

CHAPTER 274

APPROPRIATIONS

SENATE BILL 95-187

BY SENATORS Lacy, Blickensderfer, and Rizzuto;
also REPRESENTATIVES Grampas, Owen, Romero, and Hernandez.

AN ACT

CONCERNING A SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Colorado:

SECTION 1. Part XV of section 2 of chapter 354, Session Laws of Colorado 1994, is amended to read:

SECTION 2. Appropriation.

Capital letters indicate new material added to existing statutes; dashes through words indicate deletions from existing statutes and such material not part of act.

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	ITEM & SUBTOTAL	TOTAL	APPROPRIATION FROM			
			GENERAL FUND	GENERAL FUND EXEMPT	CASH FUNDS	CASH FUNDS EXEMPT
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
PART XV						
DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES						
(1) EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR						
(A) Administration						
Personal Services	2,140,404 (43.6 FTE)		9,826		8,928 ^a	2,121,650 (T) ^b
Group Health and Life	2,551,399		659,132		1,751,394 ^c	98,893 ^d 41,980
Short-term Disability	85,782		22,829		57,707 ^c	3,671 ^d 1,575
Salary Survey, Anniversary Increases and Shift Differential	1,986,582		647,429		1,247,056 ^c	30,005 ^d 62,092
Workers' Compensation	828,180		173,918		626,788 ^c	14,849 ^d 12,625
Operating Expenses	1,414,178				1,298,077 ^c	111,436 ^d 4,665
Legal Services	1,219,306 1,515,836		287,430 382,195		358,931 448,173 ^c	492,496 599,693 ^d 85,775
Payment to Risk Management and Property Funds Vehicle Lease	317,670		111,185		191,422 ^c	10,157 ^d 4,906

Payments	929,350	222,086	644,957 ^c	14,122 ^d	48,185
Leased Space	343,122	197,777	131,291 ^c	11,664 ^d	2,390
Capitol Complex					
Leased Space	570,002	210,664	110,917 ^c	182,218 ^d	66,203
INDIRECT COST					
ASSESSMENT	<u>1,939</u>				1,939
	12,385,975				
	12,684,444				

^a This amount shall be from various sources of cash.

^b Of this amount, \$882,159 shall be from statewide indirect cost recoveries, and \$1,239,491 shall be from departmental indirect cost recoveries.

^c Of these amounts, ~~\$4,402,189~~ \$4,432,927 shall be from the Wildlife Cash Fund, ~~\$1,341,836~~ \$1,357,548 shall be from the Parks and Outdoor Recreation Cash Fund, ~~\$341,089~~ \$343,841 shall be from the Oil and Gas Conservation Fund, \$125,626 shall be from fees collected by the Geological Survey program, ~~\$114,394~~ \$154,434 shall be from the Land Board Administrative Fund, \$50,774 shall be from the Water Conservation Board Construction Fund, \$28,522 shall be from cash funds in the Division of Water Resources, and \$14,110 shall be from the Mined Land Reclamation Fund.

^d Of these amounts, ~~\$357,948~~ \$350,209 shall be from reserves in the Water Conservation Board Construction Fund, ~~\$160,577~~ \$220,637 shall be from the Land Board Administration Fund and is derived from property sales, \$18,560 (T) is from the Colorado Department of Transportation, and ~~\$432,426(T)~~ \$449,302(T) shall be from departmental indirect cost recoveries. RECOVERIES, AND \$38,000 SHALL BE FROM RESERVES IN THE GROUND WATER MANAGEMENT CASH FUND.

(B) Information Technology

Personal Services	725,299		147,374 ^e	725,299 ^a 577,925 (T) ^a (14.0 FTE)
Operating Expenses	17,202			17,202 (T) ^b

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Purchase of Services from Computer Center	139,193				105,179 ^c	34,014 (T) ^b	
ADP Maintenance	<u>397,452</u>				188,497 ^d	185,493 (T) ^b	23,462
	1,279,146						

^a Of this amount, \$577,925 (T) shall be from departmental indirect cost recoveries, and \$147,374 shall be from the Wildlife Cash Fund. THIS AMOUNT SHALL BE FROM DEPARTMENTAL INDIRECT COST RECOVERIES.

^b These amounts shall be from departmental indirect cost recoveries.

^c Of this amount, \$93,209 shall be from the Wildlife Cash Fund, \$10,500 shall be from the Division of Parks and Outdoor Recreation, and \$1,470 shall be from the Oil and Gas Conservation Commission.

^d Of this amount, \$50,349 shall be from the Oil and Gas Conservation Fund, \$49,308 shall be from the Wildlife Cash Fund, \$48,862 shall be from the Land Board Administrative Fund, \$28,174 shall be from the Parks and Outdoor Recreation Cash Fund, \$7,024 shall be from the Water Conservation Board BOARD CONSTRUCTION FUND, \$3,541 shall be from fees collected by the Geological Survey program, and \$1,239 shall be from the Division of Water Resources.

^e THIS AMOUNT SHALL BE FROM THE WILDLIFE CASH FUND.

**(C) Comprehensive Environmental
Response, Compensation and
Liability Act**

20,000

20,000 (T)^a

^a This amount shall be from the Department of Law.

(D) Resource Mitigation

Banking	15,000		15,000 ^a
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^a This amount shall be from fees charged to project applicants.

(E) Youth in Natural Resources Program

80,495	80,495
	(2.0 FTE)

~~13,780,616~~
14,079,085

(2) MINED LAND RECLAMATION

(A) Coal Land Reclamation

Personal Services	1,162,905	197,694 (M)	965,211 ^a
	(25.0 FTE)		
Operating Expenses	99,980	16,996 (M)	82,984 ^a
Aerial Photography	16,000	2,720 (M)	13,280 ^a
Indirect Cost			
Assessment	89,483		89,483
	<u>101,717</u>		101,717 ^a
	1,368,368		
	1,380,602		

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			GENERAL FUND	GENERAL FUND EXEMPT	CASH FUNDS	CASH FUNDS EXEMPT	FEDERAL FUNDS
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(B) Inactive Mines							
Program Costs	500,000						
	(12.6 FTE)						
Indirect Cost							
Assessment	53,018						
	<u>50,042</u>						
	553,018						553,018
	550,042						550,042
(C) Minerals and Geology							
Personal Services	963,581						
	(22.9 FTE)						
Operating Expenses	124,764						
Aerial Photography	13,670						
Indirect Cost							
Assessment	<u>34,039</u>						
	1,136,054		280,960		825,094 ^a	30,000 ^b	

^a This amount shall be from the Mined Land Reclamation Fund.

^b This amount shall be from the reserves in the Mined Land Reclamation Fund.

(D) Mines Program

Colorado and Federal Mine				
Safety Program	260,727	104,291 (1.0 FTE)	13,036 ^a (0.5 FTE)	143,400 (2.5 FTE)
Blaster Certification Program	106,837 (1.0 FTE)	18,162 (M)		88,675
Indirect Cost Assessment	13,380		1,498 ^a	11,882 13,380
	<u>380,944</u>			

^a ~~These amounts~~ THIS AMOUNT shall be from fees.

~~3,438,384~~
3,447,642

(3) GEOLOGICAL SURVEY

General Fund Programs	252,334	252,334 (3.6 FTE)		
Cash Funds Programs	834,707 (17.1 FTE)		145,000 ^a 268,986 ^a	689,707 (T) ^b 565,721 (T) ^b

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			GENERAL FUND	GENERAL FUND \$ EXEMPT	CASH FUNDS	CASH FUNDS \$ EXEMPT	FEDERAL FUNDS
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Geological Survey Mapping	115,002		57,501 (M)				57,501
			(1.0 FTE)				(1.0 FTE)
Colorado Avalanche Information Center	338,948				4,500 ^c	259,448 ^a	75,000
					6,800 ^c	257,148 ^d	
	(7.3 FTE)						
Federal Funded Programs	219,775						219,775
							(4.0 FTE)
Indirect Cost Assessment	16,650						16,650
	<u>23,550</u>						23,550
		1,777,416					
		1,784,316					

^a This amount shall be from fees.

^b This amount shall be from the Department of Transportation and other state agencies.

^c Of this amount, \$4,000 shall be from the Snowmobile Fund, and ~~\$500 shall be from a contract with the Breckenridge Ski Area.~~ \$2,800 SHALL BE FROM THE SALE OF AVALANCHE PRODUCTS.

^d Of this amount, ~~\$38,008~~ \$37,408 shall be from grants and donations from various sources and ~~\$221,440 (T)~~ \$219,740(T) shall be from the non-appropriated budget of the Colorado Department of Transportation.

(4) OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION COMMISSION

Personal Services	1,061,110	1,061,110 ^a	
		(24.0 FTE)	
Operating Expenses	96,892	96,892 ^a	
Printing Revolving Fund	13,860	13,860 ^b	
Indirect Cost			
Assessment	84,519	77,241 ^a	7,278
Mineral Audits	2,008	2,008 ^a	
Underground Injection Study	97,300		97,300
			(2.0 FTE)
Accelerated Drilling ¹⁰⁰	152,849	152,849 ^a	
		(5.0 FTE)	
Emergency Response Fund	300,000	300,000 ^c	
	<u>400,000</u>		400,000 ^c
	1,808,538		
	1,908,538		

^a These amounts shall be from the Oil and Gas Conservation Fund.

^b This amount shall be from the sale of publications.

^c This amount shall be from the RESERVES IN THE Oil and Gas Environmental Response Fund.

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			GENERAL FUND	GENERAL FUND \$ EXEMPT	CASH FUNDS	CASH FUNDS \$ EXEMPT	FEDERAL FUNDS
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
(5) STATE BOARD OF LAND COMMISSIONERS							
Personal Services	1,310,890				524,356 ^a	786,534 ^b	
	(29.0 FTE)						
Operating Expenses	59,781				23,912 ^a	35,869 ^b	
Mineral Audits	41,314				16,526 ^a	24,788 ^b	
Land and Water							
Management Fund	75,000				75,000 ^c		
Timber Sales	10,000				4,000 ^a	6,000 ^b	
Management							
Indirect Cost							
Assessment	94,172				37,669 ^a	56,503 ^b	
State Trust Land							
Evaluations	<u>219,626</u>				72,185 ^a	147,441 ^b	
		1,810,783					

^a These amounts shall be from the Land Board Administrative Fund.

^b These amounts shall be from the Land Board Administrative Fund and are derived from property sales.

^c This amount shall be from fees collected pursuant to Section 36-1-112, C.R.S.

(6) PARKS AND OUTDOOR RECREATION ^{100a}

(A) Administration

Established State Parks 101	11,520,103	4,494,531	6,271,766 ^a	720,806 ^b	33,000
	11,552,257		6,303,920 ^a		
	(161.8 FTE)				
New State Parks	312,703	116,974	195,729 ^a		
	(4.6 FTE)				
Great Outdoors Colorado Board Grants ¹⁰²	2,503,000			2,503,000 ^c	
				(3.5 FTE)	
	<u>14,335,806</u>				
	14,367,960				

^a These amounts shall be from the Parks and Outdoor Recreation Cash Fund.

^b Of this amount, \$505,806 shall be from Lottery proceeds and is shown for informational purposes only, \$170,000 shall be from the Land Board Internal Improvement Trust Fund and Saline Trust Fund, and \$45,000 shall be from the Snowmobile Fund.

^c This amount shall be from the Great Outdoors Colorado Board and is shown for informational purposes only.

(B) Special Purpose

Snowmobile Program	201,761		201,761 ^a		
River Outfitters Regulation	46,511		37,781 ^b	8,730 ^c	
Off Highway Vehicle Program	156,829		156,829 ^d		
			(1.5 FTE)		
Federal Grants Indirect Cost	277,677				277,677

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			GENERAL FUND	GENERAL FUND \$ EXEMPT	CASH FUNDS	CASH FUNDS \$ EXEMPT	FEDERAL FUNDS
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Assessment	450,104				450,104 ^e		
State Trails System	<u>36,500</u>						36,500
	1,169,382						

^a This amount shall be from the Snowmobile Fund.

^b This amount shall be from license fees.

^c This amount shall be from reserves in the River Outfitters Fund.

^d This amount shall be from registration fees.

^e This amount shall be from the Parks and Outdoor Recreation Cash Fund.

~~15,505,188~~

15,537,342

**(7) WATER CONSERVATION
BOARD**

(A) Administration

Personal Services	1,492,858
	(26.0 FTE)
Operating Expenses	79,769
Indirect Cost	
Assessment	142,657

Interstate Compacts	240,158		
Western States Water			
Council Dues	<u>21,000</u>		
	1,976,442	865,589	1,110,853 ^a

^a Of this amount, \$811,836 shall be from reserves in the Water Conservation Board Construction Fund, and \$299,017 (T) shall be from the Division of Wildlife.

(B) Special Purpose

Federal Emergency			
Management Assistance	82,000		82,000 (1.0 FTE)
Land Owners Legal			
Study	2,000		2,000
Dam Site Inventory	4,750		4,750 ^a
Weather Modification	2,500	2,500 ^b	
	5,500	5,500 ^b	
Water Conservation			
Program	132,858		132,858 ^a (2.5 FTE)
	<u>224,108</u>		
	227,108		

^a These amounts shall be from reserves in the Water Conservation Board Construction Fund.

^b This amount shall be from Weather Modification application fees.

~~2,200,550~~

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	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	
		2,203,550					
(8) WATER RESOURCES DIVISION ^{103, 104}							
Personal Services	9,395,314		9,395,314				
			(209.1 FTE)				
Water Commissioner							
Overtime	206,931		206,931				
Operating Expenses	566,178		566,178				
Interstate Compacts	48,482		48,482				
Water Rights Tabulation	8,633		8,633				
Water Data Bank	208,852		158,960	44,850 ^a	5,042 ^b		
	(5.0 FTE)						
Printing Revolving							
Fund	9,256			8,364 ^c	892 ^d		
Satellite Monitoring							
System	294,065		195,488	94,898 ^e	3,679 ^f		
	(2.0 FTE)						
Ground Water							
Management	283,005			232,265 ^g	50,740 ^h		
Indirect Cost							
Assessment	10,116			10,116 ⁱ			

Designated Basin				
Publication	5,264		5,264 ^j	
Augmentation of Water for Sand and Gravel				
Extraction	59,742		59,742 ^g	
H.B. 92-1131 Dam Emergency				
Repair	50,000			50,000 ^k
Water Administrator	27,813		27,813 ^d	
	24,813		24,813 ^l	
			(1.0 FTE)	
Federal Grant	<u>11,500</u>			11,500
		11,185,151		
		11,182,151		

^a This amount shall be from Water Data Bank user fees.

^b This amount shall be from reserves in the Water Data Bank Fund.

^c This amount shall be from the sale of printing services and publications.

^d This amount shall be from reserves in the Publication Revolving Fund.

^e This amount shall be from Satellite Monitoring System subscriptions.

^f This amount shall be from reserves in the Satellite Monitoring Fund.

^g These amounts shall be from permit fees.

^h This amount shall be from reserves in the Ground Water Management Fund.

ⁱ This amount shall be from cash sources within the Division.

^j This amount shall be from applicant fees. For purposes of complying with the limitation on state fiscal year spending imposed by Article X, Section 20 of the State Constitution these moneys are included for informational purposes as they are continuously appropriated by a permanent statute or constitutional provision.

^k This amount shall be from reserves in the Water Conservation Construction Fund.

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			GENERAL FUND	GENERAL FUND EXEMPT	CASH FUNDS	CASH FUNDS EXEMPT
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
¹ This amount shall be from the City of Aurora.						
(9) DIVISION OF WILDLIFE ^{105, 106, 107, 108}						
(A) Division						
Administration ¹⁰⁹	2,734,402					
	(31.8 FTE)					
Hunting Recreation	23,123,975					
	(339.0 FTE)					
Fishing Recreation	17,593,751					
	(288.2 FTE)					
Watchable Wildlife	1,023,221					
	(14.1 FTE)					
Nongame/Endangered Wildlife	2,303,730					
	(29.2 FTE)					
Great Outdoors Colorado Board Grants ¹¹⁰	1,500,000					
	(8.8 FTE)					
Indirect Cost Assessment	<u>2,374,741</u>					
	50,653,820			41,707,799 ^a	1,875,000 ^b	7,071,021

^a This amount shall be from the Wildlife Cash Fund.

^b Of this amount, \$375,000 shall be from the Nongame Wildlife Voluntary Contribution Fund, and \$1,500,000 shall be from the Great Outdoors Colorado Board.

(B) Special Purpose

Wildlife Commission				
Discretionary Fund	475,000	475,000	^a	
Colorado Outdoors				
Magazine Revolving				
Fund	735,365	735,365	^b	
		(4.0 FTE)		
Search and Rescue				
Program	300,000	300,000 ^e		
		152,000	^c	148,000
		(0.5 FTE)		
Instream Flow Program	299,017			299,017 ^d
		299,017	^d	
Wildlife Education				
Program	57,540	57,540	^a	
Habitat Partnership	<u>734,795</u>	734,795	^a	
	2,601,717			

^a These amounts shall be from the Wildlife Cash Fund.

^b This amount shall be from subscription revenues.

^c This amount shall be from the Search and Rescue Fund.

^d This amount shall be from the Wildlife Cash Fund and transferred to the Water Conservation Board Construction Fund.

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			GENERAL FUND	GENERAL FUND EXEMPT	CASH FUNDS	CASH FUNDS EXEMPT	FEDERAL FUNDS
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
		53,255,537					
(10) SOIL CONSERVATION BOARD							
Personal Services (5.0 FTE)	245,006		232,779			12,227 ^a	
Operating Expenses	27,851		27,138			713 ^a	
Distributions to Soil Conservation Districts	129,714		129,714				
Assistance to Local Government	31,146		31,146				
Irrigation/Conservation Program	115,304 (3.0 FTE)		18,342			26,962 ^a	70,000
Food Security Act Indirect Cost	12,000						12,000
Assessment	6,281 4,610					2,793 ^a 560 ^a	3,488 4,050
Water Quality Program	<u>10,000</u>						10,000
		577,302					

^a THIS AMOUNT SHALL BE FROM RESERVES IN THE SEARCH AND RESCUE FUND.

^a Of these amounts, ~~\$28,695~~ \$26,462 shall be from donations, and \$14,000(T) shall be from other state agencies.

TOTALS PART XV (NATURAL RESOURCES) ⁸

\$105,339,465	\$20,049,628	\$61,993,161	\$12,917,521^a	\$10,379,155
<u>\$105,784,575</u>	<u>\$20,144,393</u>	<u>\$62,237,736</u>	<u>\$12,997,808^a</u>	<u>\$10,404,638</u>

^a Of this amount, ~~\$4,631,434~~ \$4,522,624 contains a (T) notation.

FOOTNOTES -- The following statements are referenced to the numbered footnotes throughout section 2.

8 (Governor lined through this provision. See L. 94, p. 3120.)

100 Department of Natural Resources, Oil and Gas Conservation Commission, Accelerated Drilling -- It is the intent of the General Assembly that this line item exist for FY 1994-95 and FY 1995-96, and that the Commission justify the continuation of this line item because of continuing or increasing workloads. If the Commission adequately justifies the level of work as continuing or increasing, the appropriation may continue.

100a (Governor lined through this provision. See L. 94, p. 3121.)

101 Department of Natural Resources, Parks and Outdoor Recreation, Administration, Established State Parks -- This consolidation of line items includes a continuing level of funding for the Natural Areas Program. With the consolidation, the Division is given the discretion to continue the Natural Areas Program in full or in part.

102 Department of Natural Resources, Parks and Outdoor Recreation, Administration, Great Outdoors Colorado Board Grants -- These funds are anticipated from the Great Outdoors Colorado Board, and while these funds are not subject to appropriation by the Legislature, pursuant to Article XXVII, Section 5 of the Colorado Constitution, they are shown here for informational purposes. The General Assembly accepts no obligation to continue funding these FTE and programs if Great Outdoors Colorado funds are no longer

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available.

- 103 Department of Natural Resources, Water Resources Division -- The Division is requested to document Satellite Monitoring System subscriptions, savings and expenses of staff time, operating expenses, and operation of the Satellite Monitoring System for FY 1994-95, and to submit a report of this information to the Joint Budget Committee by December 1, 1994.
- 104 Department of Natural Resources, Water Resources Division -- It is the intent of the General Assembly that General Fund support for the Satellite Monitoring System will continue, and that fair share user fees will be encouraged.
- 105 Department of Natural Resources, Division of Wildlife -- The appropriation to this division has been based upon and is subject to the Memorandum of Understanding between the Department of Natural Resources and the Joint Budget Committee of the General Assembly, which memorandum was signed by the chairman of each board or his or her designee, the director of each division, the executive director of the Department of Natural Resources, and the chairman of the Joint Budget Committee. The Memorandum of Understanding is on file at the office of the Joint Budget Committee. The intent of the Memorandum is to make the Department more cost-effective through line item consolidation in order to maximize productivity by using existing staff and funding levels to prioritize assignments and responsibly perform statutorily required functions. The Department is expected to maintain accounting records which will delineate actual expenditures for the consolidated line items based on the FY 1989-90 appropriation line items.
- 106 Department of Natural Resources, Division of Wildlife -- All communications required pursuant to the Memorandum of Understanding between the Department of Natural Resources and the Joint Budget Committee should be sent to the Chairman of the Senate Agriculture, Natural Resources and Energy Committee, the Chairman of the House Agriculture, Livestock and Natural Resources Committee, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, and the President of the Senate, as well as the Joint Budget Committee.
- 107 Department of Natural Resources, Division of Wildlife -- The Division should account for its expenditures for each line item by funding source, indicating expenditures from federal funds, the Wildlife Cash Fund, the Nongame Wildlife Voluntary Contribution, and other sources.
- 108 Department of Natural Resources, Division of Wildlife -- No supplemental request to adjust funds between the five major program lines for FY 1994-95 will be considered by the Joint Budget Committee. It is the intent of the Committee that the Division manage the funds as appropriated in the five program lines during FY 1994-95.

109 Department of Natural Resources, Division of Wildlife, Division, Administration -- It is the intent of the General Assembly that 2.0 FTE associated with development and implementation of the Colorado Outdoor Recreation Information system be re-evaluated at the completion of this phase of the project. These FTE should not automatically be rolled into the Administration Personal services base. The Division should demonstrate the need for the continuation of these positions upon project implementation.

110 Department of Natural Resources, Division of Wildlife, Division, Great Outdoors Colorado Board Grants -- These funds are anticipated from the Great Outdoors Colorado Board, and while these funds are not subject to appropriation by the Legislature, pursuant to Article XXVII, Section 5 of the Colorado Constitution, they are shown here for informational purposes. The General Assembly accepts no obligation to continue funding these FTE and programs if Great Outdoors Colorado funds are no longer available. Funding and FTE for ongoing projects that would be enhanced with Great Outdoors Colorado funding will be determined by the General Assembly.

SECTION 2. Safety clause. The general assembly hereby finds, determines, and declares that this act is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, and safety.

Approved: March 29, 1995