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ENROLLED ACT NO. 32, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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AN ACT relating to water development projects; authorizing construction of designated water projects; describing projects; specifying terms and conditions of funding for projects; providing appropriations; modifying project descriptions and terms of appropriations for specified prior projects; repealing an obsolete provision; and providing for an effective date.

*Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Wyoming:*

**Section 1.** W.S. 99-3-2101 through 99-3-2104 are created to read:

ARTICLE 21  
2016 CONSTRUCTION PROJECTS

**99-3-2101. Definitions.**

The definitions in W.S. 99-3-101 apply to this article.

**99-3-2102. General authorization.**

The provisions of W.S. 99-3-102 apply to this article.

**99-3-2103. Level III construction projects - new development.**

(a) Authorization is granted for the Level III new development construction projects identified in this section subject to the general conditions specified in W.S. 99-3-103.

(b) Project - Arapahoe Water Supply 2016:

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(i) Project sponsor: Northern Arapaho Indian  
Tribe;

(ii) Project purpose: Rural domestic water  
supply;

(iii) Project description: Design and  
construction of transmission pipelines and appurtenances  
necessary to make the project function in the manner  
intended;

(iv) Total project budget: Three million three  
hundred fifty-five thousand dollars (\$3,355,000.00);

(v) Project grant: The state of Wyoming shall  
grant to the sponsor from water development account I  
through the commission for the design, permit procurement,  
project land procurement, construction engineering and  
construction of the project an amount not to exceed two  
million two hundred forty-seven thousand eight hundred  
fifty dollars (\$2,247,850.00) or sixty-seven percent (67%)  
of the actual development costs, whichever is less;

(vi) Appropriation: There is appropriated from  
water development account I to the commission two million  
two hundred forty-seven thousand eight hundred fifty  
dollars (\$2,247,850.00) or as much thereof as is necessary  
to carry out the purpose of this subsection. Unexpended  
funds appropriated under this subsection shall revert to  
water development account I on July 1, 2021;

(vii) Special conditions: The sponsor is  
responsible for acquiring thirty-three percent (33%) of the  
total project budget from other sources.

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(c) Project - Buffalo Main Street Pipeline:

(i) Project sponsor: City of Buffalo;

(ii) Project purpose: Municipal, rural domestic water supply;

(iii) Project description: Design and construction of a transmission pipeline and appurtenances necessary to make the project function in the manner intended;

(iv) Total project budget: Two hundred thirty thousand dollars (\$230,000.00);

(v) Project grant: The state of Wyoming shall grant to the sponsor from water development account I through the commission for the design, permit procurement, project land procurement, construction engineering and construction of the project an amount not to exceed one hundred fifty-four thousand one hundred dollars (\$154,100.00) or sixty-seven percent (67%) of the actual development costs, whichever is less;

(vi) Appropriation: There is appropriated from water development account I to the commission one hundred fifty-four thousand one hundred dollars (\$154,100.00) or as much thereof as is necessary to carry out the purpose of this subsection. Unexpended funds appropriated under this subsection shall revert to water development account I on July 1, 2021;

(vii) Special conditions: The sponsor is responsible for acquiring thirty-three percent (33%) of the total project budget from other sources.

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(d) Project - Buffalo Tank Valve:

(i) Project sponsor: City of Buffalo;

(ii) Project purpose: Municipal, rural domestic water supply;

(iii) Project description: Design and construction of valves, pipelines and appurtenances necessary to make the project function in the manner intended;

(iv) Total project budget: One hundred seventy-five thousand dollars (\$175,000.00);

(v) Project grant: The state of Wyoming shall grant to the sponsor from water development account I through the commission for the design, permit procurement, project land procurement, construction engineering and construction of the project an amount not to exceed one hundred seventeen thousand two hundred fifty dollars (\$117,250.00) or sixty-seven percent (67%) of the actual development costs, whichever is less;

(vi) Appropriation: There is appropriated from water development account I to the commission one hundred seventeen thousand two hundred fifty dollars (\$117,250.00) or as much thereof as is necessary to carry out the purpose of this subsection. Unexpended funds appropriated under this subsection shall revert to water development account I on July 1, 2021;

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(vii) Special conditions: The sponsor is responsible for acquiring thirty-three percent (33%) of the total project budget from other sources.

(e) Project - Deaver Transmission Pipeline:

(i) Project sponsor: Town of Deaver;

(ii) Project purpose: Municipal, rural domestic water supply;

(iii) Project description: Design and construction of a transmission pipeline and appurtenances necessary to make the project function in the manner intended;

(iv) Total project budget: One million one hundred fifty thousand dollars (\$1,150,000.00);

(v) Project grant: The state of Wyoming shall grant to the sponsor from water development account I through the commission for the design, permit procurement, project land procurement, construction engineering and construction of the project an amount not to exceed seven hundred seventy thousand five hundred dollars (\$770,500.00) or sixty-seven percent (67%) of the actual development costs, whichever is less;

(vi) Appropriation: There is appropriated from water development account I to the commission seven hundred seventy thousand five hundred dollars (\$770,500.00) or as much thereof as is necessary to carry out the purpose of this subsection. Unexpended funds appropriated under this subsection shall revert to water development account I on July 1, 2021;

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(vii) Special conditions: The sponsor is responsible for acquiring thirty-three percent (33%) of the total project budget from other sources.

(f) Project - Dubois Well Acquisition:

(i) Project sponsor: Town of Dubois;

(ii) Project purpose: Municipal, rural domestic water supply;

(iii) Project description: Purchase of an existing groundwater well currently owned by the commission;

(iv) Total project budget: Zero dollars (\$0.00);

(v) Appropriation: The appropriation for this project is zero dollars (\$0.00). The authorization approving the sale of this well shall expire on July 1, 2017;

(vi) Special conditions:

(A) The sponsor is responsible for acquiring one hundred percent (100%) of the total well purchase from other sources;

(B) The sponsor shall purchase the well drilled during the level II study for a price not to exceed thirty-three percent (33%) of the well's actual construction costs. The sponsor shall purchase the well with a lump sum payment.

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(g) Project - Gillette Regional Extensions-Phase II:

(i) Project sponsor: City of Gillette;

(ii) Project purpose: Municipal, rural domestic water supply;

(iii) Project description: Design of a pipeline and appurtenances necessary to make the project function in the manner intended;

(iv) Total project budget: Eight hundred forty thousand dollars (\$840,000.00);

(v) Project grant: The state of Wyoming shall grant to the sponsor from water development account I through the commission for the design, permit procurement and project land procurement of the project an amount not to exceed five hundred sixty-two thousand eight hundred dollars (\$562,800.00) or sixty-seven percent (67%) of the actual development costs, whichever is less;

(vi) Appropriation: There is appropriated from water development account I to the commission five hundred sixty-two thousand eight hundred dollars (\$562,800.00) or as much thereof as is necessary to carry out the purpose of this subsection. Unexpended funds appropriated under this subsection shall revert to water development account I on July 1, 2021;

(vii) Special conditions: The sponsor is responsible for acquiring thirty-three percent (33%) of the total project budget from other sources.

(h) Project - Greybull Transmission Pipeline:

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- (i) Project sponsor: Town of Greybull;
- (ii) Project purpose: Municipal, rural domestic water supply;
- (iii) Project description: Design and construction of a transmission pipeline and appurtenances necessary to make the project function in the manner intended;
- (iv) Total project budget: One million two hundred thirty thousand dollars (\$1,230,000.00);
- (v) Project grant: The state of Wyoming shall grant to the sponsor from water development account I through the commission for the design, permit procurement, project land procurement, construction engineering and construction of the project an amount not to exceed eight hundred twenty-four thousand one hundred dollars (\$824,100.00) or sixty-seven percent (67%) of the actual development costs, whichever is less;
- (vi) Appropriation: There is appropriated from water development account I to the commission eight hundred twenty-four thousand one hundred dollars (\$824,100.00) or as much thereof as is necessary to carry out the purpose of this subsection. Unexpended funds appropriated under this subsection shall revert to water development account I on July 1, 2021;
- (vii) Special conditions: The sponsor is responsible for acquiring thirty-three percent (33%) of the total project budget from other sources.



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(j) Project - Kemmerer Transmission Pipeline 2016:

(i) Project sponsor: Kemmerer-Diamondville Joint Powers Water Board;

(ii) Project purpose: Municipal, rural domestic water supply;

(iii) Project description: Design and construction of a transmission pipeline and appurtenances necessary to make the project function in the manner intended;

(iv) Total project budget: One million seven hundred fifty thousand dollars (\$1,750,000.00);

(v) Project grant: The state of Wyoming shall grant to the sponsor from water development account I through the commission for the design, permit procurement, project land procurement, construction engineering and construction of the project an amount not to exceed one million one hundred seventy-two thousand five hundred dollars (\$1,172,500.00) or sixty-seven percent (67%) of the actual development costs, whichever is less;

(vi) Appropriation: There is appropriated from water development account I to the commission one million one hundred seventy-two thousand five hundred dollars (\$1,172,500.00) or as much thereof as is necessary to carry out the purpose of this subsection. Unexpended funds appropriated under this subsection shall revert to water development account I on July 1, 2021;

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(vii) Special conditions: The sponsor is responsible for acquiring thirty-three percent (33%) of the total project budget from other sources.

(k) Project - Lander Transmission Pipeline 2016:

(i) Project sponsor: City of Lander;

(ii) Project purpose: Municipal and rural domestic water supply;

(iii) Project description: Design and construction of a transmission pipeline and appurtenances necessary to make the project function in the manner intended;

(iv) Total project budget: Three million ninety-one thousand dollars (\$3,091,000.00);

(v) Project grant: The state of Wyoming shall grant to the sponsor from water development account I through the commission for the design, permit procurement, project land procurement, construction engineering and construction of the project an amount not to exceed two million seventy thousand nine hundred seventy dollars (\$2,070,970.00) or sixty-seven percent (67%) of the actual development costs, whichever is less;

(vi) Appropriation: There is appropriated from water development account I to the commission two million seventy thousand nine hundred seventy dollars (\$2,070,970.00) or as much thereof as is necessary to carry out the purpose of this subsection. Unexpended funds appropriated under this subsection shall revert to water development account I on July 1, 2021;

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(vii) Special conditions: The sponsor is responsible for acquiring thirty-three percent (33%) of the total project budget from other sources.

(m) Project - Meeteetse Tank/SCADA/Retrofit:

(i) Project sponsor: Town of Meeteetse;

(ii) Project purpose: Municipal, rural domestic water supply;

(iii) Project description: Design and construction of a pipeline, valves, supervisory control and data acquisition (SCADA) system upgrade and appurtenances necessary to make the project function in the manner intended;

(iv) Total project budget: One hundred forty thousand dollars (\$140,000.00);

(v) Project grant: The state of Wyoming shall grant to the sponsor from water development account I through the commission for the design, permit procurement, project land procurement, construction engineering and construction of the project an amount not to exceed ninety-three thousand eight hundred dollars (\$93,800.00) or sixty-seven percent (67%) of the actual development costs, whichever is less;

(vi) Appropriation: There is appropriated from water development account I to the commission ninety-three thousand eight hundred dollars (\$93,800.00) or as much thereof as is necessary to carry out the purpose of this subsection. Unexpended funds appropriated under this

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subsection shall revert to water development account I on July 1, 2021;

(vii) Special conditions: The sponsor is responsible for acquiring thirty-three percent (33%) of the total project budget from other sources.

(n) Project - Shoshone Transmission Pipeline 2016:

(i) Project sponsor: Shoshone Municipal Water Joint Powers Board;

(ii) Project purpose: Municipal, rural domestic water supply;

(iii) Project description: Design and construction of a transmission pipeline and appurtenances necessary to make the project function in the manner intended;

(iv) Total project budget: Six million seven hundred fifty thousand dollars (\$6,750,000.00);

(v) Project grant: The state of Wyoming shall grant to the sponsor from water development account I through the commission for the design, permit procurement, project land procurement, construction engineering and construction of the project an amount not to exceed two million two hundred twenty-seven thousand five hundred dollars (\$2,227,500.00) or thirty-three percent (33%) of the actual development costs, whichever is less;

(vi) Appropriation: There is appropriated from water development account I to the commission two million two hundred twenty-seven thousand five hundred dollars

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(\$2,227,500.00) or as much thereof as is necessary to carry out the purpose of this subsection. Unexpended funds appropriated under this subsection shall revert to water development account I on July 1, 2021;

(vii) Special conditions: The sponsor is responsible for acquiring sixty-seven percent (67%) of the total project budget from other sources.

(o) Project - South Big Horn County Pipeline:

(i) Project sponsor: South Big Horn County Rural Water District;

(ii) Project purpose: Rural domestic water supply;

(iii) Project description: Design and construction of a transmission pipeline and appurtenances necessary to make the project function in the manner intended;

(iv) Total project budget: Five million three hundred ten thousand dollars (\$5,310,000.00);

(v) Project grant: The state of Wyoming shall grant to the sponsor from water development account I through the commission for the design, permit procurement, project land procurement, construction engineering and construction of the project an amount not to exceed three million five hundred fifty-seven thousand seven hundred dollars (\$3,557,700.00) or sixty-seven percent (67%) of the actual development costs, whichever is less;

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(vi) Appropriation: There is appropriated from water development account I to the commission three million five hundred fifty-seven thousand seven hundred dollars (\$3,557,700.00) or as much thereof as is necessary to carry out the purpose of this subsection. Unexpended funds appropriated under this subsection shall revert to water development account I on July 1, 2021;

(vii) Special conditions: The sponsor is responsible for acquiring thirty-three percent (33%) of the total project budget from other sources.

(p) Project - Sundance PRV Improvements 2016:

(i) Project sponsor: Town of Sundance;

(ii) Project purpose: Municipal and rural domestic water supply;

(iii) Project description: Design and construction of pressure reducing valve (PRV) improvements and appurtenances necessary to make the project function in the manner intended;

(iv) Total project budget: Two hundred five thousand dollars (\$205,000.00);

(v) Project grant: The state of Wyoming shall grant to the sponsor from water development account I through the commission for the design, permit procurement, project land procurement, construction engineering and construction of the project an amount not to exceed one hundred thirty-seven thousand three hundred fifty dollars (\$137,350.00) or sixty-seven percent (67%) of the actual development costs, whichever is less;

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(vi) Appropriation: There is appropriated from water development account I to the commission one hundred thirty-seven thousand three hundred fifty dollars (\$137,350.00) or as much thereof as is necessary to carry out the purpose of this subsection. Unexpended funds appropriated under this subsection shall revert to water development account I on July 1, 2021;

(vii) Special conditions: The sponsor is responsible for acquiring thirty-three percent (33%) of the total project budget from other sources.

(q) Project - Sundance Transmission Pipeline 2016:

(i) Project sponsor: Town of Sundance;

(ii) Project purpose: Municipal, rural domestic water supply;

(iii) Project description: Design and construction of a transmission pipeline and appurtenances necessary to make the project function in the manner intended;

(iv) Total project budget: One million sixty-five thousand dollars (\$1,065,000.00);

(v) Project grant: The state of Wyoming shall grant to the sponsor from water development account I through the commission for the design, permit procurement, project land procurement, construction engineering and construction of the project an amount not to exceed seven hundred thirteen thousand five hundred fifty dollars

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(\$713,550.00) or sixty-seven percent (67%) of the actual development costs, whichever is less;

(vi) Appropriation: There is appropriated from water development account I to the commission seven hundred thirteen thousand five hundred fifty dollars (\$713,550.00) or as much thereof as is necessary to carry out the purpose of this subsection. Unexpended funds appropriated under this subsection shall revert to water development account I on July 1, 2021;

(vii) Special conditions: The sponsor is responsible for acquiring thirty-three percent (33%) of the total project budget from other sources.

(r) Project - Weather Modification Wind River Mountains 2017:

(i) Project sponsor: The state of Wyoming;

(ii) Project purpose: To enhance the winter snowpack in the Wind River Mountain Range;

(iii) Project description: Conduct an operational winter snowpack augmentation program during the 2016-2017 fall, winter and spring seasons;

(iv) Total project budget: Six hundred ten thousand dollars (\$610,000.00);

(v) Appropriation: There is appropriated from water development account I to the Wyoming water development office one hundred sixty thousand dollars (\$160,000.00) or as much thereof as is necessary to carry out the purpose of this subsection. Unexpended funds



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appropriated under this subsection shall revert to water development account I on July 1, 2018;

(vi) Special conditions:

(A) The Wyoming water development office shall manage and provide oversight of the program. Ten thousand dollars (\$10,000.00) of the total appropriation is allocated for this purpose;

(B) The project operations budget shall not exceed six hundred thousand dollars (\$600,000.00) of which the state of Wyoming shall participate at a rate of twenty-five percent (25%) of actual project operations costs;

(C) Prior to commencing project operations, the Wyoming water development office shall acquire funding commitments from other Colorado River basin water users or other interested parties for seventy-five percent (75%) of actual project operations costs;

(D) If the state of Wyoming is unable to secure adequate funding commitments and the project is cancelled, the Wyoming water development office is authorized to use the appropriated funds to remove weather modification equipment and reclaim project sites.

(s) Project - Wheatland Pipelines:

(i) Project sponsor: Town of Wheatland;

(ii) Project purpose: Municipal, rural domestic water supply;

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(iii) Project description: Design and construction of transmission pipeline and appurtenances necessary to make the project function in the manner intended;

(iv) Total project budget: Seven hundred eighty thousand dollars (\$780,000.00);

(v) Project grant: The state of Wyoming shall grant to the sponsor from water development account I through the commission for the design, permit procurement, project land procurement, construction engineering and construction of the project an amount not to exceed five hundred twenty-two thousand six hundred dollars (\$522,600.00) or sixty-seven percent (67%) of the actual development costs, whichever is less;

(vi) Appropriation: There is appropriated from water development account I to the commission five hundred twenty-two thousand six hundred dollars (\$522,600.00) or as much thereof as is necessary to carry out the purpose of this subsection. Unexpended funds appropriated under this subsection shall revert to water development account I on July 1, 2021;

(vii) Special conditions: The sponsor is responsible for acquiring thirty-three percent (33%) of the total project budget from other sources.

**99-3-2104. Level III construction projects - rehabilitation.**

(a) Authorization is granted for the Level III rehabilitation construction projects identified in this

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section, subject to the general conditions specified in  
W.S. 99-3-104.

(b) Project - Casper Alcova Underdrain 2016:

(i) Project sponsor: Casper Alcova Irrigation  
District;

(ii) Project purpose: Agriculture water supply;

(iii) Project description: Design and  
construction of a drainage structure under a main canal and  
appurtenances necessary to make the project function in the  
manner intended;

(iv) Total project budget: Five hundred  
fifty-two thousand dollars (\$552,000.00);

(v) Project grant: The state of Wyoming shall  
grant to the sponsor from water development account II  
through the commission for the design, permit procurement,  
project land procurement, construction engineering and  
construction of the project an amount not to exceed three  
hundred sixty-nine thousand eight hundred forty dollars  
(\$369,840.00) or sixty-seven percent (67%) of the actual  
development costs, whichever is less;

(vi) Appropriation: There is appropriated from  
water development account II to the commission three  
hundred sixty-nine thousand eight hundred forty dollars  
(\$369,840.00) or as much thereof as is necessary to carry  
out the purpose of this subsection. Unexpended funds  
appropriated under this subsection shall revert to water  
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(vii) Special conditions: The sponsor is responsible for acquiring thirty-three percent (33%) of the total project budget from other sources.

(c) Project - Cokeville Tri-Diversion Structure:

(i) Project sponsor: Cokeville Watershed Improvement District;

(ii) Project purpose: Agriculture water supply;

(iii) Project description: Design and construction of diversion structure improvements and appurtenances necessary to make the project function in the manner intended;

(iv) Total project budget: Four hundred thousand dollars (\$400,000.00);

(v) Project grant: The state of Wyoming shall grant to the sponsor from water development account II through the commission for the design, permit procurement, project land procurement, construction engineering and construction of the project an amount not to exceed two hundred sixty-eight thousand dollars (\$268,000.00) or sixty-seven percent (67%) of the actual development costs, whichever is less;

(vi) Project loan: The state of Wyoming shall loan to the sponsor from water development account II through the commission for the design, permit procurement, project land procurement, construction engineering and construction of the project an amount not to exceed one hundred thirty-two thousand dollars (\$132,000.00) or thirty-three percent (33%) of actual development costs,

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whichever is less, for a term of twenty (20) years from the date the commission determines that project benefits accrue to the sponsor, at an annual interest rate of four percent (4%);

(vii) Appropriation: There is appropriated from water development account II to the commission four hundred thousand dollars (\$400,000.00) or as much thereof as is necessary to carry out the purpose of this subsection. Unexpended funds appropriated under this subsection shall revert to water development account II on July 1, 2021.

(d) Project - Lakeview Irrigation District  
Rehabilitation 2016:

(i) Project sponsor: Lakeview Irrigation  
District;

(ii) Project purpose: Agriculture water supply;

(iii) Project description: Design and construction of a canal siphon and appurtenances necessary to make the project function in the manner intended;

(iv) Total project budget: Two hundred ninety thousand dollars (\$290,000.00);

(v) Project grant: The state of Wyoming shall grant to the sponsor from water development account II through the commission for the design, permit procurement, project land procurement, construction engineering and construction of the project an amount not to exceed one hundred ninety-four thousand three hundred dollars (\$194,300.00) or sixty-seven percent (67%) of the actual development costs, whichever is less;

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(vi) Appropriation: There is appropriated from water development account II to the commission one hundred ninety-four thousand three hundred dollars (\$194,300.00) or as much thereof as is necessary to carry out the purpose of this subsection. Unexpended funds appropriated under this subsection shall revert to water development account II on July 1, 2021;

(vii) Special conditions: The sponsor is responsible for acquiring thirty-three percent (33%) of the total project budget from other sources.

(e) Project - LeClair Irrigation District Rehabilitation 2016:

(i) Project sponsor: LeClair Irrigation District;

(ii) Project purpose: Agriculture water supply;

(iii) Project description: Design and construction of the diversion structure gate and appurtenances necessary to make the project function in the manner intended;

(iv) Total project budget: Seven hundred sixty thousand dollars (\$760,000.00);

(v) Project grant: The state of Wyoming shall grant to the sponsor from water development account II through the commission for the design, permit procurement, project land procurement, construction engineering and construction of the project an amount not to exceed five hundred nine thousand two hundred dollars (\$509,200.00) or

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sixty-seven percent (67%) of the actual development costs, whichever is less;

(vi) Project loan: The state of Wyoming shall loan to the sponsor from water development account II through the commission for the design, permit procurement, project land procurement, construction engineering and construction of the project an amount not to exceed two hundred fifty thousand eight hundred dollars (\$250,800.00) or thirty-three percent (33%) of actual development costs, whichever is less, for a term of twenty-five (25) years from the date the commission determines that project benefits accrue to the sponsor, at an annual interest rate of four percent (4%);

(vii) Appropriation: There is appropriated from water development account II to the commission seven hundred sixty thousand dollars (\$760,000.00) or as much thereof as is necessary to carry out the purpose of this subsection. Unexpended funds appropriated under this subsection shall revert to water development account II on July 1, 2021.

(f) Project - Leiter Ditch Rehabilitation 2016:

(i) Project sponsor: Lower Clear Creek Irrigation District;

(ii) Project purpose: Agriculture water supply;

(iii) Project description: Design and construction of the rehabilitation of the diversion structure, canal improvements and appurtenances necessary to make the project function in the manner intended;

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(iv) Total project budget: One million three hundred ten thousand dollars (\$1,310,000.00);

(v) Project grant: The state of Wyoming shall grant to the sponsor from water development account II through the commission for the design, permit procurement, project land procurement, construction engineering and construction of the project an amount not to exceed eight hundred seventy-seven thousand seven hundred dollars (\$877,700.00) or sixty-seven percent (67%) of the actual development costs, whichever is less;

(vi) Project loan: The state of Wyoming shall loan to the sponsor from water development account II through the commission for the design, permit procurement, project land procurement, construction engineering and construction of the project an amount not to exceed four hundred thirty-two thousand three hundred dollars (\$432,300.00) or thirty-three percent (33%) of actual development costs, whichever is less, for a term of thirty (30) years from the date the commission determines that project benefits accrue to the sponsor, at an annual interest rate of four percent (4%);

(vii) Appropriation: There is appropriated from water development account II to the commission one million three hundred ten thousand dollars (\$1,310,000.00) or as much thereof as is necessary to carry out the purpose of this subsection. Unexpended funds appropriated under this subsection shall revert to water development account II on July 1, 2021.

(g) Project - Midvale Sand Butte 2 Lateral:



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(i) Project sponsor: Midvale Irrigation District;

(ii) Project purpose: Agriculture water supply;

(iii) Project description: Design and construction of water lateral improvements and appurtenances necessary to make the project function in the manner intended;

(iv) Total project budget: One million four hundred seventy thousand dollars (\$1,470,000.00);

(v) Project grant: The state of Wyoming shall grant to the sponsor from water development account II through the commission for the purchase of project materials as supported by vendor invoices and as approved by the commission an amount not to exceed seven hundred seventy thousand dollars (\$770,000.00) or one hundred percent (100%) of the approved materials costs, whichever is less;

(vi) Appropriation: There is appropriated from water development account II to the commission seven hundred seventy thousand dollars (\$770,000.00) or as much thereof as is necessary to carry out the purpose of this subsection. Unexpended funds appropriated under this subsection shall revert to water development account II on July 1, 2021;

(vii) Special conditions:

(A) The sponsor is responsible for all project costs with the exception of the purchase of project

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materials as supported by vendor invoices and as approved by the commission;

(B) The sponsor is responsible for retaining professional engineering services to design the project, compile materials and bidding documents and monitor construction activities including the installation of project components and the tracking of project expenditures.

(h) Project - Sidon Irrigation District Rehabilitation 2016:

(i) Project sponsor: Sidon Irrigation District;

(ii) Project purpose: Agriculture water supply;

(iii) Project description: Design and construction of water lateral improvements and appurtenances necessary to make the project function in the manner intended;

(iv) Total project budget: Six hundred thirty-seven thousand two hundred dollars (\$637,200.00);

(v) Project grant: The state of Wyoming shall grant to the sponsor from water development account II through the commission for the purchase of project materials as supported by vendor invoices and as approved by the commission an amount not to exceed three hundred fifty-two thousand five hundred dollars (\$352,500.00) or one hundred percent (100%) of the approved materials costs, whichever is less;

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(vi) Appropriation: There is appropriated from water development account II to the commission three hundred fifty-two thousand five hundred dollars (\$352,500.00) or as much thereof as is necessary to carry out the purpose of this subsection. Unexpended funds appropriated under this subsection shall revert to water development account II on July 1, 2021;

(vii) Special conditions:

(A) The sponsor is responsible for all project costs with the exception of the purchase of project materials as supported by vendor invoices and as approved by the commission;

(B) The sponsor is responsible for retaining professional engineering services to design the project, compile materials and bidding documents and monitor construction activities including the installation of project components and the tracking of project expenditures.

(j) Project - Willwood Irrigation District Rehabilitation 2016:

(i) Project sponsor: Willwood Irrigation District;

(ii) Project purpose: Agriculture water supply;

(iii) Project description: Design and construction of water lateral improvements and appurtenances necessary to make the project function in the manner intended;

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(iv) Total project budget: Nine hundred eighty-eight thousand dollars (\$988,000.00);

(v) Project grant: The state of Wyoming shall grant to the sponsor from water development account II through the commission for the purchase of project materials as supported by vendor invoices and as approved by the commission an amount not to exceed five hundred thirty-three thousand dollars (\$533,000.00) or one hundred percent (100%) of the approved materials costs, whichever is less;

(vi) Appropriation: There is appropriated from water development account II to the commission five hundred thirty-three thousand dollars (\$533,000.00) or as much thereof as is necessary to carry out the purpose of this subsection. Unexpended funds appropriated under this subsection shall revert to water development account II on July 1, 2021;

(vii) Special conditions:

(A) The sponsor is responsible for all project costs with the exception of the purchase of project materials as supported by vendor invoices and as approved by the commission;

(B) The sponsor is responsible for retaining professional engineering services to design the project, compile materials and bidding documents and monitor construction activities including the installation of project components and the tracking of project expenditures.

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**Section 2.** W.S. 99-3-1603(e)(intro) and (iv) through (vi), 99-3-1604(f)(vii), 99-3-1704(c)(iv) through (vii), 99-3-1803(e)(vii), 99-3-1804(d)(intro) and (v), 99-3-1903(d)(iv) through (vi) and (k)(iv) through (vi), 99-3-1904(m)(iv) through (vi) and 99-3-2003(j)(iv) through (vi), (k)(iii) through (vi) and (vii)(A) are amended to read:

**99-3-1603. Level III construction projects - new development.**

(e) Project - Douglas Box Elder Spring: ~~Phase I:~~

(iv) Total project budget: ~~Eleven million six hundred ninety-five thousand dollars (\$11,695,000.00)~~  
Fourteen million one hundred thousand dollars (\$14,100,000.00);

(v) Project grant: The state of Wyoming shall grant to the sponsor from water development account I through the commission for the design, permit procurement, project land procurement, construction engineering and construction of the spring improvements and design, permit procurement, ~~and~~ land procurement, construction engineering and construction for the transmission pipeline an amount not to exceed ~~one million four hundred eighty-seven thousand four hundred dollars (\$1,487,400.00)~~ nine million four hundred forty-seven thousand dollars (\$9,447,000.00) or sixty-seven percent (67%) of the actual development costs, whichever is less;

(vi) Appropriation: There is appropriated from water development account I to the commission ~~one million four hundred eighty-seven thousand four hundred dollars (\$1,487,400.00)~~ nine million four hundred forty-seven

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thousand dollars (\$9,447,000.00) or as much thereof as is necessary to carry out the purpose of this subsection. Unexpended funds appropriated under this subsection shall revert to water development account I on July 1, ~~2016~~2019;

**99-3-1604. Level III construction projects - rehabilitation.**

(f) Project - Kirby Rehabilitation 2011:

(vii) Appropriation: There is appropriated from water development account II to the commission four hundred twenty thousand dollars (\$420,000.00) or as much thereof as is necessary to carry out the purpose of this subsection. Unexpended funds appropriated under this subsection shall revert to water development account II on July 1, ~~2016~~2017.

**99-3-1704. Level III construction projects - rehabilitation.**

(c) Project - Fayette Irrigation Rehabilitation:

(iv) Total project budget: ~~One hundred eighty thousand dollars (\$180,000.00)~~Three hundred thousand dollars (\$300,000.00);

(v) Project grant: The state of Wyoming shall grant to the sponsor from water development account II through the commission for the design, permit procurement, project land procurement, construction engineering and construction of the project ~~one hundred twenty thousand six hundred dollars (\$120,600.00)~~two hundred one thousand dollars (\$201,000.00) or sixty-seven percent (67%) of the actual development costs, whichever is less;

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(vi) Project loan: The state of Wyoming shall loan to the sponsor from water development account II through the commission for the design, permit procurement, project land procurement, construction engineering and construction of the project an amount not to exceed ~~fifty-nine thousand four hundred dollars (\$59,400.00)~~ ninety-nine thousand dollars (\$99,000.00) or thirty-three percent (33%) of actual development costs, whichever is less, for a term of twenty (20) years from the date the commission determines project benefits accrue to the sponsor, at an annual rate of four percent (4%);

(vii) Appropriation: There is appropriated from water development account II to the commission ~~one hundred eighty thousand dollars (\$180,000.00)~~ three hundred thousand dollars (\$300,000.00) or as much thereof as is necessary to carry out the purpose of this subsection. Unexpended funds appropriated under this subsection shall revert to water development account II on July 1, ~~2017~~ 2018.

**99-3-1803. Level III construction projects - new development.**

(e) Project - Cottonwood Lake Enlargement:

(vii) Appropriation: There is appropriated from water development account I to the commission three million seven hundred thousand dollars (\$3,700,000.00) or as much thereof as is necessary to carry out the purpose of this subsection. Unexpended funds appropriated under this subsection shall revert to water development account I on July 1, ~~2020-2016~~;

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**99-3-1804. Level III construction projects -  
rehabilitation.**

(d) Project - Eden Valley Farson Lateral  
Rehabilitation: ~~Phase I:~~

(v) Project grant: The state of Wyoming shall  
grant to the sponsor from water development account II  
through the commission for the design, permit procurement,  
~~and~~ project land procurement, construction engineering and  
construction of the project two million three hundred  
sixty-six thousand dollars (\$2,366,000.00) or fifty percent  
(50%) of the actual development costs, whichever is less;

**99-3-1903. Level III construction projects - new  
development.**

(d) Project - Cheyenne Southern Pipeline-Phase III:

(iv) Total project budget: ~~One million eight  
hundred thousand dollars (\$1,800,000.00)~~ Sixteen million  
dollars (\$16,000,000.00);

(v) Project grant: The state of Wyoming shall  
grant to the sponsor from water development account I  
through the commission for the design, permit procurement,  
~~and~~ project land procurement, construction engineering and  
construction of the project an amount not to exceed ~~one  
million two hundred six thousand dollars (\$1,206,000.00)~~  
ten million seven hundred twenty thousand dollars  
(\$10,720,000.00) or sixty-seven percent (67%) of the actual  
development costs, whichever is less;

(vi) Appropriation: There is appropriated from  
water development account I to the commission ~~one million~~



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~~two hundred six thousand dollars (\$1,206,000.00)~~ ten million seven hundred twenty thousand dollars (\$10,720,000.00) or as much thereof as is necessary to carry out the purpose of this subsection. Unexpended funds appropriated under this subsection shall revert to water development account I on July 1, 2019;

(k) Project - Small Water Development  
Projects - 2014:

(iv) Total project budget: ~~Two million two hundred thousand dollars (\$2,200,000.00)~~ Three million seven hundred thousand dollars (\$3,700,000.00);

(v) Project grant: The state of Wyoming shall grant to sponsors from water development account I through the commission for the design, permit procurement, project land procurement, construction engineering and construction of the project an amount not to exceed ~~one million one hundred thousand dollars (\$1,100,000.00)~~ one million eight hundred fifty thousand dollars (\$1,850,000.00) or fifty percent (50%) of the actual development costs, whichever is less;

(vi) Appropriation: There is appropriated from water development account I to the commission ~~one million one hundred thousand dollars (\$1,100,000.00)~~ one million eight hundred fifty thousand dollars (\$1,850,000.00) or as much thereof as is necessary to carry out the purpose of this subsection. The funds appropriated shall not lapse at the end of any fiscal period but shall carry over until expended or reverted by the legislature to water development account I;

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**99-3-1904. Level III construction projects -  
rehabilitation.**

(m) Project - Small Water Development  
Projects - 2014:

(iv) Total project budget: ~~One million four  
hundred thousand dollars (\$1,400,000.00)~~ Two million  
dollars (\$2,000,000.00);

(v) Project grant: The state of Wyoming shall  
grant to sponsors from water development account II through  
the commission for the design, permit procurement, project  
land procurement, construction engineering and construction  
of the project an amount not to exceed ~~seven hundred  
thousand dollars (\$700,000.00)~~ one million dollars  
(\$1,000,000.00) or fifty percent (50%) of the actual  
development costs, whichever is less;

(vi) Appropriation: There is appropriated from  
water development account II to the commission ~~seven  
hundred thousand dollars (\$700,000.00)~~ one million dollars  
(\$1,000,000.00) or as much thereof as is necessary to carry  
out the purpose of this subsection. The funds appropriated  
shall not lapse at the end of any fiscal period but shall  
carry over until expended or reverted by the legislature to  
water development account II;

**99-3-2003. Level III construction projects - new  
development.**

(j) Project - Lovell Tank/Zone 2 Improvements:

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(iv) Total project budget: ~~Three million five hundred eighty-five thousand dollars (\$3,585,000.00)~~ Four million thirty thousand dollars (\$4,030,000.00);

(v) Project grant: The state of Wyoming shall grant to the sponsor from water development account I through the commission for the design, permit procurement, project land procurement, construction engineering and construction of the project an amount not to exceed ~~two million four hundred one thousand nine hundred fifty dollars (\$2,401,950.00)~~ two million seven hundred thousand one hundred dollars (\$2,700,100.00) or sixty-seven percent (67%) of the actual development costs, whichever is less;

(vi) Appropriation: There is appropriated from water development account I to the commission ~~two million four hundred one thousand nine hundred fifty dollars (\$2,401,950.00)~~ two million seven hundred thousand one hundred dollars (\$2,700,100.00) or as much thereof as is necessary to carry out the purpose of this subsection. Unexpended funds appropriated under this subsection shall revert to water development account I on July 1, 2020;

(k) Project - Lower Nowood Rural Water Supply:

(iii) Project description: Design and construction of a transmission pipeline, water well, disinfection facility and appurtenances necessary to make the project function in the manner intended;

(iv) Total project budget: ~~Two million one hundred twenty-five thousand dollars (\$2,125,000.00)~~ Two million three hundred ninety thousand dollars (\$2,390,000.00);

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(v) Project grant: The state of Wyoming shall grant to the sponsor from water development account I through the commission for the design, permit procurement, project land procurement, construction engineering and construction of the project an amount not to exceed ~~one million four hundred twenty-three thousand seven hundred fifty dollars (\$1,423,750.00)~~ one million six hundred ninety-six thousand nine hundred dollars (\$1,696,900.00) or ~~sixty-seven percent (67%)~~ seventy-one percent (71%) of the actual development costs, whichever is less;

(vi) Appropriation: There is appropriated from water development account I to the commission ~~one million four hundred twenty-three thousand seven hundred fifty dollars (\$1,423,750.00)~~ one million six hundred ninety-six thousand nine hundred dollars (\$1,696,900.00) or as much thereof as is necessary to carry out the purpose of this subsection. Unexpended funds appropriated under this subsection shall revert to water development account I on July 1, 2020;

(vii) Special conditions:

(A) The sponsor is responsible for acquiring ~~thirty-three percent (33%)~~ twenty-nine percent (29%) of the total project budget from other sources;

**Section 3.** W.S. 99-3-2003(k) (vii) (B) is repealed.

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**Section 4.** This act is effective immediately upon completion of all acts necessary for a bill to become law as provided by Article 4, Section 8 of the Wyoming Constitution.

(END)

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Speaker of the House

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President of the Senate

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Governor

TIME APPROVED: \_\_\_\_\_

DATE APPROVED: \_\_\_\_\_

I hereby certify that this act originated in the House.

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Chief Clerk