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St. Louis District

Information Paper
Clarence Cannon Dam and Mark Twain Lake, MO
The Flood Control Acts of 1938 and 1962

Operation and Maintenance (FRM)

Location and Description: The project is located on the Salt River at Mile 63 above its confluence with the Mississippi River. Mark Twain Lake is located 15 miles south of Monroe City, MO, and 140 miles north of St. Louis, MO. This multi-purpose project provides flood risk management, hydropower, water supply, navigation storage, pollution abatement, fish and wildlife conservation, and recreation. It consists of 54,000 acres and has 500 campsites, 17 boat ramps, 2 marinas, 41 miles of trails, the M.W. Boudreaux Memorial Visitor Center and Mark Twain State Park.

- Flood Risk Management; Hydropower; Recreation; Environmental Stewardship; Water Supply; Navigation
- FY 2019 Allocation, $7,167k, FY 2019 President's Budget $6,955k (baseline service level $6,351k)
  - Operate and maintain project at acceptable service level
  - Oversee Excitation System Replacement Phase I ($2,250k)
  - Power Plant Lift Station Rehab, Floors 2 & 7 ($165k)
- Activities in FY 2020, President's Budget $6,786k
  - Operate and maintain project
- Status
  - Dissolved Oxygen in Re-Regulation pool, working with state on long term solution
  - Inadvertent discovery of Native American remains, working on obtaining funds to cover area.

VALUE TO NATION	
Flood Damages Prevented (cumulative 1993-2018)	$2,118,642,000
FY16 Visitor Spending	$28,565,000
FY16 Jobs Supported	270
Rec Area Management	13 by Corps; 3 by outgrant
Acres Managed	54,741 by Corps; 486 by others
Water Supply	14 counties (72,942 people) Served
Hydroelectric Power	20,000 households

Change in Corps' Visitation Estimation	FY16	FY17	FY18	FY19
- Federal Allocation - Supplemental	$8,750k $0	$7,001k $0	$7,056k $0	$7,167k $0
- Non Appropriated Contributions	$293k	$513k	$2,700	TBD
- Rec Fees Collected	$565k	$609k	$609k	TBD
- Total Visits	995k	TBD	TBD	TBD

One of the corroded lift station in the power plant