



# Paw Paw Bend Road, Conway County, AR

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**FACT SHEET as of 06 February 2012**

**AUTHORIZATION:** Section 14 of the Flood Control Act of 1946, as amended.

**TYPE OF PROJECT:** Continuing Authorities Program (CAP)

**PROJECT PHASE:** Feasibility

**CONGRESSIONAL INTEREST:** Senators Pryor (AR) and Boozman (AR); Representatives Griffin (AR-02) and Womack (AR-03)

**NON-FEDERAL SPONSOR:** Conway County, AR

**BACKGROUND:** Paw Paw Bend Road is in County of Conway, Arkansas along the Arkansas River. The non-federal sponsor requested assistance with a bank erosion problem by letter dated 15 September 2009. A large amount of bank erosion is encroaching on a county road near its intersection with Arkansas Highway 154. The high water events of 2008 and 2009 have highlighted areas that have experienced significant amount of damage due to these events. The eroding bank is presently less than 50-feet from the road. Rip-rap bank stabilization is needed along the south bank of the Arkansas River. The project benefits would include flood risk management and bank stabilization.

**STATUS:** Remaining project funds in the amount of \$47,042 were revoked in FY11. The project is not funded in FY 2012. Funding is required to continue the feasibility phase.

**ISSUES:** The project is not included in the President's FY 2013 budget. Lack of funding to continue the feasibility phase delays providing much needed flood risk management and bank stabilization measures in the project area.

<b><u>FINANCIAL SUMMARY (\$):</u></b>	<b><u>FEASIBILITY</u></b>
Federal Cost Estimate	\$100,000
Non-Federal Cost Estimate	0
Total Project Cost	\$100,000
Allocation thru FY 2010	0
ARRA Funding	0
Allocation for FY 2011	\$ 23,000 <sup>1/</sup>
Allocation for FY 2012	0
President Budget FY 2013	0
Capability for FY 2013	\$ 77,000
Balance to Complete	\$77,000

<sup>1/</sup> Funds in the amount of \$47,042 were revoked to fund the \$100M rescission required in the FY2011 full year CR and to fund high priority projects.

**SCHEDULE:**

FY 2012 Scheduled Work: Project is not included in the President's FY 2012 budget.

FY 2013 Budget: Project is not included in the President's FY 2013 budget. Funds in the amount of \$77,000 could be used to complete the feasibility phase.

**COMPLETION:** With optimum funding, the study completion date is 2013.

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