	Young (AK)
Fish and Wildlife Service	Resource Management	Georgia Soil and Water Conservation Commission, Athens, GA	Georgia Streambank Restoration	\$500,000	Johnson (GA); Scott (GA); Marshall