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AGENDA ITEM: 8 bb-ee. Water Storage and Supply

Introduction

For fiscal year 2019-2020, the storage and supply category was appropriated \$3.75 million in funding. The unreserved balance in the storage and supply category is \$3,803,114, including carryover funds from previous appropriations. In the first round of fiscal year 2019-2020 applications, the CWCB received four applications for the storage and supply category totaling \$901,595. Staff is recommending approval of the one grant totaling \$200,000 leaving \$3,603,114 available for future rounds of grant funding. See attached Data Sheets for locations and project summaries.

Staff Recommendation

Staff recommends that the Board approve the projects/activities listed in the following table for Water Plan Grant funding.

Applicant	Project Name	Grant Request	Staff
		Amount	Recommendation
bb. Laramie Energy, LLC	Hawxhurst Reservoir Rehabilitation	\$246,595	Not recommended
cc. Redlands Water and Power Company	Pumpline Replacement	\$125,000	Not recommended (1)
dd. Town of Erie	Horizontal Well Pilot Project	\$200,000	Approve \$200,000
ee. Water Horse Resources, LLC	Flaming Gorge Green River Project - Pre-Permitting Phase	\$330,000	Not recommended
Total Recommended for Approval			\$200,000

¹⁾ Staff is working with the applicant on the scope of work and will potentially bring the project to the board at the May 2020 board meeting for consideration.

