



Forest Service and the Bipartisan Infrastructure Law

National Fish Habitat Partnership Board Meeting
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| Division D Title VIII Sec. 40801 | Forest Service Legacy Roads & Trails Remediation Program | \$250 Million | USFS roads, culverts, and trails | Restoring fish passages, road decommissioning, preparing roads for long-term storage, relocating NFS roads and converting NFS roads to trails, including improving resilience to extreme weather events, flooding, or other natural disasters. Prioritize projects that protect or improve water quality in public drinking water source areas, restore the habitat of a threatened, endangered, or sensitive fish or wildlife species, or maintain future access to the adjacent area for the public, contractors, permittees, or firefighters. |
| Division J Title VI, USFS (CIM) (3) | Forest Service dam decommissioning/removal | \$10 Million | Non-hydropower Federal dams on USFS managed lands | Removal of non-hydropower Federal dams and for providing dam removal technical assistance |

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| Division D Title VIII Sec. 40804(b)(6) | Invasive Species eradication at point of entry | \$100 Million | Federal and non-federal lands | \$100 million for FS to detect, prevent, and eradicate invasive species at points of entry and grants for eradication of invasive species on federal and non-federal land. |
| Division D Title VIII Sec. 40804(b)(10) and (f) | Collaborative-based, Aquatic-Focused, Landscape-Scale Restoration Program | \$80 Million | Collaboratively developed proposals on federal and non-federal land, including Tribal lands | 5-year projects to restore fish passage or water quality on federal and non-federal land. Gives priority to a project proposal that would result in the most miles of streams being restored for the lowest amount of Federal funding. |
| Division D Title VIII Sec. 40808 | Joint Chiefs Landscape Restoration Partnership Program (NRCS and USFS) | \$180 Million | States, counties, municipalities, federal agencies, tribes, NGOs collaborating with FS, NRCS and private producers (funding for FY22 and FY23 only) | Through the Joint Chiefs' Landscape Restoration Partnership, the two USDA agencies are restoring landscapes, reducing wildfire threats to communities and landowners, protecting water quality and enhancing fish and wildlife habitat. |