



# Somerville Lake, TX

**U.S. ARMY CORPS OF ENGINEERS**

**BUILDING STRONG**

**FACT SHEET as of February 21, 2012**

**AUTHORIZATION:** Flood Control Act of 1954, PL 83-780

**TYPE OF PROJECT:** Multiple Business Lines

**PROJECT PHASE:** Operation and Maintenance



**CONGRESSIONAL INTEREST:** Senators Hutchison (TX) and Cornyn (TX); Representative **McCaul** (TX-10)

**NON-FEDERAL SPONSOR:** N/A

**BACKGROUND:** Somerville Lake is located in Bursleson, Lee and Washington Counties, on Yegua Creek, about two miles south of the city of Somerville, Texas. The project was authorized by the Flood Control Act of 1954. The Brazos River Authority is the sponsor for water supply storage. The project consists of a 20,210-foot earthfill dam, a 4,715-foot dike, a 1,250-foot uncontrolled spillway, and one gate controlled outlet with 10-foot diameter gated conduit. Flood control storage capacity is 347,400 acre-feet and conservation/water supply storage is 158,900 acre-feet. Eleven recreation areas comprise 3,599 acres. 2011 visitation totaled 9,962,902 visitor hours.

**STATUS:** FY 2011 Activities include routine scheduled O&M activities; to include replacement of vent tube in right gate valve.

**ISSUES:** None

<b><u>FINANCIAL SUMMARY (\$):</u></b>	<b><u>O&amp;M</u></b>
Federal Cost Estimate	N/A
Non-Federal Cost Estimate	N/A
Total Project Cost	N/A
Allocation thru FY 2010	N/A
ARRA Funding	13,961,600
Allocation for FY 2011	3,231,000
Allocation for FY 2012	0 <u>1/</u>
President Budget FY 2013	3,190,000
Amount That Could Be Used for FY 2013	14,844,000
Balance to Complete	N/A

1/ Not available

**SCHEDULE:**

**FY 2012 Scheduled Work:** The project included in the President's budget is being used for routine operations and maintenance activities; to include Dam Safety Interim Risk Reduction Measures and repairs to damaged seals on flood gate #2.

**FY 2013 Budget:** The project included in the President's budget could be used for routine operations and maintenance activities.

**COMPLETION:** N/A

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