

YEAR-END PERFORMANCE REPORT

STATE: Montana
PROJECT: Statewide Fisheries Investigations
PROJECT #: F-46-R-3 and 4
STUDY: VI, Statewide Survey and Inventory
JOB: I, Bearpaw Dam Engineering Study (7601)

PERIOD COVERED: October 24, 1989 through June 30, 1991

OBJECTIVE: To maintain angling opportunities at Bearpaw Lake, Beaver Creek and the Beaver Creek Reservoir and continue to provide at least 9,000 angler days per year by 1995.

DEGREE OF ATTAINMENT:

The objective of maintaining these angling opportunities is being met at this time. The purpose of the study is to assure that this can continue into the future.

VARIANCES:

The engineering study was originally scheduled for completion by June 30, 1991. Various delays occurred and the engineering firm, Thomas Dean and Hoskins, was not selected until this past year. As of June 30, 1991, they were just beginning work on the study. (As of September 1991, however, work is now about 50% complete.) It is anticipated that the study will be complete by June 30, 1992. Although the start of the study was delayed, work is now underway and proceeding as anticipated. Once the work is completed the Department can assess the need to make repairs to the dam to correct any deficiencies, and the costs that would be associated with a reconstruction effort.

EXPENDITURES: 7601 Budgeted: \$100,000 (75% fed/25% state)
 Spent: \$ 46 (75% fed/25% state)

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