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WASHINGTON, D.C.--(AIPA)--The following figures on urban Indian populations were obtained from the 1970 count by the U.S. Census Bureau. Basis of the figures are cities categorized as SMSA cities (standard metropolitan statistical areas) of 50,000 or more residents, which generally are the central cities within a county or counties:

<u>Arizona</u>		<u>Maryland</u>	
Phoenix	11,159	Baltimore	2,553
Tucson	8,837		
<u>California</u>		<u>Massachusetts</u>	
Anaheim	3,920	Boston	2,132
Bakersfield	2,039		
Fresno	2,144	<u>Michigan</u>	
Los Angeles	24,509	Detroit	5,683
Modesto	686	Grand Rapids	1,311
Oxnard	1,150		
Sacramento	3,559	<u>Minnesota</u>	
San Bernardino	6,378	Duluth	1,781
San Diego	5,580	Minneapolis-St. Paul	9,852
San Francisco	12,011		
San Jose	4,048	<u>Missouri</u>	
Santa Barbara	1,008	St. Louis	1,931
<u>Colorado</u>		<u>Montana</u>	
Denver	4,348	Billings	1,063
Pueblo	183	Great Falls	1,509
Colorado Springs	639		
<u>Washington, D.C.</u>		<u>Nebraska</u>	
District of Columbia	3,300	Omaha	1,401
<u>Florida</u>		<u>Nevada</u>	
Miami	1,085	Las Vegas	1,131
Ft. Lauderdale	664	Reno	1,926
Tampa	811		
<u>Hawaii</u>		<u>New Jersey</u>	
Honolulu	996	Newark	1,214
<u>Idaho</u>		<u>New Mexico</u>	
Boise	284	Albuquerque	5,839
<u>Illinois</u>		<u>North Carolina</u>	
Chicago	8,996	Fayetteville	3,100
		Greensboro	1,169
<u>Kansas</u>		<u>Ohio</u>	
Kansas City	2,402	Cleveland	1,750
Topeka	981		
Wichita	1,977	<u>Oklahoma</u>	
		Lawton	3,343
		Oklahoma City	13,033
		MORE Tulsa	15,519



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Oregon

Portland	4,011
Salem	1,104

Pennsylvania

Philadelphia	3,361
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Texas

Dallas	5,022
Ft. Worth	1,610
Houston	3,215

Utah

Salt Lake City	2,005
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Washington

Seattle-Everett	9,496
Spokane	1,988
Tacoma	3,343

Wisconsin

Appleton	1,434
Green Bay	1,695
Milwaukee	4,075

New York

Buffalo	5,500
New York City	12,000
Rochester	1,000
Syracuse	2,000



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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR AND RELATED
AGENCIES APPROPRIATION BILL, 1973

JUNE 8, 1972.—Committed to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of
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Mrs. HANSEN of Washington, from the Committee on Appropriations,
submitted the following

REPORT

[To accompany H.R. 15418]

The Committee on Appropriations submits the following report in
explanation of the accompanying bill making appropriations for the
Department of the Interior and related agencies for the fiscal year 1973.
The bill provides regular annual appropriations for the Department
of the Interior (except Bonneville Power Administration, Bureau of
Reclamation, Southeastern Power Administration, Southwestern
Power Administration, and Alaska Power Administration) and for
other related agencies including the U.S. Forest Service.

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SUMMARY OF BILL

Item	Budget estimates, fiscal year 1973	Recommended in bill	Comparison
Title I, Department of the Interior: New budget (obligational) authority.....	\$1,732,112,000	\$1,726,716,500	-\$5,395,500
Title II, Related Agencies: New budget (obligational) authority.....	788,228,000	802,841,700	+14,613,700
Grand total, new budget (obligational) authority...	2,520,340,000	2,529,558,200	+9,218,200

TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF
THE INTERIOR AND RELATED AGENCIES

In addition to the amounts in the accompanying bill, which are reflected in the table above, permanent legislation authorizes the continuation of certain Government activities without consideration by the Congress during the annual appropriations process.

Details of these activities are listed in appropriate tables appearing at the end of this report. In fiscal year 1972 these activities are estimated to total \$700,108,780. The estimate for fiscal year 1973 is \$473,245,500.

The following table reflects the total budget (obligational) authority contained both in this bill and in permanent appropriations for fiscal years 1972 and 1973:

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR AND RELATED AGENCIES TOTAL BUDGET AUTHORITY FOR FISCAL YEARS 1972-1973

	Fiscal year 1972	Fiscal year 1973	Change
Interior and related agencies appropriations bill.....	\$2,432,825,035	\$2,529,558,200	+\$96,733,165
Permanent appropriations.....	565,010,128	359,623,500	-205,386,628
Trust funds.....	135,098,652	113,622,000	-21,476,652
Total, budget authority.....	3,132,933,815	3,002,803,700	-130,130,115

REVENUE GENERATED BY AGENCIES IN BILL

The following tabulation indicates total appropriations to date for fiscal years 1971 and 1972, and the amount recommended in the bill for fiscal year 1973. It compares receipts generated by activities in this bill on an actual basis for fiscal year 1971 and on an estimated basis for fiscal years 1972 and 1973.

Item	Fiscal year 1971	Fiscal year 1972	Fiscal year 1973
Appropriations.....	\$2,031,010,973	\$2,432,825,035	\$2,529,558,200
Receipts:			
Department of the Interior.....	1,459,498,977	744,459,248	1,024,951,515
Forest Service.....	236,189,049	352,605,000	373,780,000
Total receipts.....	1,695,688,026	1,097,064,248	4,398,731,515

¹ Includes the following increases in Outer Continental Shelf receipts: bonus sales, \$1,977,000,000; royalties \$100,000,000, and release of escrow funds as a result of the Supreme Court's December 20, 1971, order \$1,150,000,000, for a total increase in fiscal year 1973 of \$3,227,000,000.

SUMMARY OF INCREASES AND DECREASES

Following is a summary by activity of the major increases and decreases in new obligational authority for the 1973 fiscal year, compared to fiscal year 1972:

Major increases:

Education and welfare services and other assistance to American Indians.....	+\$110,636,500
Smithsonian Institution and related activities.....	+51,254,000
Conservation and development of natural resources.....	+25,396,365
Conservation and development of mineral resources, including health and safety.....	+22,131,000
Arts and humanities.....	+20,428,000
Geologic surveys, investigations, and research.....	+18,950,000
Coal research.....	+11,680,000
Office of the Secretary and Solicitor, Interior.....	+5,073,000
Water resources research.....	+2,054,000
Fish and wildlife and parks.....	+1,003,500
Administration of territories.....	+696,000
Joint Federal-State land use planning commission for Alaska.....	+583,800

Subtotal, major increases..... +269,886,165

Major decreases:

Land and water conservation fund.....	-61,500,000
Forest fire control.....	-61,280,000
Helium fund.....	-45,300,000
Micronesian claims fund.....	-5,000,000

Subtotal, major decreases..... -173,080,000

Other increases and decreases (net)..... -73,000

Net total increase over fiscal year 1972..... +96,733,165

EFFECT OF COMMITTEE ACTION ON PROJECTED BUDGET EXPENDITURES
(OUTLAYS) IN FISCAL YEAR 1973

The budget estimates for bureaus and agencies funded in this bill projected new obligational authority of \$2,520,340,000, and total expenditures of \$2,530,047,000.

The Committee has recommended total new budget (obligational) authority of \$2,529,558,200, an increase of \$9,218,200 over the budget estimate. Concurrent with its recommendation of an increase in new budget (obligational) authority, the Committee has also recommended a reduction of \$14,456,000 in appropriations to liquidate contract authority.

The net effect of Committee action on expenditures for bureaus and agencies funded in this bill for fiscal year 1973 will be a reduction of \$7,100,000.

EXTENT OF ACTIVITIES FUNDED IN BILL

There follows a listing of selected items which indicate the extent of activities funded in this bill:

Management of public lands (acres):

Bureau of Land Management.....	451,043,353
U.S. Forest Service.....	186,912,210
Bureau of Indian Affairs.....	55,770,275
Bureau of Sport Fisheries and Wildlife.....	30,874,705
National Park Service.....	28,731,229

Total acres..... 753,331,772

	Current inventory	1973 construction
Road construction (miles):		
Bureau of Land Management.....	44, 893	261
Bureau of Indian Affairs.....	21, 664	758
National Park Service.....	10, 066	44
Bureau of Sport Fisheries and Wildlife.....	6, 022	
U.S. Forest Service.....	196, 593	7, 529
Total miles.....	279, 238	8, 592
Recreation visitations (millions):	1971 actual	1973 estimate
National Park Service.....	186	220
Bureau of Sport Fisheries and Wildlife.....	21	23
Bureau of Land Management.....	67	73
U.S. Forest Service.....	181. 8	194. 5
Total visitations (millions).....	455. 8	510. 5

Timber Production

Forest Service.—An estimated harvest of 13.8 billion board feet is anticipated for 1973, with receipts from sales of approximately \$350 million. This volume represents about one-fourth of the total timber and 30 percent of the softwood timber cut for industrial purposes annually, and is equivalent to the construction of about 1.3 million average-sized homes.

Bureau of Land Management.—Administers the sale of over 1.3 billion board feet of timber annually. Timber receipts are estimated to be \$73.6 million in 1973.

Soil and Watershed Conservation

Forest Service.—The National Forests of the West—about 20 percent of the area—produce about 50 percent of the water, conservatively estimated at a value of over one-billion dollars annually.

Bureau of Land Management.—Administers an active program of soil stabilization practices on 160 million acres of public lands covering about 1,300 watersheds. Practices are designed to conserve and develop public land soil and water resources and include construction of small water control structures, contouring and cultivation, revegetation, protective fencing, and water developments.

Grazing

Bureau of Land Management.—Administers grazing of approximately 9.1 million head of livestock and 2.4 million big game animals. Grazing receipts are estimated to be over \$9.6 million in 1973.

Forest Service.—Administers the grazing of 6.8 million head of livestock. This provides a continued and necessary source of grazing required by 18,000 family-type ranch units. In addition, an estimated 3.7 million big game animals graze on National Forest lands.

Indian Education and Welfare

Indian children in Federal Day and Boarding Schools, 63,000.

Indian children in Public Schools, 87,000.

Indians provided with welfare guidance service, 90,000.

Operation and maintenance of 300 Indian irrigation systems.

Mineral Resources

Bureau of Land Management.—Administers mining and mineral leasing on approximately 760 million acres of land in the continental

United States and more than 544 million acres of submerged lands of the Outer Continental Shelf.

Geological Survey.—Provides the basic scientific and engineering data concerning water, land, and mineral resources; and supervises the development and production of minerals and mineral fuels on leased Federal, Indian, and Outer Continental Shelf lands. The annual value of production on Federal, Indian, and Outer Continental Shelf mineral leases is \$3.7 billion, with royalties accruing to the Government of \$535 million. Bonuses from lease sales this fiscal year will approximate \$101 million.

Fish and Wildlife Resources

Bureau of Sport Fisheries and Wildlife.—Produces in excess of 5 million pounds of fish a year. The cumulative effect is estimated to support approximately 44 million fisherman-days annually. In addition, this Bureau's refuges accommodate about 1.6 billion waterfowl-use-days, not including Alaska. These refuges also support almost 5 million hunting and fishing-use-days.

Administration of Territories

The Department of the Interior is responsible for the administration of the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands (over 2,000 islands covering about 3 million square miles of the Western Pacific Ocean), American Samoa, and Guam. This involves the management of about 985 square miles of land with a total native population of approximately 222,000.

BUDGET ESTIMATE FOR THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION BICENTENNIAL COMMISSION

The budget estimate included funding for the American Revolution Bicentennial Commission. Existing legislation authorizing this activity expires June 30, 1972.

New legislation which would authorize the continuance of this activity in fiscal year 1973 has not yet been considered by either House.

Hearings were held on the budget estimate, but in the absence of authorizing legislation for this activity in fiscal year 1973, the Committee has decided to pass over this item without prejudice.

The 1972 appropriation enacted to date and the budget estimate for 1973, which for comparability are omitted from report totals, are as follows:

	1972 Appropriation	Budget estimate, 1973
American Revolution Bicentennial Commission:		
Salaries and expenses.....	\$1, 434, 000	\$4, 414, 000
Grants-in-aid.....	2, 400, 000	2, 400, 000
Total, American Revolution Bicentennial Commission.....	3, 834, 000	6, 814, 000

LIMITATION ON UNIT COST OF EMPLOYEE HOUSING

The limitation on the unit cost of employee housing (regardless of the source of financing) in the continental United States, Alaska, Hawaii, and the Territories shall be \$29,000. This limitation includes engineering and design costs, but excludes provision of utilities to the

lot line. Any exceptions to this monetary limitation shall be submitted to the Committee for its advance review and approval. Employee houses shall not exceed the standards outlined by the Committee in House Conference Report No. 2049, 87th Congress, 2nd Session.

NATIONAL COAL POLICY

In its report on the 1970 appropriations bill (House Report No. 91-361), this Committee made extensive remarks on the conservation of our natural resources and described in particular the approaching crisis this nation was facing with regard to the adequacy of our mineral resources.

Since that time, many other individuals and organizations have voiced similar opinions and it is now a well established consensus that this nation must give immediate consideration to avoiding an energy crisis.

The Committee joins with and applauds those individuals who are now demanding that we have a formal national energy policy. The sooner this is accomplished the better.

Of immediate concern to the Committee is the dire necessity for a national coal policy. There is considerable discussion today regarding the extent to which strip mining should be limited. In fact, several bills are currently pending in the Congress which, if enacted into law, would greatly reduce the extent of strip mining activity in this country. It is to be remembered that about 35 percent of our coal is obtained by strip mining.

On the other hand, the Committee is being requested to approve the appropriation of millions of dollars per year for research and development of coal utilization processes. Although the Committee endorses adequate reclamation of strip mined areas, it is neither advocate nor antagonist with regard to strip mining per se. However, the Committee does feel the question of whether it is practical to invest millions of dollars in various coal research programs if the source of supply for these programs is to be severely limited must be resolved at the earliest possible date.

Another important matter for consideration in this connection is the effect of various pollution control limitations that might be placed on the use of coal. If standards are so severe that the utilization of coal is priced out of the market, the cost benefit ratio of various coal research programs now underway and anticipated will be most adverse.

It is the urgent hope of the Committee that the Secretary of Interior, in cooperation with the appropriate committees of the Congress, give immediate attention to the promulgation of a formal national coal policy.

URBAN INDIANS

During the course of the hearings, the Committee has received urgent requests to provide additional funds to the Bureau of Indian Affairs for general assistance to urban Indians. Sentiment for such action has been increasing during the past few years.

The predicament of the urban Indians has developed over a period of many years and is not the result of any particular phenomenon of recent date. The Committee has been aware of and concerned with this

situation for several years. In its report on the 1972 appropriations bill the Committee urged the Bureau of Indian Affairs to cooperate to the fullest possible extent within existing policy and regulations in the mitigation of urban Indian problems.

There are those who feel that the appropriation of large sums of funds is a simple solution to this problem. A casual analysis of the situation might tend to lend credence to this belief. However, there are many ramifications for consideration, and in the opinion of the Committee, any extensive action to cope with this situation must first be preceded by thorough and complete analysis of the objectives to be achieved and the manner in which this can best be accomplished.

Of primary importance is the fact that funds channeled through the Bureau of Indian Affairs for the benefit and welfare of Indians are not unlimited. The Committee has received thoughtful and pertinent observations from Indian organizations representing Indians currently living on reservations raising questions as to what effect the expansion of the Bureau of Indian Affairs services to urban Indians might have on services now being rendered to reservation Indians.

Another pertinent consideration is the fact that Indians living in urban areas are citizens of the United States, and as such, are fully entitled to all benefits and assistance rendered generally to American citizens by the state, county or Federal governments.

Under current policy, Bureau of Indian Affairs' assistance is limited, with few exceptions, to reservation Indians. The extent of this assistance can be specifically designated inasmuch as it relates back to terms and provisions of various treaties consummated by the Federal government and the Indians. In the extension of Bureau of Indian Affairs assistance to urban Indians there is the very important question of what guidelines will be followed in such action. Then, too, there are those who will raise the question as to why Indians should receive this special consideration if the same benefits are not also available to other minority groups of this country.

In view of the critical situation which exists with regard to urban Indians, the Committee has included \$275,000 in the bill to permit participation by the Bureau of Indian Affairs in providing referral services on a priority basis to urban Indians needing social assistance. It is anticipated that with these funds the Bureau of Indian Affairs can establish about five regional referral locations whose primary responsibility will be to assist urban Indians in making proper application for various social benefits available from Federal, State, and county governments. This admittedly is stop-gap procedure.

Concurrently, because of the urgency of the situation, the Committee is of the strong opinion that in-depth hearings should be held by the respective legislative committees of the Congress with the view of determining the feasibility of extending the realm of the Bureau of Indian Affairs' responsibility relative to urban Indians. If as a result of these hearings additional action is indicated, specific legislation should be enacted setting forth definite guidelines as to the extent and type of such assistance; the qualifications for participation in the program; and possibly a limitation on funds to be made available, because undoubtedly such a program would require appropriations of material amounts.



POLICY ON CLEARCUTTING

As the Committee stated in its report last year, the National Forests are a resource of diverse benefits—timber, watersheds, forage, wildlife habitat, and recreation. Each is important in its own way to our national well-being. The Committee continues to urge that the Forest Service, in these times of conflicting demands, stress imaginative planning and administration which will provide maximum multiple use of the National Forests.

This Committee has taken notice of the policy guidelines included in the report on "Clearcutting on Federal Timberlands" issued by the Subcommittee on Public Lands to the Senate Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs and urges that the Forest Service, the Bureau of Indian Affairs, and the Bureau of Land Management follow these guidelines which this Committee approves.

TITLE I—DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

PUBLIC LAND MANAGEMENT

BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

MANAGEMENT OF LANDS AND RESOURCES

Appropriation, 1972.....	\$88,654,000
Estimate, 1973.....	84,057,000
Recommended, 1973.....	77,980,000
Comparison:	
Appropriation, 1972.....	-10,674,000
Estimate, 1973.....	-6,077,000

The amount recommended by the Committee compared with the 1972 appropriation and the 1973 budget estimate by activity is as follows:

Activity	Committee bill, 1973	Bill compared with—	
		1972 Appropriation	Estimate, 1973
Resource management, conservation and protection.....	\$61,787,000	+\$3,894,000	-\$1,250,000
Cadastral survey.....	8,020,000	+368,000	-----
Firefighting and rehabilitation.....	5,400,000	-15,000,000	-4,600,000
General administration.....	3,000,000	+291,000	-----
Increased pay costs.....	-227,000	-227,000	-227,000
Total, management of lands and resources.....	77,980,000	-10,674,000	-6,077,000

The Bureau of Land Management is responsible for the conservation, management, and development of about 452 million acres of the Nation's public lands, including 278 million acres in Alaska.

In addition, the Bureau administers mining and mineral leasing on other federally owned lands, on former Federal lands where minerals have been reserved in public ownership, and on the submerged lands of the Outer Continental Shelf.

The net reduction of \$6,077,000 below the budget estimate consists of an increase of \$100,000 for the implementation of a wild horse and burro program; and the following decreases:

- \$4,600,000—Firefighting costs.
- \$1,000,000—Alaska pipeline inspection.
- \$350,000—Alaska land use plan.
- \$227,000—Increased pay costs.

The \$1,000,000 reduction recommended for Alaska pipeline inspection activities relates to work to be performed in connection with actual construction of the pipeline. Although the Secretary of the Interior has announced his intent to issue the pipeline permit, there are at least three suits now pending in the courts to enjoin construction, which may materially delay this project.

If the court enjoins construction of the pipeline, obviously the funds will not be needed at this time. Notwithstanding this reduction, the bill does provide \$730,000 for necessary activities in connection with various ecological evaluations.

CONSTRUCTION AND MAINTENANCE

Appropriation, 1972.....	\$4,827,000
Estimate, 1973.....	7,965,000
Recommended, 1973.....	7,965,000
Comparison:	
Appropriation, 1972.....	+3,138,000
Estimate, 1973.....	-----

The Committee recommends an appropriation of \$7,965,000, the budget estimate, for construction and maintenance of various facilities necessary for the proper administration of public lands under the jurisdiction of the Bureau of Land Management.

PUBLIC LANDS DEVELOPMENT ROADS AND TRAILS

(LIQUIDATION OF CONTRACT AUTHORITY)

Appropriation, 1972.....	\$3,200,000
Estimate, 1973.....	3,265,000
Recommended, 1973.....	3,265,000
Comparison:	
Appropriation, 1972.....	+65,000
Estimate, 1973.....	-----

This appropriation is required to liquidate obligations incurred under contract authority provided in the Federal-Aid Highway Act for development of roads and trails on public lands.

OREGON AND CALIFORNIA GRANT LANDS

(INDEFINITE APPROPRIATION OF RECEIPTS)

The bill continues the indefinite appropriation of 25 percent of the gross receipts from sales of timber and other products, representing one-third of the 75 percent of revenues due the Oregon and California counties.

It is estimated that a total of \$16,700,000 will be available during fiscal year 1973 for construction, acquisition, and operation and maintenance of access roads and improvements, and for forest protection and development on the revested lands and on other Federal lands in the Oregon and California land grant counties of Oregon.

RANGE IMPROVEMENTS

(INDEFINITE APPROPRIATION OF RECEIPTS)

Appropriation, 1972.....	\$2,523,000
Estimate, 1973.....	3,059,000
Recommended, 1973.....	2,800,000
Comparison:	
Appropriation, 1972.....	+277,000
Estimate, 1973.....	-259,000

The Committee recommends an indefinite appropriation of \$2,800,000 to be derived from public lands and Bankhead-Jones Farm Tenant Act Lands grazing receipts for construction, purchase, and maintenance of range improvements.

The reduction of \$259,000 below the budget estimate is based on revised information indicating reduced receipts available for this appropriation in fiscal year 1973.

BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

EDUCATION AND WELFARE SERVICES

Appropriation, 1972.....	\$273,787,000
Estimate, 1973.....	298,127,000
Recommended, 1973.....	298,968,000
Comparison:	
Appropriation, 1972.....	+25,181,000
Estimate, 1973.....	+841,000

The amount recommended by the Committee compared with the 1972 appropriation and the 1973 budget estimate by activity is as follows:

Activity	Committee bill, 1973	Bill compared with—	
		1972 Appropriation	Estimate, 1973
Educational assistance, facilities, and services.....	\$183,840,000	+16,180,500	+1,333,000
Welfare and guidance services.....	64,787,000	+5,690,600	-----
Employment assistance.....	42,427,000	+2,622,900	-140,000
Maintaining law and order.....	8,266,000	+1,039,000	-----
Increased pay costs.....	-352,000	-352,000	-352,000
Total, education and welfare services.....	298,968,000	+25,181,000	+841,000

The net increase of \$841,000 over the budget estimate consists of reductions of \$140,000 for employment assistance (which amount has been added to the Forest Service appropriation for Indian work programs); and \$352,000 for increased pay costs, with additional funds being recommended for the following projects:

- + \$408,000—Operation of Navajo Community College, Arizona.
- + \$300,000—General scholarships.
- + \$100,000—Legal scholarships.
- + \$50,000—Navajo scholarships.
- + \$200,000—Development of general policy and guidelines regarding the Bureau of Indian Affairs' responsibility to participate in the funding of public school construction in areas with high Indian enrollment.
- + \$275,000—Participation by the Bureau of Indian Affairs in providing referral services to urban Indians needing social assistance.

Increasingly over the past few years the Committee has been requested to provide funding for construction of public schools where Indian students are enrolled. The percentage of Indian students attending these schools varies from a low of about 5 percent upward to possibly 50 or 60 percent. In the majority of instances, the school boards of the local districts have testified that the Indian students have placed an additional burden on the local school districts and local officials have been unable to obtain other Federal funds for assistance. Many of these school districts are located in isolated or rural regions where the tax base is limited and the bonding authority of the local government is insufficient to provide the total public school facilities required without assistance from other sources.

Occasionally, the Committee has approved funding for a few of these schools where the situation appeared to be critical. However, the problem has intensified each year and has now reached the point where the Committee can no longer provide funds for construction of these schools in a hit-or-miss manner without increasing the appropriation far beyond all totals envisioned by those responsible for budgetary proposals.

Accordingly, the Committee has provided \$200,000 in the bill for the Bureau of Indian Affairs to make a complete study of the situation. Based on the findings of this study, the Bureau is expected to recommend legislation that will provide assistance to these schools on a realistic and uniform basis with appropriate guidelines.

RESOURCES MANAGEMENT

Appropriation, 1972.....	\$75,764,000
Estimate, 1973.....	83,734,000
Recommended, 1973.....	84,316,000
Comparison:	
Appropriation, 1972.....	+8,552,000
Estimate, 1973.....	+582,000

The amount recommended by the Committee compared with the 1972 appropriation and the 1973 budget estimate by activity is as follows:

Activity	Committee bill, 1973	Bill compared with—	
		1972 Appropriation	Estimate, 1973
Forest and range lands.....	\$8, 152, 000	+\$439, 927	-\$100, 000
Outdoor recreation.....	353, 000	+353, 000	-----
Fire suppression and emergency rehabilitation.....	800, 000	-3, 068, 100	-----
Agricultural and industrial assistance.....	18, 262, 000	+3, 885, 036	-100, 000
Soil and moisture conservation.....	9, 731, 000	+2, 515, 384	+940, 000
Maintenance of roads.....	6, 598, 000	+461, 112	-----
Development of Indian arts and crafts.....	663, 000	+5, 128	-4, 000
Management of Indian trust property.....	12, 414, 000	+2, 168, 664	-130, 000
Repair and maintenance of buildings and utilities.....	24, 883, 000	+757, 984	+100, 000
Operation, repair, and maintenance of Indian irrigation systems.....	1, 611, 000	+184, 865	-90, 000
Environmental quality services.....	883, 000	+883, 000	-----
Increased pay costs.....	-34, 000	-34, 000	-34, 000
Total, resources management.....	84, 316, 000	+8, 552, 000	+582, 000

The net increase of \$582,000 over the budget estimate includes reductions of \$484,000 requested for increased program costs, and \$34,000 for increased pay costs.

The amount provided in the bill includes increased funding of \$100,000 for the Youth Work-Learn Program; and \$1,000,000 for range forage improvement practices, water development and rehabilitation, and other conservation practices on the Papago Reservation.

CONSTRUCTION

Appropriation, 1972.....	\$43, 715, 500
Estimate, 1973.....	48, 092, 000
Recommended, 1973.....	55, 384, 000
Comparison:	
Appropriation, 1972.....	+11, 668, 500
Estimate, 1973.....	+7, 292, 000

The amount provided in the bill includes reductions of \$67,000 for increased pay costs; and \$265,000 for planning and design of the Fort Totten High School on the Fort Totten Reservation, North Dakota. The following additional projects are recommended by the Committee:

- + \$1,470,000—Rough Rock High School, Arizona.
- + \$1,420,000—Gymnasium, Phoenix Indian School, Arizona.
- + \$1,344,000—Colorado River Irrigation Project, Arizona.
- + \$1,100,000—Construction and equipment, Navajo Community College, Arizona.
- + \$950,000—Planning and design (\$750,000) and water exploration (\$200,000) for the Ramah Navajo School, New Mexico.
- + \$750,000—Planning and design, Chemawa Indian School, Oregon.
- + \$200,000—Preliminary planning, public schools with large Indian enrollment.
- + \$135,000—Middle Gila Phreatophyte Control Project, San Carlos Indian Reservation, Arizona.
- + \$100,000—Feasibility study for Indian school facilities at Fort Totten Reservation, North Dakota.
- + \$85,000—Advance planning, Lodge Grass School, Montana.
- + \$70,000—Planning and design, Brockton High School, Montana.

The budget estimate provided \$265,000 for planning and design of the Fort Totten High School on the Fort Totten Reservation, North Dakota. Information received by the Committee indicates there is serious question as to whether construction of this school may be in the best interest of the Indian students from a long range standpoint. It is contended that it might be more propitious for these Indian students to mingle with other students at a public school. In order to arrive at a factual judgment of this situation, the Committee has deleted the \$265,000 requested for planning and design of the school, and has included \$100,000 in the bill for a feasibility study to determine on a logical basis the merits of constructing an Indian high school versus the attendance of Indian students at a public school.

The Committee has provided preliminary planning funds in the amount of \$200,000 for public schools with large Indian enrollment. At the discretion of the Secretary of the Interior, these funds are available for use to relieve some of the critically urgent situations currently existing.

ROAD CONSTRUCTION

(LIQUIDATION OF CONTRACT AUTHORITY)

Appropriation, 1972.....	\$33, 600, 000
Estimate, 1973.....	45, 539, 000
Recommended, 1973.....	45, 539, 000
Comparison:	
Appropriation, 1972.....	+11, 939, 000
Estimate, 1973.....	-----

This appropriation is required to liquidate obligations incurred for Indian road construction under contract authority provided in the Federal-Aid Highway Act.

ALASKA NATIVE FUND

Appropriation, 1972.....	\$12, 500, 000
Estimate, 1973.....	50, 000, 000
Recommended, 1973.....	50, 000, 000
Comparison:	
Appropriation, 1972.....	+37, 500, 000
Estimate, 1973.....	-----

Section 6 of the Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act, (Public Law 92-203) provides for the establishment in the United States Treasury of an Alaska Native Fund into which \$462,500,000 shall be deposited over a period of 11 years.

After completion of an Alaskan Native roll, all money in the Alaska Native Fund, except for certain fees as provided in section 20 of the Act, will be distributed among the regional corporations (organized pursuant to section 7 of the Act) for the benefit of Alaskan Natives.

The bill includes \$50,000,000, the budget estimate, which is the amount specified in the authorizing legislation for deposit in the Alaska Native Fund in fiscal year 1973.

GENERAL ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES

Appropriation, 1972.....	\$6, 161, 000
Estimate, 1973.....	6, 358, 000
Recommended, 1973.....	6, 200, 000
Comparison:	
Appropriation, 1972.....	+39, 000
Estimate, 1973.....	-158, 000

The reduction of \$158,000 below the budget estimate relates to the budget request for increased pay costs.

TRIBAL FUNDS	
Appropriation, 1972.....	\$16, 173, 000
Estimate, 1973.....	16, 505, 000
Recommended, 1973.....	16, 505, 000
Comparison:	
Appropriation, 1972.....	+ 332, 000
Estimate, 1973.....	

Funds held in trust for Indian tribes under the provisions of various acts are used for expenses of tribal governments, administration of Indian tribal affairs, employment of tribal attorneys, establishment and operation of tribal enterprises, investments, and the welfare of Indians.

BUREAU OF OUTDOOR RECREATION

SALARIES AND EXPENSES	
Appropriation, 1972.....	\$3, 949, 000
Estimate, 1973.....	4, 203, 000
Recommended, 1973.....	4, 150, 000
Comparison:	
Appropriation, 1972.....	+ 201, 000
Estimate, 1973.....	- 53, 000

The Bureau of Outdoor Recreation serves as the focal point in the Federal government for activities relating to outdoor recreation. In addition, a liaison is maintained with State and local governments and with the private sector with a view of developing and executing a nationwide coordinated effort in the provision of outdoor recreation opportunities.

The Bureau also administers a program of matching grants to States for recreation planning, for acquisition of land and water areas, and for the development of such areas.

The Committee recommends an appropriation of \$4,150,000, a reduction of \$53,000 below the budget estimate. The reduction includes decreases of \$5,000 for water resources-environmental statement reviews; \$6,000 for preparation of environmental impact statements; \$33,000 for surplus property aspects "Legacy of Parks"; and \$9,000 for increased pay costs.

LAND AND WATER CONSERVATION FUND

Appropriation, 1972.....	\$361, 500, 000
Estimate, 1973.....	300, 000, 000
Recommended, 1973.....	300, 000, 000
Comparison:	
Appropriation, 1972.....	- 61, 500, 000
Estimate, 1973.....	

The following table reflects the action recommended by the Committee on the budget request:

Activity	Budget estimate	Committee bill, 1973	Change
Assistance to States.....	\$196, 500, 000	\$181, 800, 000	-\$14, 700, 000
Federal Land Acquisition Program:			
National Park Service:			
New areas:			
Assateague Island NS, Md.-Va.....	3, 420, 735	3, 420, 735	
Bighorn Canyon NRA, Mont.-Wyo.....	425, 000	425, 000	
Buffalo NR, Ark.....	4, 812, 000	4, 812, 000	
C&O Canal NHP, Md.-W. Va.....	9, 485, 000	9, 485, 000	
Gulf Islands NS, Fla.-Miss. ¹	1, 272, 265	1, 272, 265	
Minute Man NHP, Mass. ¹	3, 860, 000	3, 860, 000	
Ozark NSR, Mo.....	3, 311, 000	3, 311, 000	
Sleeping Bear Dunes NL, Mich. ¹	11, 785, 000	11, 785, 000	
Voyageurs NP, Minn.....	12, 000, 000	12, 000, 000	
Subtotal.....	50, 371, 000	50, 371, 000	
Inholdings:			
General.....	15, 040, 000	15, 040, 000	
Everglades NP, Fla. ¹	9, 960, 000	9, 960, 000	
Subtotal.....	25, 000, 000	25, 000, 000	
Deficiency Awards.....	1, 500, 000	1, 500, 000	
Total, National Park Service.....	76, 871, 000	76, 871, 000	
Forest Service:			
New areas:			
National recreation areas:			
Whiskeytown-Shasta-Trinity NRA, Calif.....	1, 250, 000	1, 250, 000	
Flaming Gorge NRA, Utah-Wyo.....	150, 000	150, 000	
Mount Rogers NRA, Va.....	1, 000, 000	1, 000, 000	
Spruce Knob-Seneca Rocks NRA, W. Va.....	1, 000, 000	1, 000, 000	
National Wild and Scenic Rivers.....	1, 816, 000		-1, 816, 000
Appalachian Trail.....	1, 500, 000	1, 500, 000	
Wilderness and Primitive Areas.....	539, 000	539, 000	
Lake Tahoe Lands (Nevada).....	1, 200, 000	1, 200, 000	
Recreation Areas within boundaries of national forests.....	2, 500, 000	23, 016, 000	+20, 516, 000
Total, Forest Service.....	10, 955, 000	29, 655, 000	+18, 700, 000
Bureau of Sport Fisheries and Wildlife:			
Endangered Species Areas.....	3, 100, 000	3, 100, 000	
Wilderness Areas.....	100, 000	100, 000	
Critical Inholdings.....	4, 000, 000		-4, 000, 000
Areas Recently Authorized by Congress.....	560, 000	560, 000	
Recreation Mitigation Sites.....	842, 000	842, 000	
Total, Bureau of Sport Fisheries and Wildlife.....	8, 602, 000	4, 602, 000	-4, 000, 000
Bureau of Land Management:			
King Range National Recreation Area, Calif.....	1, 225, 000	1, 225, 000	
Rogue River, Ore., Wild and Scenic River.....	516, 000	516, 000	
Rio Grande, New Mexico, Wild and Scenic River.....	75, 000	75, 000	
Pacific Crest Trail.....	13, 000	13, 000	
Total, Bureau of Land Management.....	1, 829, 000	1, 829, 000	
Total, Federal Program.....	98, 257, 000	112, 957, 000	+14, 700, 000
Bureau of Outdoor Recreation: Administration.....	5, 243, 000	5, 243, 000	
Grand Total, 1973.....	300, 000, 000	300, 000, 000	

¹ Completes authorized funding.

While the total appropriation recommended by the Committee is the same as the budget estimate, the Committee has made certain adjustments within the overall appropriation with regard to funding for each of the segments of this program.

The bill provides \$181,800,000 for assistance to States. This is a reduction of \$14,700,000 below the budget estimate. Information furnished the Committee revealed that total unobligated balances available to the States as of March 31, 1972 amounted to \$225,932,598.

The Committee has also deleted the request of \$4,000,000 submitted by the Bureau of Sport Fisheries and Wildlife for acquisition of critical inholdings. According to the interpretation of the authorizing committees, there is question regarding the availability of adequate legislative authority for the program included in the budget estimate. Until this question has been resolved, the Committee is of the opinion that funding should not be provided.

An appropriation of \$29,655,000 is recommended for the Forest Service, an increase of \$18,700,000 over the budget estimate. This includes a reduction of \$1,816,000 requested for national wild and scenic rivers for which legislative authority is not yet available; and an increase of \$20,516,000 for recreation areas within boundaries of National forests.

The premise on which the 1973 budget estimate was submitted would permit Forest Service acquisition of land for national recreational areas; national wild and scenic rivers; the Appalachian Trail; wilderness and primitive areas; and Lake Tahoe lands in Nevada; but would restrict land acquisition in specially designated recreation areas within National forests to only \$2,500,000.

The Committee emphatically disagrees with this proposed policy especially in view of the fact that in the majority of instances, these additional recreation lands would be acquired in the Eastern portion of the Nation where there are numerous areas of dense population. In addition, adherence to the proposed policy would drastically interfere with coordinated recreation plans of the Forest Service and the various States.

The provision of the additional funds for the Forest Service will enable the acquisition of major critical areas such as the Snake River area in Idaho-Oregon; the Dolly-Sods area in West Virginia; four major recreational areas in Texas; and various other areas brought to the attention of the Committee.

TERRITORIAL AFFAIRS

ADMINISTRATION OF TERRITORIES

Appropriation, 1972	\$21,699,000
Estimate, 1973	22,375,000
Recommended, 1973	22,375,000
Comparison:	
Appropriation, 1972	+676,000
Estimate, 1973	

The Secretary of the Interior is charged with responsibility of promoting the economic and political development of those territories which are under the United States' jurisdiction and within the responsibility of the Interior Department.

In addition to certain funds available to the Virgin Islands and Guam under permanent appropriations, this bill provides \$6,345,000 for Guam rehabilitation, and \$1,000,000 for the Guam Economic Development Fund.

The \$15,030,000 included in the bill for American Samoa will provide for priority programs in education, public health, sewage facilities, and electric power.

TRUST TERRITORY OF THE PACIFIC ISLANDS

Appropriation, 1972	\$59,980,000
Estimate, 1973	60,000,000
Recommended, 1973	60,000,000
Comparison:	
Appropriation, 1972	+20,000
Estimate, 1973	

Funds provided under this appropriation account are for the continuation of the accelerated development program in the fields of education, health, public works, and resource management of the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands.

On October 20, 1971, the Committee directed its Investigative Staff to perform a complete review and analysis of the administration of the construction program in the Trust Territory.

The investigative report which has been reviewed with officials of the Department of the Interior revealed numerous shortcomings and omissions which must be corrected at the earliest possible date in order to make the best possible use of available funds and provide a viable construction program to meet the needs of the Micronesian people.

The Committee is aware of the inherent problems associated with the construction projects in this area because of its location. Nonetheless, the Committee feels that major improvement can be achieved if concerted attention is given to the selection of projects that are practical, utilitarian, and in harmony with the environment peculiar to the Trust Territory. Special effort must be made to improve the coordination and supervision of construction projects.

MINERAL RESOURCES

GEOLOGICAL SURVEY

SURVEYS, INVESTIGATIONS, AND RESEARCH

Appropriation, 1972	\$131,050,000
Estimate, 1973	150,800,000
Recommended, 1973	150,000,000
Comparison:	
Appropriation, 1972	+18,950,000
Estimate, 1973	-800,000

The total amount recommended by the Committee compared with the 1972 appropriation and the 1973 budget estimate by activity is as follows:

Activity	Committee bill, 1973	Bill compared with—	
		1972 Appropriation	Estimate, 1973
Special resource and environmental projects	\$3,753,000	+\$2,443,000	
Alaska pipeline related investigations	1,339,000	-14,000	
Topographic surveys and mapping	33,959,000	-96,000	
Geologic and mineral resource surveys and mapping	43,265,000	+9,294,000	-\$200,000
Minerals discovery loan program	272,000	-2,000	
Water resources investigations	40,129,000	+2,178,000	
Conservation of lands and minerals	14,259,000	+762,000	
Earth resources observation satellite	10,193,000	+4,440,000	-600,000
General administration	2,831,000	-55,000	
Total, geological survey	150,000,000	+18,950,000	-800,000

The Geological Survey provides the basic scientific data concerning water, land, and mineral resources and supervises the prospecting, development, and production of minerals and mineral fuels on leased Federal, Indian, and Outer Continental Shelf lands.

The reduction of \$800,000 below the budget estimate includes decreases of \$200,000 for new methods of acquiring and presenting land-use and resource data; and \$600,000 for the earth resources observation systems (EROS).

BUREAU OF MINES

CONSERVATION AND DEVELOPMENT OF MINERAL RESOURCES

Appropriation, 1972	\$49,858,000
Estimate, 1973	55,291,000
Recommended, 1973	58,491,000
Comparison:	
Appropriation, 1972	+8,633,000
Estimate, 1973	+3,200,000

The amount recommended by the Committee compared with the 1972 appropriation and the 1973 budget estimate by activity is as follows:

Activity	Committee bill, 1973	Bill compared with—	
		1972 Appropriation	Estimate, 1973
Research:			
Coal	\$13,914,000	+\$4,680,000	+\$200,000
Petroleum	3,218,000	+9,000	
Oil shale	2,629,000	-6,000	
Metallurgy	15,507,000	+1,076,000	
Mining	5,072,000	-45,000	
Explosives	734,000		
Resource development:			
Statistics	2,365,000	-3,000	
Economic analysis	584,000	-1,000	
Bituminous coal	1,047,000	+3,000	
Anthracite	4,775,000	+1,945,000	+2,000,000
Petroleum	947,000	+3,000	
Minerals	6,958,000	+972,000	+1,000,000
International activities	741,000		
Total, conservation and development of mineral resources	58,491,000	+8,633,000	+3,200,000

The increase of \$3,200,000 over the budget estimate includes the following:

- + \$2,000,000—Research and demonstration techniques for subsidence control and protection; and the consequent elimination of mine waste banks utilizing various sizes of crushed mine refuse.
- + \$1,000,000—Coal mine waste materials and storage program (inspection of dams constructed for water-silt impoundment of cleaning plant refuse material).
- + \$200,000—Conversion of organic wastes to oil.

HEALTH AND SAFETY

Appropriation, 1972	\$81,851,000
Estimate, 1973	95,374,000
Recommended, 1973	95,374,000
Comparison:	
Appropriation, 1972	+13,523,000
Estimate, 1973	

The Committee recommends an appropriation of \$95,374,000, the budget estimate, for Health and Safety.

The amount recommended by the Committee compared to the 1972 appropriation and the 1973 budget estimate by activity is as follows:

Activity	Committee bill, 1973	Bill compared with—	
		1972 Appropriation	Estimate, 1973
Inspections, investigations, and rescue work:			
Inspection and enforcement—coal	\$31,418,000	+\$1,190,000	
Inspection and enforcement—metal and nonmetal	6,170,000	+248,000	
Technical support and accident analysis	6,950,000	+269,000	
Education and training	5,255,000	+10,000	
Grants—coal	1,000,000	+600,000	
Federal Mine Health and Safety Academy	13,000,000	+13,000,000	
Activity total	63,793,000	+15,317,000	
Control of fire in coal deposits	229,000		
Health and safety research:			
Health-related research in coal mines	5,034,000	-2,396,000	
Safety research in coal mines	23,340,000	+664,000	
Metal and nonmetal mine research	2,978,000	-62,000	
Activity total	31,352,000	-1,794,000	
Total, health and safety	95,374,000	+13,523,000	

GENERAL ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES

Appropriation, 1972	\$2,013,000
Estimate, 1973	2,008,000
Recommended, 1973	2,000,000
Comparison:	
Appropriation, 1972	-13,000
Estimate, 1973	-8,000

The Committee recommends an appropriation of \$2,000,000, a reduction of \$8,000 below the budget estimate. The reduction of \$8,000 relates to increased pay costs requested in the budget estimate.

OFFICE OF COAL RESEARCH

SALARIES AND EXPENSES

Appropriation, 1972	\$30,650,000
Estimate, 1973	45,330,000
Recommended, 1973	42,330,000
Comparison:	
Appropriation, 1972	+11,680,000
Estimate, 1973	-3,000,000

The Office of Coal Research contracts for research and development of new and more efficient methods of mining, preparing, and utilizing coal.

The bill provides a total of \$42,330,000 for the coal research program, a reduction of \$3,000,000 below the budget estimate of \$45,330,000. While the Committee has approved the 1973 program as submitted in the budget estimate, it has reduced the appropriation by \$3,000,000 on the basis that \$3,000,000 which was appropriated in fiscal year 1972 for the Cresap Plant in West Virginia is currently unobligated. It is the intent of the Committee that these unobligated funds will be applied toward funding the 1973 program.

The Committee still has reservations as to the wisdom of reactivating the Cresap Plant. At the time of the hearings, studies were being conducted to determine the feasibility of plant modification to permit research on the liquefaction of coal. The Committee directs that no action be taken in this connection until the Committee has had an opportunity to review the evaluation report and has had discussion of the merits of the program in a hearing. In the event the Committee is favorably impressed, funds can be appropriated at a later date for the program.

The 1973 program consists of the following:

Coal gasification pilot plant projects (to be matched by \$12,520,000 of private contributions)	\$25,160,000
Coal liquefaction pilot plant projects	9,357,000
Non-pilot plant projects	9,928,000
Administration	885,000

OFFICE OF OIL AND GAS

SALARIES AND EXPENSES

Appropriation, 1972	\$1,570,000
Estimate, 1973	1,558,000
Recommended, 1973	1,558,000
Comparison:	
Appropriation, 1972	-12,000
Estimate, 1973	

The Office of Oil and Gas serves as a focal point for leadership and information on petroleum matters in the Federal government, and the principal channel of communication between the Federal government, the petroleum industry, and the oil producing states. It also maintains the capability to respond effectively to emergencies affecting the Nation's supply of oil and gas.

The bill provides \$1,558,000, the budget estimate, for activities under this appropriation account.

FISH AND WILDLIFE AND PARKS

BUREAU OF SPORT FISHERIES AND WILDLIFE

MANAGEMENT AND INVESTIGATIONS OF RESOURCES

Appropriation, 1972	\$66,883,000
Estimate, 1973	74,552,000
Recommended, 1973	73,529,500
Comparison:	
Appropriation, 1972	+6,646,500
Estimate, 1973	-1,022,500

The amount recommended by the Committee compared with the 1972 appropriation and the 1973 budget estimate by activity is as follows:

Activity	Committee bill, 1973	Bill compared with—	
		1972 Appropriation	Estimate, 1973
Fish hatcheries	\$12,072,000	+\$240,000	
Wildlife refuges	22,473,500	+1,962,500	-\$22,500
Soil and moisture conservation	807,000	+12,000	
Management and enforcement	6,439,000	+729,000	+500,000
Fishery research	6,545,000	+995,000	
Wildlife research	10,460,000	+524,000	+115,000
Fishery services	3,567,000	+165,000	
Wildlife services	3,960,000	-441,000	-615,000
River basin studies	6,258,000	+2,334,000	
Endangered species	1,948,000	+1,126,000	
Increased pay costs	-1,000,000	-1,000,000	-1,000,000
Total, management and investigations of resources	73,529,500	+6,646,500	-1,022,500

The proposed net reduction of \$1,022,500 below the budget estimate includes decreases of \$1,000,000 for increased pay costs; and \$110,000 for the San Francisco Bay National Wildlife Refuge which is not authorized. The Committee has approved increases of \$12,500 for the Muscatatuck National Wildlife Refuge, Indiana; and \$75,000 for the Environmental Education Program conducted in cooperation with Minnesota Environmental Sciences Foundation, Inc.

In addition, the Committee directs that funds requested in the budget estimate for Wildlife Services (animal damage control) be reduced by \$615,000 and that funding for Wildlife Research (animal damage control) be increased by \$115,000; and funds for Management and Enforcement be increased by \$500,000.

With the additional funds provided for research in the area of predator control, the Bureau of Sport Fisheries and Wildlife shall give special emphasis to research in the determination of livestock losses caused by predators; the development and use of more specific and painless predator poisons; the development and use of non-poisonous repellants which may be used to keep predators from livestock; and habits of predators and behavioral techniques which may be used to control them.

The Committee urges the Department of Interior to become more aggressive in carrying out the intent of the Endangered Species Conservation Act of 1969 by placing animals on the endangered species list, whether native to this country or not, when there is a reasonable amount of evidence to indicate they may be faced with extinction. In fulfilling this obligation, the Department shall enlist the active cooperation of foreign countries to the maximum extent possible.

CONSTRUCTION

Appropriation, 1972	\$7,226,000
Estimate, 1973	6,258,000
Recommended, 1973	
Comparison:	
Appropriation, 1972	-7,226,000
Estimate, 1973	-6,258,000

This appropriation finances the construction of fish hatcheries and wildlife refuge facilities, and fishery and wildlife research facilities.

The Committee recommends a 1973 construction program totaling \$9,805,100. This consists of the budgeted projects in the amount of \$6,258,000 plus additional projects approved by the Committee in the amount of \$3,547,100.

Although a 1973 construction program of \$9,805,100 is approved by the Committee, no additional funds are provided in the bill. Information developed during the hearings reveals that there is an inordinately high unobligated balance being carried in this account. Therefore the Committee directs that the 1973 construction program, as approved by the Committee, be funded from unobligated balances available beginning July 1, 1972.

In addition to those projects included in the budget estimate, the Committee has approved the following:

- + \$1,000,000—Rehabilitation of facilities, Nationwide.
- + \$575,000—National Fishery Research Laboratory, La Crosse, Wisconsin.
- + \$504,900—Wolf Creek National Fish Hatchery, Kentucky.
- + \$350,000—Makah National Fish Hatchery, Washington.
- + \$225,000—Northern Plains Fishery Station, Valentine, Nebraska.
- + \$173,200—Muscatatuck National Wildlife Refuge, Indiana.
- + \$170,000—St. Marks National Wildlife Refuge, Florida (Otter Lake).
- + \$200,000—Site selection, land acquisition, and preliminary engineering, Northeast Fisheries Development Center, Pennsylvania.
- + \$100,000—Salton Sea Feasibility Study, California.
- + \$90,000—San Marcos National Fish Hatchery, Texas.
- + \$83,000—Horicon National Wildlife Refuge, Wisconsin.
- + \$76,000—Nashua National Fish Hatchery, New Hampshire.

MIGRATORY BIRD CONSERVATION ACCOUNT

Appropriation, 1972	\$7, 500, 000
Estimate, 1973	7, 100, 000
Recommended, 1973	7, 100, 000
Comparison:	
Appropriation, 1972	—400, 000
Estimate, 1973	

The recommended amount, together with an estimated \$7,000,000 to be available in receipts from Federal migratory bird hunting stamps, will provide a total in the Migratory Bird Conservation Account of \$14,100,000 for fiscal year 1973 to continue the expanded Wetlands Acquisition Program.

Under the provisions of the Wetlands legislation, the appropriation advances to the fund for acquisition of refugees are to be repaid from receipts beginning in fiscal year 1977.

ANADROMOUS AND GREAT LAKES FISHERIES CONSERVATION

Appropriation, 1972	\$2, 332, 000
Estimate, 1973	2, 333, 000
Recommended, 1973	2, 333, 000
Comparison:	
Appropriation, 1972	+1, 000
Estimate, 1973	

Funds provided under this appropriation are to carry out the provisions of Public Law 91-249, approved May 14, 1970. The purpose of this program is to preserve, develop, and enhance anadromous fishery resources within the several States and the Great Lakes.

GENERAL ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES

Appropriation, 1972	\$2, 240, 000
Estimate, 1973	2, 332, 000
Recommended, 1973	2, 250, 000
Comparison:	
Appropriation, 1972	+10, 000
Estimate, 1973	—82, 000

The reduction of \$82,000 recommended by the Committee relates to increased pay costs requested in the budget estimate.

NATIONAL PARK SERVICE

MANAGEMENT AND PROTECTION

Appropriation, 1972	\$71, 756, 000
Estimate, 1973	89, 937, 000
Recommended, 1973	88, 671, 000
Comparison:	
Appropriation, 1972	+16, 915, 000
Estimate, 1973	—1, 266, 000

The amount recommended by the Committee compared with the 1972 appropriation and the 1973 budget estimate by activity is as follows:

Activity	Committee bill, 1973	Bill compared with—	
		1972 Appropriation	Estimate, 1973
Management of park and other areas	\$79, 384, 000	+ \$16, 006, 700	+ \$86, 000
Forestry and fire control	3, 118, 600	+69, 300	
Park and recreation programs	7, 810, 400	+2, 481, 000	+290, 000
Increased pay costs	—1, 642, 000	—1, 642, 000	—1, 642, 000
Total, management and protection	88, 671, 000	+16, 915, 000	—1, 266, 000

The net reduction of \$1,266,000 recommended by the Committee consists of a decrease of \$1,642,000 requested for increased pay costs, and the following increases:

- + \$200,000—Indian assistance program.
- + \$86,000—Expanded use of facilities, Delaware Water Gap National Recreation Area.
- + \$50,000—Feasibility study, Honokohau National Historic Landmark, Hawaii.
- + \$40,000—Feasibility study, Jean LaFitte Park, Louisiana.

MAINTENANCE AND REHABILITATION OF PHYSICAL FACILITIES

Appropriation, 1972	\$57, 557, 000
Estimate, 1973	73, 198, 000
Recommended, 1973	73, 312, 000
Comparison:	
Appropriation, 1972	+15, 755, 000
Estimate, 1973	+114, 000

The increase of \$114,000 over the budget estimate is for expanded use of facilities at the Delaware Water Gap National Recreation Area.

CONSTRUCTION

Appropriation, 1972.....	\$75,752,000
Estimate, 1973.....	42,233,000
Recommended, 1973.....	41,711,000
Comparison:	
Appropriation, 1972.....	-34,041,000
Estimate, 1973.....	-522,000

The net reduction of \$522,000 below the budget estimate consists of the following decreases and increases:

Decreases:

- \$1,500,000—Constitution Gardens, National Capital Parks.
- \$600,000—Completion of Ellipse Fountains, National Capital Parks.
- \$300,000—Fort Circle Parks, National Capital Parks.
- \$207,000—Increased pay costs.
- \$90,000—Planning, Memorial Circle Fountain, Columbia Island.

Increases:

- + \$875,000—Development of facilities, Indiana Dunes National Lakeshore, Indiana.
- + \$500,000—Reconstruction of stockade walls, Fort Vancouver National Historic Site, Washington.
- + \$325,000—Project planning, (\$25,000) and restoration of building exteriors (\$300,000) Fort Larned National Historic Site, Kansas.
- + \$171,000—Project planning, Gulf Islands National Seashore, Florida and Mississippi.
- + \$151,000—Project planning, Delaware Water Gap National Recreation Area.
- + \$128,000—Project development, Fort Scott National Historic Area, Kansas.
- + \$25,000—Planning funds, Apostle Islands National Lakeshore, Wisconsin.

PARKWAY AND ROAD CONSTRUCTION

(LIQUIDATION OF CONTRACT AUTHORITY)

Appropriation, 1972.....	\$24,188,000
Estimate, 1973.....	20,222,000
Recommended, 1973.....	5,766,000
Comparison:	
Appropriation, 1972.....	-18,422,000
Estimate, 1973.....	-14,456,000

This appropriation provides for liquidation of obligations incurred for construction of parkways and roads and trails by the National Park Service under contract authority provided in the Federal-Aid Highway Act.

Although the Committee has approved a total road construction program of \$20,766,000 for fiscal year 1973, the bill provides an appropriation of only \$5,766,000.

Information developed during the hearings revealed that at the end of fiscal year 1973 the National Park Service would have unexpended cash slightly in excess of \$17,000,000. In view of this program slippage, the Committee has reduced the provision of additional cash

to liquidate contract authority by \$15,000,000 below the budget estimate.

In addition to the projects contained in the 1973 budget estimate, the Committee has approved the following:

- + \$302,000—Development of facilities, Indiana Dunes National Lakeshore, Indiana.
- + \$128,000—Project planning, Gulf Islands National Seashore, Florida and Mississippi.
- + \$60,000—Planning funds, Apostle Islands National Lakeshore, Wisconsin.
- + \$30,000—Feasibility study, Lake Crescent By-Pass Road, Olympic National Park, Washington.
- + \$24,000—Project planning, Delaware Water Gap National Recreation Area.

The Committee also directs that within available funds \$150,000 be utilized for a study of tramway systems for Mount Rushmore National Memorial, South Dakota; and North Cascades, Washington.

PRESERVATION OF HISTORIC PROPERTIES

Appropriation, 1972.....	\$8,369,000
Estimate, 1973.....	10,124,000
Recommended, 1973.....	11,624,000
Comparison:	
Appropriation, 1972.....	+3,255,000
Estimate, 1973.....	+1,500,000

Funds provided in this appropriation are required to carry out the provisions of Public Law 89-665, approved October 15, 1966. This legislation was enacted to establish a program for the preservation of additional historic properties throughout the Nation. The increase of \$1,500,000 over the budget estimate includes \$1,300,000 for Grants-in-aid; and \$200,000 for salvage projects for sites threatened with destruction. The total amount provided includes:

Grants-in-aid.....	\$7,505,000
Maintenance of the National Register and administration of grants-in-aid program.....	858,400
Advisory Council on Historic Preservation Support.....	294,700
Historic Sites Survey.....	545,200
Historic American Buildings Survey.....	400,200
Historic American Engineering Record.....	209,600
Archeological Investigations and Salvage.....	1,810,900
Total.....	11,624,000

Of the \$1,810,900 available for Archeological Investigations and Salvage, \$135,000 shall be expended for the Ozette-Makah Archeological Project, Washington.

GENERAL ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES

Appropriation, 1972.....	\$4,052,000
Estimate, 1973.....	4,175,000
Recommended, 1973.....	4,140,000
Comparison:	
Appropriation, 1972.....	+88,000
Estimate, 1973.....	-35,000

The reduction of \$35,000 below the budget estimate relates to increased pay costs requested in the budget estimate.

OFFICE OF SALINE WATER

SALINE WATER CONVERSION

Appropriation, 1972	\$27,025,000
Estimate, 1973	27,021,000
Recommended, 1973	26,871,000
Comparison:	
Appropriation, 1972	-154,000
Estimate, 1973	-150,000

This program finances the research on and development of low-cost processes for converting saline water to fresh water in quality suitable for municipal, industrial, and agricultural uses as authorized by the Saline Water Conversion Act of 1971 (Public Law 92-60).

The Committee recommends an appropriation of \$26,871,000, a reduction of \$150,000 below the budget estimate. The decrease applies to the budget request of \$150,000 for increased pay costs. Otherwise the appropriation would have exceeded the 1973 authorization by \$150,000.

Notwithstanding, the Committee has provided an additional \$150,000 for administration and coordination costs offset by a reduction of \$150,000 in the research and development phase of the program. The amounts recommended by the Committee are as follows:

Research and development:	
Research	\$5,850,000
Development	11,981,000
Design, construction, acquisition, modification, operation, and maintenance:	
Test beds and facilities	5,085,000
Modules	1,075,000
Administration and coordination	2,880,000
Total	26,871,000

OFFICE OF WATER RESOURCES RESEARCH

SALARIES AND EXPENSES

Appropriation, 1972	\$14,290,000
Estimate, 1973	14,304,000
Recommended, 1973	16,344,000
Comparison:	
Appropriation, 1972	+2,054,000
Estimate, 1973	+2,040,000

The objective of this program is to stimulate, sponsor, provide for, and supplement present programs for the conduct of research, investigations, experiments, and the training of scientists in the fields of water and resources which affect water, in order to assist in assuring the Nation of a supply of water sufficient in quantity and quality to meet the requirements of its expanding population.

The Committee recommends an appropriation of \$16,344,000, an increase of \$2,040,000 over the budget estimate. The increase will provide an additional \$40,000 per State for the 50 States and Puerto Rico (\$140,000 per State) for assistance to States for institutes.

The amount included in the bill provides the following:

Assistance to States for institutes	\$7,140,000
Matching grants to institutes	3,000,000
Water resources research to be performed by any qualified entity or individual as provided under Title II of the Act	4,300,000
Scientific information center	934,000
Administration	970,000
Total	16,344,000

OFFICE OF THE SOLICITOR

SALARIES AND EXPENSES

Appropriation, 1972	\$6,967,000
Estimate, 1973	7,031,000
Recommended, 1973	7,000,000
Comparison:	
Appropriation, 1972	+33,000
Estimate, 1973	-31,000

The Committee recommends an appropriation of \$7,000,000, a reduction of \$31,000 below the budget estimate. The reduction applies to the increase requested in the budget estimate for non-discretionary operating costs.

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

SALARIES AND EXPENSES

Appropriation, 1972	\$10,948,900
Estimate, 1973	16,412,000
Recommended, 1973	15,419,000
Comparison:	
Appropriation, 1972	+4,470,100
Estimate, 1973	-993,000

The reduction recommended by the Committee includes decreases of \$300,000 for current staff support; \$133,000 for the bilateral cooperative program with Japan and Germany; \$160,000 which is the estimated cost of establishing 4 area management offices in Albuquerque, Atlanta, San Francisco, and Portland; \$300,000 for the departmental management information system; and \$100,000 for travel.

DEPARTMENTAL OPERATIONS

Appropriation, 1972	\$3,746,100
Estimate, 1973	4,066,000
Recommended, 1973	4,066,000
Comparison:	
Appropriation, 1972	+319,900
Estimate, 1973	

The bill provides \$4,066,000, the budget estimate, for Departmental Operations. The amount provided includes \$2,857,000 for the Office of Hearings and Appeals, and \$1,209,000 for the Natural Resources Library.

SALARIES AND EXPENSES (SPECIAL FOREIGN CURRENCY PROGRAM)

Appropriation, 1972	\$500,000
Estimate, 1973	1,000,000
Recommended, 1973	750,000
Comparison:	
Appropriation, 1972	+250,000
Estimate, 1973	-250,000

The Committee recommends an appropriation of \$750,000, a reduction of \$250,000 below the budget estimate, for various research programs utilizing excess foreign currencies.

TITLE II—RELATED AGENCIES

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE—FOREST SERVICE

FOREST PROTECTION AND UTILIZATION

The bill includes under this heading a total appropriation of \$344,900,000, a decrease of \$34,541,300 below the 1972 appropriation, and an increase of \$13,113,000 above the budget estimate.

The following is a summary of action taken on the programs included under this appropriation:

FOREST LAND MANAGEMENT

Appropriation, 1972	\$297,095,300
Estimate, 1973	246,749,000
Recommended, 1973	257,872,000
Comparison:	
Appropriation, 1972	-39,223,300
Estimate, 1973	+11,123,000

The amount recommended by the Committee compared with the 1972 appropriation and the 1973 budget estimate by activity is as follows:

Activity	Committee bill, 1973	Bill compared with—	
		1972 Appropriation	Estimate, 1973
FOREST LAND MANAGEMENT			
National Forest protection and management:			
Timber resource management:			
Sales administration and management	\$66,055,000	+\$932,000	
Reforestation and stand improvement	33,921,000	+1,286,000	+\$3,045,000
Recreation-public use	41,472,000	+309,700	+10,000
Wildlife habitat management	7,492,000	+1,178,000	+483,000
Range resource management:			
Management	6,987,000	-459,000	
Revegetation	3,525,000	+48,000	
Improvements	4,749,000	+29,000	+75,000
Soil and water management	9,734,000	+138,000	
Mineral claims, leases, and special uses	5,657,000	+99,000	
Land classification, adjustments, and surveys	8,038,000	+484,000	
Forest fire protection	32,107,000	-5,035,000	+10,000
Maintenance of improvements for fire and general purposes (including communications)	7,795,000	+111,000	
Forest advanced logging and conservation (FALCON)	7,500,000	+7,500,000	+7,500,000
Payments to Employees' Compensation Fund	2,131,000	+509,000	
Subtotal	237,163,000	+7,129,700	+11,123,000
Amount advanced from Cooperative Range Improve- ments	-700,000		
Subtotal, National Forest protection and manage- ment	236,463,000	+7,129,700	+11,123,000
Water resource development related activities	4,022,000	+33,000	
Fighting forest fires	4,275,000	-46,280,000	
Insect and disease control	10,585,000	-133,000	
Cooperative law enforcement program	2,527,000	+27,000	
Total, forest land management	257,872,000	-39,223,300	+11,123,000

The increase of \$11,123,000 above the budget estimate includes the following:

- + \$3,000,000—Reforestation and timber stand improvement.
- + \$7,500,000—Project FALCON.
- + \$418,000—Wildlife habitat management, Clark and Mark Twain National Forests, Missouri.
- + \$65,000—North Kings Deer Herd management, Sierra National Forest, California.
- + \$140,000—Manpower training support, Montana.

FOREST RESEARCH

Appropriation, 1972	\$54,587,000
Estimate, 1973	57,278,000
Recommended, 1973	59,268,000
Comparison:	
Appropriation, 1972	+4,681,000
Estimate, 1973	+1,990,000

The amount recommended by the Committee compared with the 1972 appropriation and the 1973 budget estimate by activity is as follows:

Activity	Committee bill, 1973	Bill compared with—	
		1972 Appropriation	Estimate, 1973
Forest research:			
Forest and range management research:			
Timber management research.....	\$12,036,000	+\$273,000	+\$290,000
Watershed management research.....	6,566,000	+400,000	+300,000
Range management research.....	1,585,000		
Wildlife habitat research.....	2,188,000	+300,000	+300,000
Forest recreation research.....	1,253,000	+189,000	+150,000
Subtotal, Forest and range management research.....	23,628,000	+1,162,000	+1,040,000
Forest protection research:			
Fire and atmospheric sciences research.....	7,781,000	+2,600,000	+400,000
Forest insect research.....	6,117,000	+395,000	
Forest disease research.....	4,163,000	+445,000	+450,000
Subtotal, Forest protection research.....	18,061,000	+3,440,000	+850,000
Forest products and engineering research:			
Forest products utilization research.....	9,231,000	+90,000	+100,000
Forest engineering research.....	1,478,000	-1,000	
Subtotal, Forest products and engineering research.....	10,709,000	+89,000	+100,000
Forest resource economics research:			
Forest survey.....	3,433,000	-5,000	
Forest products marketing research.....	2,030,000	-3,000	
Forest economics research.....	1,407,000	-2,000	
Subtotal, Forest resource economics research.....	6,870,000	-10,000	
Total, Forest research.....	59,268,000	+4,681,000	+1,990,000

The increase of \$1,990,000 over the budget estimate includes the following:

- + \$450,000—Air pollution research, Delaware, Ohio.
- + \$400,000—Controlled burning fire research, Macon, Georgia.
- + \$250,000—Timber management research (\$150,000) and wildlife habitat research (\$100,000), Orono, Maine.
- + \$150,000—Strip mining research, Berea, Kentucky.
- + \$150,000—Wildlife habitat research, Olympia, Washington.
- + \$150,000—Forest recreation research, Seattle, Washington.

- + \$140,000—Silviculture research, Bend, Oregon.
- + \$100,000—Watershed management research, Durham, New Hampshire.
- + \$100,000—Forest residues research.
- + \$50,000—Wildlife habitat research, Fresno, California.
- + \$50,000—Strip mining research, Logan, Utah.

STATE AND PRIVATE FORESTRY COOPERATION

Appropriation, 1972.....	\$27,759,000
Estimate, 1973.....	27,760,000
Recommended, 1973.....	27,760,000
Comparison:	
Appropriation, 1972.....	+1,000
Estimate, 1973.....	

This program, carried on in cooperation with the States, encourages private timber management.

CONSTRUCTION AND LAND ACQUISITION

Appropriation, 1972.....	\$35,703,200
Estimate, 1973.....	37,980,000
Recommended, 1973.....	43,953,900
Comparison:	
Appropriation, 1972.....	+8,250,700
Estimate, 1973.....	+5,973,900

The amount recommended by the Committee compared with the 1972 appropriation and the 1973 budget estimate by activity is as follows:

Activity	Committee bill, 1973	Bill compared with—	
		1972 Appropriation	Estimate, 1973
Recreation-public use areas.....	\$4,300,400	—\$208,800	+\$1,022,400
Water resources development construction.....	2,209,000	+324,000	+300,000
Fire, administration, and other purposes construction.....	2,316,500	—114,500	+293,500
Research construction.....	4,358,000	—679,000	+4,358,000
Pollution abatement.....	29,470,000	+8,929,000	
Land acquisition, Weeks act.....	1,300,000		
Total, construction and land acquisition.....	43,953,900	+8,250,700	+5,973,900

The increase of \$5,973,900 over the budget estimate includes the following projects:

- + \$1,500,000—Laboratory construction, Corvallis, Oregon.
- + \$963,000—Land exchange-purchase, Madison, Wisconsin.
- + \$800,000—Construction of Redwoods laboratory, Arcata, California.
- + \$760,000—Construction of shrub improvement laboratory, Provo, Utah.
- + \$335,000—Construction of headhouse-greenhouse, Rhineland, Wisconsin.
- + \$200,000—Boundary Waters Canoe Area, Work Study Program, Minnesota.
- + \$293,500—La Croix Ranger District, Minnesota.
- + \$239,500—Lava Lands Visitor Center and Benham Falls Camp Ground, Oregon.

- + \$300,000—Water-related development construction, Allegheny National Forest, Pennsylvania.
- + \$250,000—Development of recreation-public use areas, Robert S. Kerr Memorial Arboretum and Nature Center, Oklahoma.
- + \$182,900—Development of recreation-public use areas, North Cascades Highway, Washington.
- + \$150,000—Development of recreation-public use areas, Deschutes National Forest, Oregon.

YOUTH CONSERVATION CORPS

Appropriation, 1972.....	\$3,500,000
Estimate, 1973.....	3,500,000
Recommended, 1973.....	3,500,000
Comparison:	
Appropriation, 1972.....	
Estimate, 1973.....	

The bill provides \$3,500,000, the budget estimate for the Youth Conservation Corps.

The objectives of this program are to provide gainful employment to America's youth, ages 15 through 18, during the summer months in a healthful outdoor atmosphere; an opportunity for understanding and appreciation of the Nation's natural environment and heritage; and to further development and maintenance of the natural resources of the United States by the youth.

FOREST ROADS AND TRAILS (LIQUIDATION OF CONTRACT AUTHORITY)

Appropriation, 1972.....	\$148,740,000
Estimate, 1973.....	158,840,000
Recommended, 1973.....	158,840,000
Comparison:	
Appropriation, 1972.....	+10,100,000
Estimate, 1973.....	

These funds are required to liquidate obligations incurred under contract authority contained in the Federal-Aid Highway Act.

ACQUISITION OF LANDS FOR NATIONAL FORESTS, SPECIAL ACTS

Appropriation, 1972.....	\$80,000
Estimate, 1973.....	80,000
Recommended, 1973.....	80,000
Comparison:	
Appropriation, 1972.....	
Estimate, 1973.....	

Congress has enacted several special laws which authorize appropriations from the receipts of specified National Forests for the purchase of lands to minimize erosion and flood damage.

COOPERATIVE RANGE IMPROVEMENTS

(SPECIAL FUND, INDEFINITE)

Appropriation, 1972.....	\$700,000
Estimate, 1973.....	700,000
Recommended, 1973.....	700,000
Comparison:	
Appropriation, 1972.....	
Estimate, 1973.....	

Part of the grazing fees from the National Forests, when appropriated, are used for revegetation of depleted range lands, construction and maintenance of range improvements, rodent control, and eradication of poisonous plants and noxious weeds.

ASSISTANCE TO STATES FOR TREE PLANTING

Appropriation, 1972.....	\$1,028,000
Estimate, 1973.....	1,027,000
Recommended, 1973.....	1,020,000
Comparison:	
Appropriation, 1972.....	-8,000
Estimate, 1973.....	-7,000

These funds are used to provide advice, technical assistance, and financial contribution under section 401 of the Agricultural Act of 1956, to carry out increased tree planting and reforestation work on non-Federal forest lands.

Grants are matched by the States, and work is conducted in accordance with the plans submitted by the States, and approved by the Secretary of Agriculture.

The reduction of \$7,000 below the budget estimate applies to the budget request for increased pay costs.

COMMISSION OF FINE ARTS

SALARIES AND EXPENSES

Appropriation, 1972.....	\$124,000
Estimate, 1973.....	135,000
Recommended, 1973.....	135,000
Comparison:	
Appropriation, 1972.....	+11,000
Estimate, 1973.....	

The Commission of Fine Arts is a permanent advisory agency created to give advice concerning aesthetic standards and matters of civic design involved in the orderly development of the City of Washington; and to furnish expert opinion on questions of art to the President, to the Congress and its Committees, and to the heads of various departments and agencies of the Federal and District Governments.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, EDUCATION, AND WELFARE

HEALTH SERVICES AND MENTAL HEALTH ADMINISTRATION

INDIAN HEALTH SERVICES

Appropriation, 1972.....	\$155,333,000
Estimate, 1973.....	166,540,000
Recommended, 1973.....	169,787,000
Comparison:	
Appropriation, 1972.....	+14,454,000
Estimate, 1973.....	+3,247,000

The amount recommended by the Committee compared with the 1972 appropriation and the 1973 budget estimate by activity is as follows:

Activity	Committee bill, 1973	Bill compared with—	
		1972 Appropriation	Estimate, 1973
Patient care.....	\$115,906,000	+\$7,763,000	+\$1,900,000
Field health services.....	50,461,000	+5,816,000	+1,347,000
Administration.....	3,420,000	+875,000	
Total, Indian health services.....	169,787,000	+14,454,000	+3,247,000

The increase of \$3,247,000 over the budget estimate includes the following:

- + \$1,000,000—Additional funding for the Contract Health Care program.
- + \$1,000,000—Implementation of three additional pilot urban health projects (\$450,000); and \$550,000 for expansion of services provided by the California Indian Rural Health Board.
- + \$400,000—Six additional positions and support costs for additional eye care.
- + \$350,000—Additional treatment of Otitis Media.
- + \$250,000—Fourteen additional positions for dental services in the Aberdeen and Billings areas.
- + \$247,000—Fifty additional community health representatives.

INDIAN HEALTH FACILITIES

Appropriation, 1972.....	\$30,442,000
Estimate, 1973.....	43,689,000
Recommended, 1973.....	44,099,000
Comparison:	
Appropriation, 1972.....	+13,657,000
Estimate, 1973.....	+410,000

The recommended increase of \$410,000 over the budget estimate will provide \$60,000 for preliminary planning, Gila River Hospital, Arizona; and \$350,000 for planning and design, White River Apache Mountain Hospital, Arizona.

INDIAN CLAIMS COMMISSION

SALARIES AND EXPENSES

Appropriation, 1972.....	\$1,045,000
Estimate, 1973.....	1,090,000
Recommended, 1973.....	1,090,000
Comparison:	
Appropriation, 1972.....	+45,000
Estimate, 1973.....	

The Committee recommends an appropriation of \$1,090,000, the budget estimate, for the Indian Claims Commission.

NATIONAL CAPITAL PLANNING COMMISSION

SALARIES AND EXPENSES

Appropriation, 1972.....	\$1,300,000
Estimate, 1973.....	1,428,000
Recommended, 1973.....	1,425,000
Comparison:	
Appropriation, 1972.....	+125,000
Estimate, 1973.....	-3,000

The bill provides \$1,425,000, a reduction of \$3,000 below the budget estimate.

The Committee has approved \$25,000 for the 1976 bicentennial exhibit rather than the \$28,000 requested in the budget estimate.

NATIONAL FOUNDATION ON THE ARTS AND THE HUMANITIES

SALARIES AND EXPENSES

Appropriation, 1972	\$54,286,000
Estimate, 1973	76,314,000
Recommended, 1973	74,714,000
Comparison:	
Appropriation, 1972	+20,428,000
Estimate, 1973	-1,600,000

The bill provides a total appropriation of \$74,714,000 for activities under this appropriation account. This is a reduction of \$1,600,000 below the budget estimate.

The following tabulation reflects the distribution of funds as provided in the bill:

Activity	1972 Appropriation	1973 Budget Estimate	Committee Bill, 1973	Increase or Decrease
National Endowment for the Arts:				
Grants-in-aid to groups or individuals	\$20,750,000	\$28,625,000	\$28,025,000	-\$600,000
Grants-in-aid to states	5,500,000	6,875,000	6,875,000	
National Endowment for the Humanities:				
Grants and loans to individuals and groups	24,500,000	35,500,000	34,500,000	-1,000,000
Administrative expenses	3,536,000	5,314,000	5,314,000	
Total	54,286,000	76,314,000	74,714,000	-1,600,000

MATCHING GRANTS

Appropriation, 1972	\$7,000,000
Estimate, 1973	7,000,000
Recommended, 1973	7,000,000
Comparison:	
Appropriation, 1972	
Estimate, 1973	

Funds provided under this appropriation account are available for matching in an amount equal to the total amount of gifts, bequests, and devises of money, and other property received by each Endowment during the current and preceding fiscal years, for which equal amounts have not previously been appropriated.

SMITHSONIAN INSTITUTION

SALARIES AND EXPENSES

Appropriation, 1972	\$44,701,000
Estimate, 1973	54,683,000
Recommended, 1973	51,682,000
Comparison:	
Appropriation, 1972	+6,981,000
Estimate, 1973	-3,001,000

The amount recommended by the Committee compared with the 1972 appropriation and the 1973 budget estimate by activity is as follows:

Activity	Committee bill, 1973	Bill compared with—	
		1972 Appropriation	Estimate, 1973
Science	\$18,099,000	+\$2,025,000	-\$592,000
History and art	7,092,000	+1,402,000	-1,086,000
Public service	1,182,000	+235,000	-45,000
Special programs	3,818,000	-913,000	-490,000
Documentation and conservation	2,352,000	+568,000	-95,000
Administrative and central support	7,190,000	+564,000	-119,000
Buildings management department	12,323,000	+1,648,000	-200,000
Within-grade pay increases	-200,000	-200,000	-200,000
Increased pay costs	-24,000	-24,000	-24,000
Travel	-150,000	-150,000	-150,000
Total, salaries and expenses	51,682,000	+6,981,000	-3,001,000

MUSEUM PROGRAMS AND RELATED RESEARCH

(SPECIAL FOREIGN CURRENCY PROGRAM)

Appropriation, 1972	\$3,500,000
Estimate, 1973	6,000,000
Recommended, 1973	4,000,000
Comparison:	
Appropriation, 1972	+500,000
Estimate, 1973	-2,000,000

This appropriation item is to provide for the Special Foreign Currency Program of awarding grants to American universities, museums, or other institutions of higher learning, interested in conducting research in foreign countries.

The reduction of \$2,000,000 below the budget estimate includes decreases of \$397,232 for Archeology and Related Disciplines; \$1,397,768 for Systematic and Environmental Biology; and \$205,000 for Museum Programs.

SCIENCE INFORMATION EXCHANGE

Appropriation, 1972	\$1,600,000
Estimate, 1973	1,650,000
Recommended, 1973	1,600,000
Comparison:	
Appropriation, 1972	
Estimate, 1973	-50,000

The Science Information Exchange receives, organizes, and disseminates information about research in progress in the life, physical, and social sciences. Its mission is to assist the planning and management of research activities supported by Government and non-Government agencies and institutions by promoting the exchange of information that concerns subject matter, distribution, level of effort, and other data pertaining to current research in the pre-publication stage.

The reduction of \$50,000 below the budget estimate relates to increased pay costs.

CONSTRUCTION AND IMPROVEMENTS, NATIONAL ZOOLOGICAL PARK

Appropriation, 1972.....	\$200, 000
Estimate, 1973.....	675, 000
Recommended, 1973.....	675, 000
Comparison:	
Appropriation, 1972.....	+475, 000
Estimate, 1973.....	

The amount recommended under this appropriation item is for the capital improvement program at the National Zoological Park.

RESTORATION AND RENOVATION OF BUILDINGS

Appropriation, 1972.....	\$550, 000
Estimate, 1973.....	5, 409, 000
Recommended, 1973.....	5, 064, 000
Comparison:	
Appropriation, 1972.....	+4, 514, 000
Estimate, 1973.....	-345, 000

The reduction of \$345,000 consists of decreases of \$145,000 for renovation of the Arts and Industries Building; \$100,000 for planning a National Museum of History and Technology library addition; and \$100,000 for feasibility studies on parking and the National Museum of Natural History Research Center.

CONSTRUCTION

Appropriation, 1972.....	\$1, 900, 000
Estimate, 1973.....	40, 275, 000
Recommended, 1973.....	13, 000, 000
Comparison:	
Appropriation, 1972.....	+11, 100, 000
Estimate, 1973.....	-27, 275, 000

CONTRACT AUTHORITY

Appropriation, 1972.....	
Estimate, 1973.....	
Recommended, 1973.....	\$27, 000, 000
Comparison:	
Appropriation, 1972.....	+27, 000, 000
Estimate, 1973.....	+27, 000, 000

The Committee considered a total budget estimate of \$40,275,000 for Construction. This included \$275,000 for planning of the Bicentennial Park at Fort Foote, Maryland, and Jones Point, Virginia; and \$40,000,000 for the National Air and Space Museum.

The Committee has not approved \$275,000 for planning of the Bicentennial Park in view of the fact that legislative authority for this project has not yet been enacted.

While the Committee recommends construction of the National Air and Space Museum at a total cost of \$40,000,000, the accompanying bill provides an appropriation of only \$13,000,000 for this purpose.

In addition, the Committee has granted contract authority in the amount of \$27,000,000. The Committee will expect the additional cash requirements to be requested on a phased basis, thus giving the Committee an opportunity to have reasonable overview of the construction of the museum as the work progresses.

The Committee directs that before any funds are obligated for construction of this project, a thorough and intensive traffic study be performed under the aegis of the National Capital Planning Commission to determine the extent to which construction of the Air and Space Museum will further aggravate traffic congestion in this particular area of the Mall. The Committee expects to receive a copy of the report. In the event the report should reveal reasonable probability of undue traffic congestion resulting from this project, construction of the Museum shall be delayed until adequate remedial provisions are provided.

NATIONAL GALLERY OF ART

SALARIES AND EXPENSES

Appropriation, 1972.....	\$4, 841, 000
Estimate, 1973.....	5, 420, 000
Recommended, 1973.....	5, 420, 000
Comparison:	
Appropriation, 1972.....	+579, 000
Estimate, 1973.....	

The bill provides \$5,420,000, the budget estimate, for salaries and expenses of the National Gallery of Art.

The National Gallery of Art receives, holds, and administers works of art acquired for the Nation by the Gallery's Board of Trustees; maintains and administers the Gallery building so as to give maximum care and protection to art treasures and to enable these works of art to be exhibited regularly to the public without charge.

WOODROW WILSON INTERNATIONAL CENTER FOR SCHOLARS

SALARIES AND EXPENSES

Appropriation, 1972.....	\$695, 000
Estimate, 1973.....	841, 000
Recommended, 1973.....	800, 000
Comparison:	
Appropriation, 1972.....	+105, 000
Estimate, 1973.....	-41, 000

The Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars was authorized by Public Law 90-637, approved October 24, 1968, as the Nation's official living memorial to the 28th President. It sponsors a continuous advanced scholar, international fellowship program on various social and scientific subjects of special interest in the world of today.

The budget estimate requested \$462,000 for the Fellowship program; the Committee recommends \$421,000 for this activity, a reduction of \$41,000.



FRANKLIN DELANO ROOSEVELT MEMORIAL COMMISSION

Appropriation, 1972	\$37, 000
Estimate, 1973	38, 000
Recommended, 1973	38, 000
Comparison:	
Appropriation, 1972	+ 1, 000
Estimate, 1973	

The Committee recommends an appropriation of \$38,000, the budget estimate, for the Franklin Delano Roosevelt Memorial Commission as authorized by Public Law 91-398, approved September 8, 1970. This appropriation will provide funds for the execution of preliminary plans to develop the approved site of the Memorial.

NATIONAL COUNCIL ON INDIAN OPPORTUNITY

SALARIES AND EXPENSES

Appropriation, 1972	\$275, 000
Estimate, 1973	300, 000
Recommended, 1973	290, 000
Comparison:	
Appropriation, 1972	+ 15, 000
Estimate, 1973	- 10, 000

The bill provides \$290,000, a reduction of \$10,000 below the budget estimate, for the National Council on Indian Opportunity.

The function of the Council is to encourage full use of programs to benefit the Indian population.

FEDERAL METAL AND NONMETALLIC MINE SAFETY BOARD OF REVIEW

SALARIES AND EXPENSES

Appropriation, 1972	\$167, 000
Estimate, 1973	167, 000
Recommended, 1973	160, 000
Comparison:	
Appropriation, 1972	- 7, 000
Estimate, 1973	- 7, 000

The Committee recommends an appropriation of \$160,000, a reduction of \$7,000 below the budget estimate, for the Federal Metal and Nonmetallic Mine Safety Board of Review which was established by Section 10 of the Federal Metal and Nonmetallic Mine Safety Act (30 U.S.C. 721-740).

The adjudicative duties of the Board, in docketed cases, involve the hearing and determination of applications filed by mine operators seeking annulment or revision of, and temporary relief from, orders issued by the Secretary of the Interior under Sections 8 and 9 of the Act.

The Committee is informed that to date, no appeals have been made to the Board for hearing.

JOINT FEDERAL-STATE LAND USE PLANNING COMMISSION FOR ALASKA

SALARIES AND EXPENSES

Appropriation, 1972	\$125, 000
Estimate, 1973	1, 500, 000
Recommended, 1973	708, 800
Comparison:	
Appropriation, 1972	+ 583, 800
Estimate, 1973	- 791, 200

The Joint Federal-State Land Use Planning Commission for Alaska was established by the Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act (P.L. 92-203). Under the Act the Federal Government will pay 50% of the Commission's expenses and the State Government will pay 50%.

The Committee recommends an appropriation of \$708,800, a reduction of \$791,200 below the budget estimate. Based on information furnished the Committee, the amount provided in the bill will be ample to match the funds which the State of Alaska proposes to furnish in fiscal year 1973.

LEGISLATIVE PROVISIONS

The following legislative provisions not heretofore carried in connection with any appropriation bill are recommended:

On page 6, in connection with Construction, Bureau of Indian Affairs:

Provided further, That not to exceed \$1,470,000 shall be for assistance to the Rough Rock School on the Navajo Indian Reservation, Arizona; that not to exceed \$950,000 shall be for assistance to the Ramah School on the Navajo Indian Reservation, New Mexico; that not to exceed \$70,000 shall be for assistance to the Brockton High School on the Fort Peck Indian Reservation, Montana; that not to exceed \$85,000 shall be for assistance to the Lodge Grass School on the Crow Indian Reservation, Montana; and that not to exceed \$200,000 for planning school construction shall be available, with the approval of the Secretary, for assistance to public school districts, having substantial Indian enrollment.

On page 15, in connection with Administrative Provisions, Geological Survey:

payment of contributions to the International Federation of Surveyors;

On page 15, in connection with Conservation and Development of Mineral Resources, Bureau of Mines:

of which \$6,000,000 shall remain available until expended.

On page 16, in connection with Health and Safety, Bureau of Mines:

of which \$13,000,000 shall remain available until expended.

On page 26, in connection with Forest Land Management, Forest Service:

implementation of forest advanced logging and conservation systems including necessary research and development related thereto,

On page 31, in connection with Administrative Provisions, Forest Service:

: Provided, That this limitation shall not apply to research acquisition at Madison, Wisconsin; and (g) expenses incident to acquisition

by donation of land, waters, or interests in land or waters, pursuant to the Act of August 3, 1956 (7 U.S.C. 428a).

On page 37, in connection with Construction, Smithsonian Institution:

That in addition, the Administrator of the General Services Administration is authorized to enter into contracts in an amount not to exceed \$27,000,000 for the purposes hereof: Provided further,

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PERMANENT NEW BUDGET (OBLIGATIONAL) AUTHORITY—FEDERAL FUNDS

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Budget Appendix Page No.	Agency and Item (1)	New budget (obligational) ¹ authority, 1972 (2)	Budget estimate of new (obligational) authority, 1973 (3)	Increase (+) or decrease (-) (4)
	Department of the Interior—Indefinite: ²			
	Payments to State and local governments:			
545	Payments to States (proceeds of sales)-----	\$251, 000	\$284, 000	+ \$33, 000
545	Payment of royalties to Oklahoma-----		1, 000	+ 1, 000
545	Payments to States from grazing receipts, public lands-----	977, 000	1, 093, 000	+ 116, 000
545	Coos Bay Wagon Road grant lands, payments to Coos Bay and Douglas Counties, Oreg., in lieu of taxes-----	525, 000	525, 000	-----
545	Oregon and California grant lands, payment to counties-----	31, 867, 000	38, 000, 000	+ 6, 133, 000
545	Mineral leasing, payment to States-----	56, 931, 000	57, 780, 000	+ 849, 000
545	Payment to counties, national grasslands, Bureau of Land Management-----	150, 000	220, 000	+ 70, 000
554	Claim and treaty obligations, Bureau of Indian Affairs-----	161, 000	161, 000	-----
555	Acquisition of lands and loans to Indians in Oklahoma, Act of June 26, 1936-----	10, 000	10, 000	-----

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF NEW BUDGET (OBLIGATIONAL) AUTHORITY FOR 1972 AND THE BUDGET ESTIMATES FOR 1973—Continued

PERMANENT NEW BUDGET (OBLIGATIONAL) AUTHORITY—FEDERAL FUNDS—Continued

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	Department of the Interior—Indefinite²—Continued			
587	Educational expenses, children of employees, Yellowstone National Park.....	255, 000	313, 000	+ 58, 000
587	Payments to State of Wyoming, in lieu of taxes on lands in Grand Teton National Park, National Park Service.....	23, 000	23, 000	-----
563	Internal Revenue collections for Virgin Islands, Territorial Affairs.....	16, 078, 534	17, 169, 000	+ 1, 090, 466
579	Payment to counties under Migratory Bird Conservation Act.....	2, 517, 034	2, 580, 000	+ 62, 966
	Subtotal.....	109, 745, 568	118, 159, 000	+ 8, 413, 432
	Receipts applied to operations:			
545	Expenses, Public Land Administration Act.....	1, 139, 000	1, 122, 000	- 17, 000
545	Litter prevention and clean-up, Bureau of Land Management.....	100, 000	100, 000	-----
555	Operation and maintenance revenue, Indian irrigation systems.....	4, 130, 000	4, 130, 000	-----

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555	Power revenues, Indian irrigation projects.....	3, 280, 000	3, 280, 000	-----
577	Migratory bird conservation fund.....	7, 000, 000	7, 000, 000	-----
579	Management of national wildlife refuges and enforcement activities.....	1, 482, 966	1, 420, 000	- 62, 966
579	Expenses, incident to sale of refuge products.....	500, 000	500, 000	-----
	Subtotal.....	17, 631, 966	17, 552, 000	- 79, 966
	Mixed receipts:			
	Federal aid in fish restoration and management:			
579	Payments to States.....	\$13, 429, 245	\$13, 350, 700	- \$78, 545
579	Applied to operations.....	873, 800	949, 300	+ 75, 500
	Federal aid in wildlife restoration:			
579	Payments to States.....	34, 347, 089	40, 737, 000	+ 6, 389, 911
579	Applied to operations.....	2, 357, 000	2, 263, 000	- 94, 000
	Subtotal.....	51, 007, 134	57, 300, 000	+ 6, 292, 866
	Contract authority:			
542	Public lands development roads and trails, Bureau of Land Management.....	10, 000, 000	-----	- 10, 000, 000
547	Education and welfare services, Bureau of Indian Affairs (Indefinite).....	1, 500, 000	1, 500, 000	-----

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PERMANENT NEW BUDGET (OBLIGATIONAL) AUTHORITY—FEDERAL FUNDS—Continued

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	Department of the Interior—Indefinite ² —Continued -Con.			
552	Road construction, Bureau of Indian Affairs.....	30,000,000		-30,000,000
560	Land and water conservation, Bureau of Outdoor Recreation.....	30,000,000	30,000,000	
584	Parkway and road construction, National Park Service.....	50,000,000		-50,000,000
	Subtotal.....	121,500,000	31,500,000	-90,000,000
	Total, Department of the Interior.....	299,884,668	224,511,000	-75,373,668
	Department of Agriculture—Forest Service—Definite:			
210	Forest roads and trails (contract authority).....	170,000,000		-170,000,000

See footnotes at end of table.

	Payments to States and local governments (indefinite):			
214	Payments to States, national forests fund (25 percent fund).....	56,648,064	85,693,750	+29,045,686
214	Payments to Minnesota (Cook, Lake, and St. Louis Counties).....	259,038	260,000	+962
214	Payments to counties, national grasslands.....	537,500	553,750	+16,250
214	Payments to school funds, Arizona and New Mexico.....	69,316	75,000	+5,684
	Subtotal.....	227,513,918	86,582,500	-140,931,418
	Receipts applied to operations:			
214	Expenses, brush disposal (indefinite).....	14,000,000	14,000,000	
214	Roads and trails for States (10 percent fund) (indefinite).....	\$22,661,542	\$34,280,000	+\$11,618,458
214	Forest fire prevention (Smokey Bear) (indefinite).....	200,000	200,000	
214	Restoration of forest lands and improvements (indefinite).....	50,000	50,000	
	Subtotal.....	36,911,542	48,530,000	+11,618,458
	Total, Department of Agriculture—Forest Service.....	264,425,460	135,112,500	-129,312,960
	The John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts.....	700,000		-700,000
	Total, permanent new budget (obligational) author- ity, Federal funds.....	565,010,128	359,623,500	-205,386,628

¹ Some amounts are estimated and therefore subject to change.
² Exclusive of Bonneville Power Administration, Bureau of Reclamation, Southeastern Power Administration, Southwestern Power Administration, Alaska Power Admin-

istration, and Underground Electric Power Transmission Research (which will be considered in connection with the Public Works for Water and Power Development and Atomic Energy Commission appropriation bill).

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PERMANENT NEW BUDGET (OBLIGATIONAL) AUTHORITY—TRUST FUNDS

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Budget Appendix Page No.	Agency and item (1)	New budget (obligational) authority, 1972 (2)	Budget estimate of new (obligational) authority, 1973 (3)	Increase (+) or decrease (—) (4)
	Department of the Interior—Indefinite: ¹			
547	Deposits by individuals for surveying public lands.....	\$60, 000	\$60, 000	-----
547	Administration and protection of grazing districts.....	600, 000	600, 000	-----
547	Trust funds, Alaska townsites, Bureau of Land Manage- ment.....	5, 000	5, 000	-----
558	Indian moneys, proceeds of labor, agencies, schools, etc....	4, 408, 000	4, 408, 000	-----
558	Funds contributed for Indian projects.....	90, 000	90, 000	-----
558	Bequest of George C. Edgeter, relief of indigent Indians....	2, 000	2, 000	-----
557	Miscellaneous trust funds of Indian tribes ²	72, 669, 000	52, 005, 000	—\$20, 664, 000
588	Donations, National Park Service.....	1, 497, 460	2, 997, 460	+1, 500, 000
588	Birthplace of Abraham Lincoln, preservation of, National Park Service.....	2, 540	2, 540	-----
573	Contributed funds, Bureau of Mines.....	1, 300, 000	1, 300, 000	-----

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580	Contributed funds, Bureau of Sport Fisheries and Wildlife..	1, 663, 000	1, 663, 000	-----
612	Cooperation with foreign agencies, Office of Saline Water...	818, 652		—818, 652
612	Office of Saline Water (appropriation to liquidate contract authority).....	(2, 561, 348)		(—2, 561, 348)
	Total, Department of the Interior.....	83, 115, 652	63, 133, 000	—19, 982, 652
217	Department of Agriculture—Forest Service, cooperative work (indefinite).....	42, 000, 000	42, 000, 000	-----
	Other agencies—Indefinite:			
902	American Revolution Bicentennial Commission: Gifts and donations.....		550, 000	+550, 000
913	National Capital Planning Commission: Advances from the District of Columbia.....	140, 000	140, 000	-----
918	National Foundation on the Arts and the Humanities: Gifts and donations.....	9, 119, 000	7, 000, 000	—2, 119, 000
	Smithsonian Institution:			
949	Canal Zone biological area fund.....	35, 000	37, 000	+2, 000
410	Contributions, Indian sanitation facilities.....	689, 000	762, 000	+73, 000
	Total, other agencies.....	9, 983, 000	8, 489, 000	—1, 494, 000
	Grand total, permanent new budget (obligational) authority, trust funds.....	135, 098, 652	113, 622, 000	—21, 476, 652

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eastern Power Administration, Southwestern Power Administration, Alaska Power
Administration and Underground Electric Power Transmission Research (which will be

considered in connection with the Public Works for Water and Power Development
and Atomic Energy Commission appropriation bill).
² Annual appropriation required;

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TITLE I—DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR					
PUBLIC LAND MANAGEMENT					
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT					
Management of lands and resources-----	\$88,654,000	\$84,057,000	\$77,980,000	—\$10,674,000	—\$6,077,000
Construction and maintenance-----	4,827,000	7,965,000	7,965,000	+3,138,000	-----
Public lands development roads and trails (appropriation to liquidate contract authority)-----	(3,200,000)	(3,265,000)	(3,265,000)	(+65,000)	-----
Oregon and California grant lands (indefinite, appropriation of receipts)-----	19,000,000	16,700,000	16,700,000	—2,300,000	-----
Range improvements (indefinite, appropriation of receipts)-----	2,523,000	3,059,000	2,800,000	+277,000	—259,000
Total, Bureau of Land Management -----	115,004,000	111,781,000	105,445,000	—9,559,000	—6,336,000

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BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS					
Education and welfare services-----	273,094,000	296,627,000	297,468,000	+24,374,000	+841,000
Education and welfare services (appropriation to liquidate contract authority)-----	(693,000)	(1,500,000)	(1,500,000)	(+807,000)	-----
Resources management-----	75,764,000	83,734,000	84,316,000	+8,552,000	+582,000
Construction-----	43,715,500	48,092,000	55,384,000	+11,668,500	+7,292,000
Road construction (appropriation to liquidate contract authority)-----	(33,600,000)	(45,539,000)	(45,539,000)	(+11,939,000)	-----
Alaska native fund-----	12,500,000	50,000,000	50,000,000	+37,500,000	-----
General administrative expenses-----	6,161,000	6,358,000	6,200,000	+39,000	—158,000
Tribal funds (definite)-----	3,000,000	3,000,000	3,000,000	-----	-----
Tribal funds (indefinite)-----	13,173,000	13,505,000	13,505,000	+332,000	-----
Total, Bureau of Indian Affairs -----	427,407,500	501,316,000	509,873,000	+82,465,500	+8,557,000
BUREAU OF OUTDOOR RECREATION					
Salaries and expenses-----	3,949,000	4,203,000	4,150,000	+201,000	—53,000
LAND AND WATER CONSERVATION FUND					
Appropriation of receipts (indefinite)-----	361,500,000	300,000,000	300,000,000	—61,500,000	-----
TERRITORIAL AFFAIRS					
Administration of territories-----	21,699,000	22,375,000	22,375,000	+676,000	-----
Permanent appropriation (special fund)-----	(367,000)	(469,000)	(469,000)	(+102,000)	-----

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TITLE I—DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR—Continued					
PUBLIC LAND MANAGEMENT—Continued					
TERRITORIAL AFFAIRS—Continued					
<i>Transferred from other accounts (special fund)-----</i>	<i>(\$458,360)</i>	<i>(\$470,000)</i>	<i>(\$470,000)</i>	<i>(+\$11,640)</i>	-----
Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands-----	59,980,000	60,000,000	60,000,000	+20,000	-----
Micronesian claims fund-----	5,000,000	-----	-----	-5,000,000	-----
Total, Territorial Affairs-----	86,679,000	82,375,000	82,375,000	-4,304,000	-----
Total, Public Land Management-----	994,539,500	999,675,000	1,001,843,000	+7,303,500	+\$2,168,000
MINERAL RESOURCES					
GEOLOGICAL SURVEY					
Surveys, investigations, and research-----	131,050,000	150,800,000	150,000,000	+18,950,000	-800,000
BUREAU OF MINES					
Conservation and development of mineral resources-----	49,858,000	55,291,000	58,491,000	+8,633,000	+3,200,000

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Health and safety-----	81,851,000	95,374,000	95,374,000	+13,523,000	-----
General administrative expenses-----	2,013,000	2,008,000	2,000,000	-13,000	-8,000
Helium fund (authorization to spend from public debt receipts)-----	45,300,000	-----	-----	-45,300,000	-----
Total, Bureau of Mines-----	179,022,000	152,673,000	155,865,000	-23,157,000	+3,192,000
OFFICE OF COAL RESEARCH					
Salaries and expenses-----	30,650,000	45,330,000	42,330,000	+11,680,000	-3,000,000
OFFICE OF OIL AND GAS					
Salaries and expenses-----	1,570,000	1,558,000	1,558,000	-12,000	-----
Total, Mineral Resources-----	342,292,000	350,361,000	349,753,000	+7,461,000	-608,000
FISH AND WILDLIFE AND PARKS					
BUREAU OF SPORT FISHERIES AND WILDLIFE					
Management and investigations of resources-----	66,883,000	74,552,000	73,529,500	+6,646,500	-1,022,500
Construction-----	7,226,000	6,258,000	-----	-7,226,000	-6,258,000
Migratory bird conservation account (definite, repayable advance)-----	7,500,000	7,100,000	7,100,000	-400,000	-----
Anadromous and Great Lakes fisheries conservation-----	2,332,000	2,333,000	2,333,000	+1,000	-----
General administrative expenses-----	2,240,000	2,332,000	2,250,000	+10,000	-82,000
Total, Bureau of Sport Fisheries and Wildlife-----	86,181,000	92,575,000	85,212,500	-968,500	-7,362,500

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TITLE I—DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR—Continued					
FISH AND WILDLIFE AND PARKS—Con.					
NATIONAL PARK SERVICE					
Management and protection-----	\$71, 756, 000	\$89, 937, 000	\$88, 671, 000	+\$16, 915, 000	-\$1, 266, 000
Maintenance and rehabilitation of physical facilities-----	57, 557, 000	73, 198, 000	73, 312, 000	+15, 755, 000	+114, 000
Construction-----	75, 752, 000	42, 233, 000	41, 711, 000	-34, 041, 000	-522, 000
<i>Parkway and road construction (appropriation to liquidate contract authority)-----</i>	<i>(24, 188, 000)</i>	<i>(20, 222, 000)</i>	<i>(5, 766, 000)</i>	<i>(-18, 422, 000)</i>	<i>(-14, 456, 000)</i>
Preservation of historic properties-----	8, 369, 000	10, 124, 000	11, 624, 000	+3, 255, 000	+1, 500, 000
General administrative expenses-----	4, 052, 000	4, 175, 000	4, 140, 000	+88, 000	-35, 000
Total, National Park Service-----	217, 486, 000	219, 667, 000	219, 458, 000	+1, 972, 000	-209, 000
Total, Fish and Wildlife and Parks--	303, 667, 000	312, 242, 000	304, 670, 500	+1, 003, 500	-7, 571, 500
OFFICE OF SALINE WATER					
Saline water conversion-----	27, 025, 000	27, 021, 000	26, 871, 000	-154, 000	-150, 000

OFFICE OF WATER RESOURCES RESEARCH					
Salaries and expenses-----	14, 290, 000	14, 304, 000	16, 344, 000	+2, 054, 000	+2, 040, 000
OFFICE OF THE SOLICITOR					
Salaries and expenses-----	6, 967, 000	7, 031, 000	7, 000, 000	+33, 000	-31, 000
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY					
Salaries and expenses-----	¹ 10, 948, 900	16, 412, 000	15, 419, 000	+4, 470, 100	-993, 000
Departmental operations-----	² 3, 746, 100	4, 066, 000	4, 066, 000	+319, 900	-----
Salaries and expenses (special foreign currency program)-----	500, 000	1, 000, 000	750, 000	+250, 000	-250, 000
Total, Office of the Secretary-----	15, 195, 000	21, 478, 000	20, 235, 000	+5, 040, 000	-1, 243, 000
Total, new budget (obligational) authority, Department of the Interior-----	1, 703, 975, 500	1, 732, 112, 000	1, 726, 716, 500	+22, 741, 000	-5, 395, 500
Consisting of—					
Appropriations-----	1, 658, 675, 500	1, 732, 112, 000	1, 726, 716, 500	+68, 041, 000	-5, 395, 500
Definite appropriations-----	(1, 262, 479, 500)	(1, 398, 848, 000)	(1, 393, 711, 500)	(+131, 232, 000)	(-5, 136, 500)
Indefinite appropriations-----	(396, 196, 000)	(333, 264, 000)	(333, 005, 000)	(-63, 191, 000)	(-259, 000)
Authorization to spend from public debt receipts-----	45, 300, 000	-----	-----	-45, 300, 000	-----
Memoranda—					
Appropriations to liquidate contract authority-----	(61, 681, 000)	(70, 526, 000)	(56, 070, 000)	(-5, 611, 000)	(-14, 456, 000)
Total, new budget (obligational) authority and appropriations to liquidate contract authority-----	(1, 765, 656, 500)	(1, 802, 638, 000)	(1, 782, 786, 500)	(+17, 130, 000)	(-19, 851, 500)

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TITLE II—RELATED AGENCIES					
DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE					
FOREST SERVICE					
Forest protection and utilization:					
Forest land management.....	\$297, 095, 300	\$246, 749, 000	\$257, 872, 000	—\$39, 223, 300	+\$11, 123, 000
Forest research.....	54, 587, 000	57, 278, 000	59, 268, 000	+4, 681, 000	+1, 990, 000
State and private forestry cooperation.....	27, 759, 000	27, 760, 000	27, 760, 000	+1, 000	-----
Total, forest protection and utilization.....	379, 441, 300	331, 787, 000	344, 900, 000	—34, 541, 300	+13, 113, 000
Construction and land acquisition.....	35, 703, 200	37, 980, 000	43, 953, 900	+8, 250, 700	+5, 973, 900
Youth conservation corps.....	3, 500, 000	3, 500, 000	3, 500, 000	-----	-----
Forest roads and trails (appropriation to liquidate contract authority).....	(148, 740, 000)	(158, 840, 000)	(158, 840, 000)	(+10, 100, 000)	+5, 000, 000

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Acquisition of lands for national forests: Special acts (special fund, indefinite).....	80, 000	80, 000	80, 000	-----	-----
Acquisition of lands to complete land exchanges.....	26, 035	-----	-----	—26, 035	-----
Cooperative range improvements (special fund, indefinite).....	700, 000	700, 000	700, 000	-----	-----
Assistance to States for tree planting.....	1, 028, 000	1, 027, 000	1, 020, 000	—8, 000	—7, 000
Total, new budget (obligational) authority, Forest Service.....	420, 478, 535	375, 074, 000	394, 153, 900	—26, 324, 635	+19, 079, 900
COMMISSION OF FINE ARTS					
Salaries and expenses.....	124, 000	135, 000	135, 000	+11, 000	-----
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, EDUCATION, AND WELFARE					
HEALTH SERVICES AND MENTAL HEALTH ADMINISTRATION					
Indian health services.....	155, 333, 000	166, 540, 000	169, 787, 000	+14, 454, 000	+3, 247, 000
Indian health facilities.....	30, 442, 000	43, 689, 000	44, 099, 000	+13, 657, 000	+410, 000
Total, Health Services and Mental Health Administration.....	185, 775, 000	210, 229, 000	213, 886, 000	+28, 111, 000	+3, 657, 000
INDIAN CLAIMS COMMISSION					
Salaries and expenses.....	1, 045, 000	1, 090, 000	1, 090, 000	+45, 000	-----
NATIONAL CAPITAL PLANNING COMMISSION					
Salaries and expenses.....	1, 300, 000	1, 428, 000	1, 425, 000	+125, 000	—3, 000

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TITLE II—RELATED AGENCIES—Con.					
NATIONAL FOUNDATION ON THE ARTS AND THE HUMANITIES					
SALARIES AND EXPENSES					
Endowment for the arts.....	\$26, 250, 000	\$35, 500, 000	\$34, 900, 000	+ \$8, 650, 000	— \$600, 000
Endowment for the humanities.....	24, 500, 000	35, 500, 000	34, 500, 000	+ 10, 000, 000	— 1, 000, 000
Administrative expenses.....	3, 536, 000	5, 314, 000	5, 314, 000	+ 1, 778, 000	-----
Subtotal, salaries and expenses.....	54, 286, 000	76, 314, 000	74, 714, 000	+ 20, 428, 000	— 1, 600, 000
MATCHING GRANTS					
Endowment for the arts.....	3, 500, 000	3, 500, 000	3, 500, 000	-----	-----
Endowment for the humanities.....	3, 500, 000	3, 500, 000	3, 500, 000	-----	-----
Subtotal, matching grants.....	7, 000, 000	7, 000, 000	7, 000, 000	-----	-----
Total, National Foundation on the Arts and the Humanities.....	61, 286, 000	83, 314, 000	81, 714, 000	+ 20, 428, 000	— 1, 600, 000

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SMITHSONIAN INSTITUTION					
Salaries and expenses.....	44, 701, 000	54, 683, 000	51, 682, 000	+ 6, 981, 000	— 3, 001, 000
Museum programs and related research (special foreign currency program).....	3, 500, 000	6, 000, 000	4, 000, 000	+ 500, 000	— 2, 000, 000
Science information exchange.....	1, 600, 000	1, 650, 000	1, 600, 000	-----	— 50, 000
Construction and improvements, National Zoological Park.....	200, 000	675, 000	675, 000	+ 475, 000	-----
Restoration and renovation of buildings.....	550, 000	5, 409, 000	5, 064, 000	+ 4, 514, 000	— 345, 000
Construction.....	1, 900, 000	40, 275, 000	13, 000, 000	+ 11, 100, 000	— 27, 275, 000
Construction (new contract authority).....	-----	-----	27, 000, 000	+ 27, 000, 000	+ 27, 000, 000
Construction (appropriation to liquidate contract authority).....	(3, 697, 000)	-----	-----	(— 3, 697, 000)	-----
Salaries and expenses, National Gallery of Art.....	4, 841, 000	5, 420, 000	5, 420, 000	+ 579, 000	-----
Salaries and expenses, Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars.....	695, 000	841, 000	800, 000	+ 105, 000	— 41, 000
Total, Smithsonian Institution.....	57, 987, 000	114, 953, 000	109, 241, 000	+ 51, 254, 000	— 5, 712, 000
HISTORICAL AND MEMORIAL COMMISSIONS					
Franklin Delano Roosevelt Memorial Commission.....	37, 000	38, 000	38, 000	+ 1, 000	-----
NATIONAL PARKS CENTENNIAL COMMISSION					
Salaries and expenses.....	250, 000	-----	-----	— 250, 000	-----

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TITLE II—RELATED AGENCIES—Con.					
NATIONAL COUNCIL ON INDIAN OPPORTUNITY					
Salaries and expenses.....	\$275, 000	\$300, 000	\$290, 000	+\$15, 000	—\$10, 000
FEDERAL METAL AND NONMETALLIC MINE SAFETY BOARD OF REVIEW					
Salaries and expenses.....	167, 000	167, 000	160, 000	—7, 000	—7, 000
JOINT FEDERAL-STATE LAND USE PLANNING COMMISSION FOR ALASKA					
Salaries and expenses.....	125, 000	1, 500, 000	708, 800	+583, 800	—791, 200
Total, new budget (obligational) authority, Related Agencies.....	728, 849, 535	788, 228, 000	802, 841, 700	+73, 992, 165	+14, 613, 700
Consisting of—					
Appropriations.....	728, 849, 535	788, 228, 000	775, 841, 700	+46, 992, 165	—12, 386, 300
Definite appropriations.....	(728, 069, 535)	(787, 448, 000)	(775, 061, 700)	(+46, 992, 165)	(—12, 386, 300)
Indefinite appropriations.....	(780, 000)	(780, 000)	(780, 000)		

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New contract authority.....			27, 000, 000	+27, 000, 000	+27, 000, 000
Memoranda—					
Appropriations to liquidate contract authority.....	(152, 437, 000)	(158, 840, 000)	(158, 840, 000)	(+6, 403, 000)	
Total, new budget (obligational) authority and appropriations to liquidate contract authority.....	(881, 286, 535)	(947, 068, 000)	(961, 681, 700)	(+80, 395, 165)	(+14, 613, 700)
RECAPITULATION					
Grand total, new budget (obligational) authority, all titles.....	2, 432, 825, 035	³ 2, 520, 340, 000	2, 529, 558, 200	+96, 733, 165	+9, 218, 200
Consisting of—					
Appropriations.....	2, 387, 525, 035	2, 520, 340, 000	2, 502, 558, 200	+115, 033, 165	—17, 781, 800
Definite appropriations.....	(1, 990, 549, 035)	(2, 186, 296, 000)	(2, 168, 773, 200)	(+178, 224, 165)	(—17, 522, 800)
Indefinite appropriations.....	(396, 976, 000)	(334, 044, 000)	(333, 785, 000)	(—63, 191, 000)	(—259, 000)
New contract authority.....			27, 000, 000	+27, 000, 000	+27, 000, 000
Authorization to spend from public debt receipts.....	45, 300, 000			—45, 300, 000	
Memoranda—					
Appropriations to liquidate contract authority.....	(214, 118, 000)	(229, 366, 000)	(214, 910, 000)	(+792, 000)	(—14, 456, 000)
Grand total, new budget (obligational) authority and appropriations to liquidate contract authority.....	(2, 646, 943, 035)	(2, 749, 706, 000)	(2, 744, 468, 200)	(+97, 525, 165)	(—5, 237, 800)

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¹ In addition, \$3,746,100 reappropriated to "Departmental Operations" (Public Law 92-184).
² Reappropriated from "Office of the Secretary, Salaries and expenses" (Public Law 92-184).

³ Includes budget estimates contained in H. Doc. 92-267 and H. Doc. 92-275.

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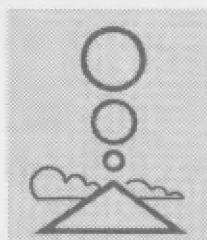
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BY BRUCE DAVIES

WASHINGTON, D.C.--(AIPA)--Indians living in the cities away from the reservations have grown to be the predominant segment of the Indian population, according to figures recently released by the U.S. Census Bureau.

And those same figures show a startling gap between the economic and educational situations of urban and reservation Indians.

In economic terms, urban Indian people live much better than those who remain on the reservations. In Los Angeles, Calif., the median or average yearly income for Indian families in 1970 was \$8,342, and only 19.3 percent of the Indian residents there lived under the poverty income level. Another significant figure shows that 6,851 Indian residents of Los Angeles were employed as private wage and salary workers, and 949 held jobs in government.

Two other areas with large urban Indian populations, Tulsa, Okla., and San Francisco, Calif., showed similar levels of earnings. In Tulsa, the average annual Indian family income was \$8,054, and 18.7 percent of Indians living there were under the poverty level. Indians who gained their wages and salaries from the private sector numbered 4,080, and 701 were government workers. In San Francisco, an Indian family earned \$8,790 a year, and 20.6 percent lived under the poverty level; 3,072 Indians were listed as workers in the private sector, and 803 were listed as government workers.

A startling discrepancy appears when urban Indian average family incomes and areas of employment are compared with the same figures for the reservations.

On the two largest reservations, the Navajo Reservation and the Oglala Sioux Reservation, family incomes are much lower, and a much larger segment of the Indian working force is employed by the federal government or tribal government. On the Navajo Reservation, the average family income in 1970 was \$3,084, and on the Oglala Sioux Reservation it was \$3,912. That is almost \$5,000 less than an average Indian family in San Francisco would earn.

Also, at Navajo 64.5 percent of the people lived under the poverty income level. The same figure on the Oglala Sioux was 55.4 percent. Of the Navajo labor force, 3,518 were listed as private wage and salary workers, and 4,636 as government workers. At Oglala Sioux, the figures were 768 private sector workers, 705 in government.

The average age of the urban Indian, 22.6 years, is four years older than the average reservation resident at 18.6 years. Urban Indians on the average received more education than their reservation counterparts. The average number of school years completed by urban Indians was 11.4 years, compared to 8.5 years for reservation individuals. Nearly 43.5 percent of urban Indians had completed high school studies, while 22.9 percent of reservation people graduated. The education figures tend to show that the relocation efforts of the Bureau of Indian Affairs (BIA) in the 1950s and 1960s succeeded better than the BIA itself expected in drawing young Indians off the reservations into the nation's cities.

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Of all the major Indian tribes in the United States, only the Pueblos of New Mexico and the Crow Tribe of Montana still have a large majority of their members, approximately 70 percent, still living in reservation communities. Of the three largest reservation-based tribes, 61.9 percent of Navajos live on reservations, 53.4 percent of the Sioux, and 32.6 percent of the Chippewa.

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WASHINGTON, D.C.--(AIPA)--According to recently released U.S. Census Bureau figures, the following cities have the largest urban Indian populations:

Los Angeles-Long Beach, Calif.....	23,908
Tulsa, Okla.....	15,183
Oklahoma City, Okla.....	12,951
San Francisco, Calif.....	12,041
Phoenix, Ariz.....	10,127
New York City, N.Y.....	9,984
Minneapolis-St. Paul, Minn.....	9,911
Seattle-Everett, Wash.....	8,814
Tucson, Ariz.....	8,704
Chicago, Ill.....	8,203
San Diego, Calif.....	6,007
San Bernadina-Riverside, Ontario, Calif...	5,941
Albuquerque, N.M.....	5,882
Buffalo, N.Y.....	5,606
Dallas, Tex.....	5,500
Detroit, Mich.....	5,203

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September 23, 1974

MEMORANDUM FOR:

GEORGE BLUE SPRUCE

SUBJECT:

Letter from Illinois State
Representative Bruce Douglas

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Do you have such a broad information sheet on the eligibilities available for urban Indians, including CETA and housing etc? If not, would you at least give him some of the specific statutory citations and xerox the pages from the right statutes so he knows where to start? I would appreciate it if you would write him on the President's behalf (with a copy sent back to me) and mention my conversation with him.

Please also discuss the possibility of a meeting, either in Chicago or Washington.

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August 14, 1974

Honorable Gerald Ford
President of the United States
Washington, D. C.

Dear President Ford:

*Good
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I am writing to you as a representative of what may well be the largest urban American Indian community in the United States, and as Chairman of an American Indian Committee of the Illinois State House of Representatives.

As you know, the plight of the urban Native American has received only minimal attention from the federal government. The Bureau of Indian Affairs of the Department of the Interior has concentrated its greatest efforts on those Indians who reside on reservations, and, to a limited extent, to the Indians who leave the reservations, but only for a brief period of time.

I would sincerely appreciate knowing what the posture of your administration will be on the issue of THE URBAN NATIVE AMERICAN.

I would encourage you to ask a re-evaluation of the federal government's role in assisting such people to achieve an equal social and economic opportunity role in society. I would also ask that you stress the importance of carrying programs for the Indian population that are traditionally for residents of reservations to the cities to which many Indians are migrating. I know that the Indian Health Service of the Department of Health Education and Welfare is starting to move in that direction, and I would like to see similar efforts made in the fields of housing, treatment of alcoholism, and other areas of particular concern to this segment of our population.

Thank you for your attention to this matter, and best wishes to you for a very successful administration.

Sincerely,

Bruce L. Douglas
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