

STATE OF UTAH

Fund Information

FINET Name: (DAG) Invasive Species Account

FINET Fund: 1036

Legal Name: Invasive Species Mitigation Account

Legal Authorization: UCA 4-2-8.7

Earns Interest: Yes No **Earns Interest Authority:**

Revenue Source(s):

1) appropriations, 2) grants from the federal government, 3) grants or donations from a person.

Description:

SB 89 (2008 GS) Creates the Invasive Species Mitigation Fund, a restricted special revenue fund consisting of money appropriated by the Legislature, grants from the federal government, grants or donations. Any unallocated balance in the fund at year end is nonlapsing. The Dept. of Agriculture will administer the fund, and may use fund monies to give a grant to a federal, state or private land owner to prevent catastrophic wildland fire. Appropriates \$2,000,000 from the General Fund for FY 09 to the fund. (New fund no. 2172)

HB 391 (2009 GS) Modifies provisions of the Budgetary Procedures Act. Reclassifies the Invasive Species Mitigation Fund (#2172), Rangeland Improvement Fund (#2170), and Rural Health Care Facilities (#2245) fund from a restricted special revenue account to a general fund restricted account (new fund nos. yet to be assigned); provides that interest accrued from the Rangeland Improvement Fund be deposited into the General Fund. Converts the LeRay McAllister Critical Land Conservation Fund (#2095) to a program, and that the line item be nonlapsing.

SB 191 (2010 GS) Modifies the name of certain funds in the code for governmental accounting purposes. Changes the name of certain funds to reflect that the fund are restricted accounts within the General Fund (including the Invasive Species Mitigation Fund, # 1036).

HB 330 (2011 GS) As to this fund, strikes language that the account is nonlapsing. The bill repeals provisions related to nonlapsing funds, accounts, and account balances to clarify the list of nonlapsing authority in Section 63J-1-602, and Sections 63J-1-602 through 602.5. Clarifies the funding sources for certain funds and accounts. Renames certain funds. Adds certain funds to the list of nonlapsing funds, accounts, and account balances where nonlapsing authority exists. Clarifies the amounts the Division of Finance shall deposit into certain funds and accounts. Repeals obsolete language, funds, and accounts.

SB 61 (2012 GS) Authorizes the Department of Agriculture to spend money in the Invasive Species Mitigation Account on a project implemented by a political subdivision. Permits the Department of Agriculture to consider a project designed to prevent encroachment of an invasive species when awarding grant money.

SB 244 (2013 GS) Amends provisions relating to the Department of Agriculture and Food. Modifies provisions relating to the Invasive Species Mitigation Account.

Fund Balance History:

<u>Fund</u>	<u>Year</u>	<u>Beg Balance</u>	<u>Revenues</u>	<u>Expenses</u>	<u>Transfers</u>	<u>End Balance</u>
1036	2012	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
1036	2013	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0