

HOUSE BILL 569

57TH LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - FIRST SESSION, 2025

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AN ACT

MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE NAVAJO-GALLUP WATER SUPPLY
PROJECT REGIONAL WATER LINE BEACON-BISTI-N9, CUTTER LATERAL
371/INTERSTATE 40 PROJECT.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO:

SECTION 1. APPROPRIATION.--Ten million dollars
(\$10,000,000) is appropriated from the general fund to the
department of environment for expenditure in fiscal years 2026
through 2028 to plan, design and construct the Navajo-Gallup
water supply project regional water line Beacon-Bisti-N9,
Cutter Lateral 371/interstate 40 project that will provide a
water supply critical to the community. Beacon-Bisti-N9 is a
multi-phased regional project that will serve the following
twelve Navajo chapters: Coyote Canyon, Tse'ii'ahi',
Nahodishgish, Crownpoint, Becenti, Lake Valley, White Rock,

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1 Little Water, Casamero Lake, Smith Lake, Baca/Prewitt and
2 Thoreau. Any unexpended or unencumbered balance remaining at
3 the end of fiscal year 2028 shall revert to the general fund.

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