

Total estimated cost of projects in plan-----	\$164,000,000
Present monetary authorization-----	31,000,000
Appropriations through June 30, 1968-----	30,000,000
Remaining monetary authorization-----	1,000,000
Additional scheduled obligations through calendar year 1969--	18,000,000
Deficit monetary authorization through calendar year 1969--	17,000,00

Projects and amounts on which requested authorization is planned to be used

Project:	Amount
New Don Pedro Reservoir, Calif-----	\$2,170,000
New Melones Reservoir, Calif-----	14,860,000
Total requested authorization-----	17,030,000

SOUTH PLATTE RIVER, COLO.

The South Platte River rises on the Continental Divide in central Colorado, and flows northeasterly to its confluence with the North Platte River at North Platte, Nebr. The drainage area of 24,030 square miles includes a section of the rugged eastern slope of the Rocky Mountains, with elevation exceeding 14,000 feet and extensive areas of the Great Plains.

The Flood Control Act of May 17, 1950, authorized a plan for flood control and related purposes in the South Platte River Basin in Colorado. The plan consists of Chatfield Reservoir and levee and channel improvements at three locations, including the city of Boulder. The act also authorized the appropriation of \$26,300,000 for partial accomplishment of the plan. Public Law 90-17, approved May 12, 1967, increased the monetary authorization by \$2 million bringing the total to \$28,300,000.

Total estimated cost of projects in plan-----	\$115,000,000
Present monetary authorization-----	28,000,000
Appropriations through June 30, 1968-----	12,000,000
Remaining monetary authorization-----	16,000,000
Additional scheduled obligations through calendar year 1969--	28,000,000
Deficit monetary authorization through calendar year 1969--	12,000,000

Projects and amounts on which requested authorization is planned to be used

Project: Chatfield Reservoir, Colo-----	Amount \$12,000,000
Total requested authorization-----	12,000,000

UPPER MISSISSIPPI RIVER BASIN

The Upper Mississippi River Basin is that portion of the north-central United States containing the Mississippi River and all tributary streams above the Ohio River, but excluding the Missouri River. The Mississippi River originates at Lake Itasca in central Minnesota, and flows approximately 1,366 miles to a point above the mouth of the Ohio River. This basin area covers 188,000 square miles and includes the larger parts of Minnesota, Wisconsin, Illinois, and Iowa, and small portions of Indiana, South Dakota, and Missouri.

The Flood Control Act of June 28, 1938, approved the general comprehensive plan for flood control and other purposes in the Upper Mississippi River Basin, consisting of reservoirs and local flood protection works on the upper Mississippi and Illinois Rivers, and authorized the appropriation of \$9.3 million for their construction. Subsequent acts have increased the authorization and modified the plan to include additional projects. The monetary authorization provided to date totals \$119 million.