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Measure Description:

Makes continuing appropriation to Water Resources Department for purpose of issuing grants for capital costs related to construction of dam to supersede Big Creek Dam Number 1 and Big Creek Dam Number 2 near City of Newport.

Government Unit(s) Affected:

Water Resources Department (WRD), Cities

Analysis:

This fiscal impact statement is for the purpose of transmitting the measure from the Senate Committee on Environment and Natural Resources to the Senate Committee on Rules.

The legislation appropriates \$44 million General Fund in the 2019-21 biennium to the Water Resources Department for the purpose of issuing grants to the City of Newport for land acquisition, design services, construction or other capital costs relating to the construction of a dam to supersede the dams commonly known as Big Creek Dam Number 1 and Big Creek Dam Number 2. The Water Resources Department is directed to certify the project no later than sixty days after project completion and revert any unobligated balance of the appropriation to the General Fund.

A more complete fiscal analysis on the measure will be prepared as the measure is considered in the Senate Committee on Rules.

Further Analysis Required