Requester Information

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Section 1: Requester Details

Description:

Total project cost estimate is $15M. We are requesting $5 million towards installing new water infrastructure, upgrading larger diameter pipes, and construction of a new 2.5 million gallon water storage tank for water distribution to the Bothwell area, portions of Tremonton City, Thatcher-Penrose Service District, and West Corinne Water Company.

Legislative designee contact information:

Name: Chance Baxter

Organization: Bear River Water Conservancy District

Position: General Manager

Section 2: Funding Information

How will the appropriation be used?

Category	One-time		Ongoing
Personnel Services	2026: 2027:	$0.00 $0.00	$0.00
In-State Travel	2026: 2027:	$0.00 $0.00	$0.00
Out-of-State Travel	2026: 2027:	$0.00 $0.00	$0.00
Supplies and Equipment	2026: 2027:	$0.00 $0.00	$0.00

Category	One-time		Ongoing
Technology Purchases	2026: 2027:	$0.00 $0.00	$0.00
Infrastructure/Capital Investments	2026: 2027:	$0.00 $5,000,000.00	$0.00
Other Charges/Pass Thru	2026: 2027:	$0.00 $0.00	$0.00

Expenditure Total

One-time 2026	One-time 2027	Ongoing 2027
$0.00	**$5,000,000.00**	**$0.00**

Funding Sources:

General Fund

Amount Requested:

2026 (One-time)	$0.00
2027 (One-time)	$5,000,000.00
2027 (Ongoing)	$0.00

Revenue Total

One-time 2026	One-time 2027	Ongoing 2027
$0.00	**$5,000,000.00**	**$0.00**

Is this a multi-year project?

Yes

Is this project scalable if the Legislature does not fund the full requested amount?

Yes

A short explanation describing how the project might be scaled?

The project is split up into segments. The cost estimates per segment: Segment A - $3M Segment B - $3.5M Segment C1 - $2M Segment C2 - $2M Water Storage Tank - $4M

Section 3: Agency Information

Subjects:

02828

Land and Environment

Agency:

560 / Natural Resources

Type of entity to receive pass-through funding:

Government Not For Profit

Grant recipient

No

Requested Direct Award Grant Recipient

Section 4: Performance Outcome Measurement

Who would benefit the most from this request (who is the target audience)?

Bear River Water Conservancy District. These upgrades will benefit Bothwell, Tremonton City, Thatcher-Penrose Service District, and West Corinne Water Company.

What is this project or program intended to accomplish?

The Bothwell Pocket is currently at capacity to deliver water though water is still available. This pocket provides water to Bothwell Town and Cemetery, portions of Tremonton City, Thatcher-Penrose Service District, and West Corinne Water Company. These upgrades will ensure BRWCD can manage growth and maintain reliable water services.

How will the Legislature know whether the project or program achieved its intended purpose?

Construction is complete and water is being delivered.

Section 5: Other Supporting Documents

Intent Language Documents

Previous Funding Documents

https://cobi.utah.gov/2025/1/issues/23765. (This item was requested in 2025, but was not funded.)

Full Time Employees

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