Colorado River Operational Funding

Natural Resources, Agriculture, and Environmental Quality

Requester Information

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Section 1: Requester Details

Description:

This is to fund operational and increased costs for the Colorado River Authority.

Legislative designee contact information:

Name: Logan Anderson

Organization: Colorado River Authority

Position: Manager of Finance and Administration

Section 2: Funding Information

How will the appropriation be used?

Category	One-time		Ongoing
Personnel Services	2026: 2027:	$0.00 $0.00	$290,000.00
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
Technology Purchases	2026: 2027:	$0.00 $0.00	$0.00
Infrastructure/Capital Investments	2026: 2027:	$0.00 $0.00	$0.00

Category	One-time		Ongoing
Other Charges/Pass Thru	2026: 2027:	$0.00 $0.00	$710,000.00

Expenditure Total

One-time 2026	One-time 2027	Ongoing 2027
$0.00	**$0.00**	**$1,000,000.00**

Funding Sources:

General Fund

Amount Requested:

2026 (One-time)	$0.00
2027 (One-time)	$0.00
2027 (Ongoing)	$1,000,000.00

Revenue Total

One-time 2026	One-time 2027	Ongoing 2027
$0.00	**$0.00**	**$1,000,000.00**

Is this a multi-year project?

Yes

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

No

A short explanation describing how the project might be scaled?

Section 3: Agency Information

Subjects:

Land and Environment

Agency:

062 / Governor's Office - Natural Resources

Type of entity to receive pass-through funding:

State Government

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)?

Colorado River users

What is this project or program intended to accomplish?

Interstate negotiations, and minimizing legal impact.

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

The Legislature will know this program is successful based on river commissioners successful negotiations for the Colorado River in Utah.

Section 5: Other Supporting Documents

Intent Language Documents

Previous Funding Documents

https://cobi.utah.gov/2026/3572/financials

Full Time Employees

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