

Required Action

On page XI-68 of Items for Future Consideration, add the following new rider:

Appropriation: Brush Removal in the Twin Buttes Reservoir Basin. In addition to the amounts appropriated above in Strategy C.1.1, Water Conservation and Enhancement, there is hereby appropriated to the Soil and Water Conservation Board \$565,000 out of the General Revenue Fund for the fiscal year beginning on September 1, 2005. These funds shall be used for the removal of brush, including saltcedar and baccheris, in cooperation with the Upper Colorado River Authority in the Twin Buttes Reservoir basin.

Any unexpended balance remaining in this appropriation on August 31, 2006, is hereby appropriated to the Soil and Water Conservation Board for the same purposes for the fiscal year beginning on September 1, 2006.