Wister Lake, Oklahoma

U.S. ARMY CORPS OF ENGINEERS FACT SHEET as of February 6, 2012

AUTHORIZATION: Lake Wister was authorized by the Flood Control Act of 1938. The Water Resource Development Act of 1996 permanently raised the lake level by 3.5 feet, making the level 478 feet.

<u>TYPE OF PROJECT</u>: Flood damage reduction, recreation, water supply, environmental stewardship.

PROJECT PHASE: O&M

CONGRESSIONAL INTEREST: Senators Coburn and Inhofe, OK; Representative **Boren**, OK-2.

NON-FEDERAL SPONSOR: N/A

BACKGROUND: Wister Lake is situated on the Poteau River at river mile 60.9, approximately 2 miles south of Wister, Oklahoma. The dam is a rolled, impervious earth-filled embankment 5700 feet long with rock protected slopes. An uncontrolled, concrete, chute-type spillway with modified broad-crested weir is located in a ridge which extends downstream from the right abutment of the main embankment. Flows through the outlet works are controlled by six 7x12 foot gates located in a concrete tower. The project receives over 149,575 public visits annually. At conservation pool the lake covers 7386 acres.

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<u>STATUS</u>: FY 2011 activities included routine scheduled operations and maintenance activities at the project. There were no major maintenance contracts awarded at the project in FY 2011.

ISSUES: None.

FINANCIAL SUMMARY (\$):	<u>O&M</u>
Federal Cost Estimate	N/A
Non-Federal Cost Estimate	N/A
Total Project Cost	N/A
Allocation thru FY 2010	N/A
ARRA Funding	\$ 1,719,000
Allocation for FY 2011	\$ 922,000
Allocation for FY 2012	\$ 1,207,000
President Budget FY 2013	\$ 738,000
Amount That Could Be Used for FY 2013	\$ 738,000
Balance to Complete	N/A

SCHEDULE:

<u>FY 2012 Scheduled Work:</u> The current FY 2012 budget is being used for routine operations and maintenance activities at this project. Planned contract major maintenance at the project in FY 2012 is focused on the replacing the service bridge and installation of a ground source heat pump system at the project office in order to decrease use of non-renewable energy sources at the project.

<u>FY 2013 Budget:</u> The FY 2013 President's budget will be used for routine operations and maintenance activities at the project.

COMPLETION: N/A. Operating project.

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