



Santa Ana River Mainstem, CA

Construction

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LOCATION AND DESCRIPTION: The project is located along a 75-mile reach of Santa Ana River in Orange, San Bernardino and Riverside Counties. The plan of improvement includes: Seven Oaks Dam (145,600 acre-feet), management of overflow area-Seven Oaks to Prado (35 mi); raise Mill Creek levee (2.4 mi); additional storage at Prado (140,600 acre-feet); improvements along: Oak Street Drain/Riverside County (3.6 mi) Santiago Creek/ Orange County (1.2 mi), and lower Santa Ana River (31 mi); recreation development; mitigation and preservation; and San Timoteo (5.4 mi).

AUTHORIZATION: WRDA 1986 (PL-99-662), Energy & Water Appropriation Act, 1988 (San Timoteo), WRDA 1990 (Santa Ana Trails), WRDA 1996 (Prado Dam, SR 71), WRDA 2007 (SARI Line)

ACTIVITIES FOR FY 2017: Funds will be used to award the BNSF Bridge protection contract and continue construction activities for Reach 9 Phase 4, 5A, 5B women's prison and Adobe dike contracts, Seven Oaks Dam mitigation/monitoring drawdown efforts, water quality study, and design for remaining construction features.

FY18 PLANNED ACCOMPLISHMENTS: Optimal funds could be used to 1) Award the Alcoa and River-road Dike construction contracts, 2) Continue construction activities for the Reach 9 Phases 4, 5A and 5B construction contracts, 3) Seven Oaks mitigation and monitoring drawdown efforts and 4) Design for remaining construction features.

ISSUES AND OTHER INFORMATION:

Operation of Prado Dam at the design flow of 30,000 cfs is contingent upon the relocation by the local sponsor of the Santa Ana River Interceptor line (SARI) and completion of the Lower Santa Ana River Reach 9 channel improvements, including the BNSF Railroad Bridge protection. In order to complete Prado Dam, a large amount of lands still need to be acquired. The local sponsor has identified a funding shortfall and the inability to acquire a portion of the remaining lands. They have requested that a 103, deferred payment, authority be applied to the project. The Corps responded to the sponsor with a list of requirements needed to initiate a request to the Secretary. The listed items have not been received, they include vital appraisals for remaining lands to be acquired.

CONGRESSIONAL INTEREST: Senators Feinstein and Harris, Congresspersons Cook (CA-8), Aguilar (CA-31), Torres (CA-35), Royce (CA-39), Takano (CA-41), Calvert (CA-42), Walters (CA-45), Correa (CA-46), Rohrabacher (CA-48)



As of: 2 Feb 17

FINANCIAL SUMMARY:

CONSTRUCTION

Estimated Federal Cost	1,555,700,000
Estimated Non-Federal Cost	860,800,000
Total Estimated Project Cost	2,416,500,000
Allocation thru FY16	1,178,168,000
Allocation for FY17	37,200,000
President's Budget for FY18	TBD
House Report for FY18	TBD
Senate Report for FY18	TBD
Balance to Complete After FY18	340,332,000

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