



Washita River Basin, Oklahoma

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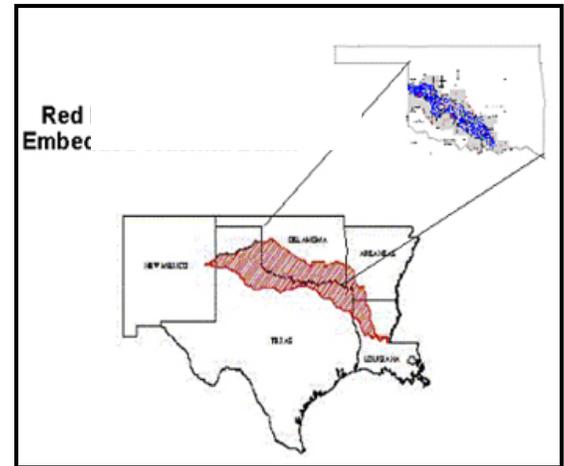
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FACT SHEET as of February 6, 2012

AUTHORIZATION: The authority for this study is through a resolution adopted by the U.S. House of Representatives Committee on Rivers and Harbors on 25 February 1938 and Senate Resolutions dated 18 February 1954, 19 June 1962, and 31 July 2007.

TYPE OF PROJECT: Ecosystem Restoration.

PROJECT PHASE: Feasibility.



CONGRESSIONAL INTEREST: Senators Coburn and Inhofe, OK; Representatives **Lucas**, OK-3, **Cole**, OK-4, and Lankford, OK-5.

NON-FEDERAL SPONSOR: The Oklahoma Water Resources Board is the non-federal sponsor.

BACKGROUND: The Washita River is a tributary to the Red River in Oklahoma and flows into Lake Texoma. Federal interest was identified for Feasibility level studies to solve the water resource problems within the study area, including a systems approach to collaboratively develop a Washita River Watershed Management Plan that provides pertinent existing, forecasted, and strategic information for the Oklahoma Comprehensive Water Plan. The output will be the Washita River Basin Watershed Management Plan that identifies solutions to water resource problems in the Southwest region of the state. It will include a system approach to collaboratively develop existing forecasted and strategic information that will be integrated into the Oklahoma Comprehensive Water Plan. The Oklahoma Water Resource Board is the non-Federal sponsor. Also collaborating on this effort are the Oklahoma Water Resources Research Institute, U.S. Geological Survey, U.S. Bureau of Reclamation, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Natural Resources Conservation Service and other stakeholders.

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STATUS: Further work on this feasibility study is on hold pending receipt of additional Federal funding. The project was not funded in FY 2012.

ISSUES: Appropriations are needed in FY 2013 to maintain scheduled activities.

<u>FINANCIAL SUMMARY (\$):</u>	<u>FEASIBILITY</u>
Federal Cost Estimate	\$ 1,427,000
Non-Federal Cost Estimate	\$ 1,250,000
Total Project Cost	\$ 2,677,000
Allocation thru FY 2010	\$ 692,000
ARRA Funding	\$ 0
Allocation for FY 2011	\$ 0
Allocation for FY 2012	\$ 0
President Budget FY 2013	\$ 0
Amount That Could Be Used for FY 2013	\$ 500,000
Balance to Complete	\$ 235,000

SCHEDULE:

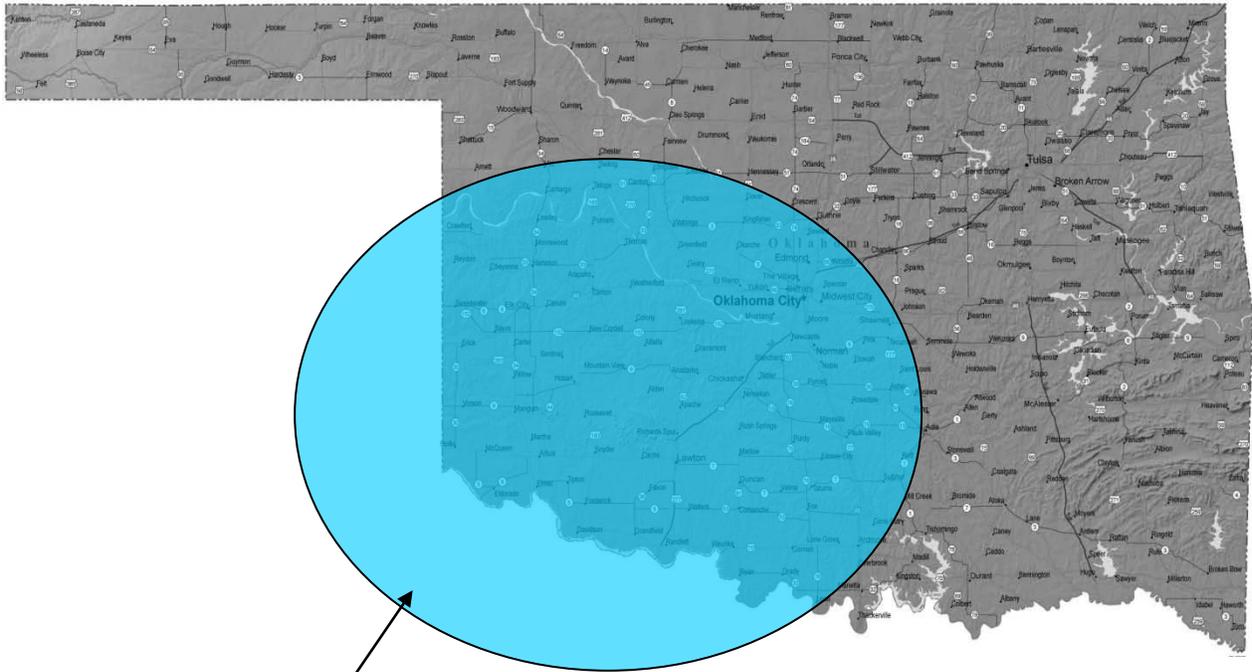
FY 2012 Scheduled Work: Not in the President's FY 2012 budget.

FY 2013 Budget: Not in the President's FY2013 budget. If funding is received it would be used to prepare the Oklahoma H2O Gap Tool model, the reservoir yield model, and the climate demand model documentation and training.

COMPLETION: With optimum funding, the project/study completion date is June 2014.

For more information regarding the Washita River Basin study, contact Bryan Taylor, Project Manager, at (918) 669-4950 or Bryan.K.Taylor@usace.army.mil.

LOCATION MAP WASHITA RIVER BASIN, OKLAHOMA



Project Location