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Philadelphia District

PROJECT FACTSHEET

**Blue Marsh Lake
Leesport, PA**

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CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICTS: Rep. Holden (PA-17)

APPROPRIATION / PHASE:
Operation & Maintenance, General

BUSINESS PROGRAM:
Flood Damage Reduction

LOCATION: Tulpehocken Creek, Schuylkill River Basin

DESCRIPTION: The project, adopted as HD 87 522 in the Flood Control Act of 1962 provides for multiple purpose development for water supply, flood control, and recreation. It consists of an earth and rockfill dam; a spillway south of the dam and gate controlled outlet works discharging through a conduit on rock along the right abutment. The dam site is located on Tulpehocken Creek about 1 1/2 miles upstream from its confluence with Plum Creek and about six miles northwest of Reading, PA.

BUDGET

DATA (\$000)		ARRA	Comments
FY 04	2,446		
FY 05	2,503		
FY 06	2,308		
FY 07	2,439		
FY 08	2,882		
FY 09	2,540	369	

COMMENTS: Project operation is covered by an EIS prepared as part of initial construction.

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