

# Flood Management Grant Program & Boise River Management Tool

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## **Flooding - A State-Wide Issue**









## Flood Management Grant Program Update















## Grant Program Funding & Authority: H 712 (2018), H 285 (2019), H 646 (2020)

- One-time appropriations from general fund to IDWR Water Management Fund:
  - **2018 \$1,000,000**
  - **2019 \$ 800,000**
  - **2020 \$ 800,000**
  - grant program administered by the Water Resource Board
- fifty percent (50%) match required
- statewide competitive grants for:
  - flood-damaged stream channel repair
  - stream channel improvement
  - flood risk reduction
  - flood prevention projects



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<u>Grants</u>	Cost Share	Project Cost
\$1,000,000	\$1,925,282	\$2,925,282
\$ 869,696	\$1,851,329	\$2,721,025
<u>\$ 860,983</u>	\$1,706,465	\$2,567,448
\$2,730,679 ( <b>33%</b> )	\$5,483,075 ( <b>67%</b> )	\$8,213,755
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#### **Grantees & Other Project Contributors**

- 1. Grantee
- 2. Stakeholders
- 3. FEMA
- 4. NRCS
- 5. Corps of Engineers
- 6. Bureau of Reclamation
- 7. 319 Grants
- 8. Local Governments & Agencies

#### Flood Management Grant Program: Statewide Projects



## **Flood Response – During the Flood**









## **Flood Recovery – After the Flood**



### Flood Risk Reduction – Before the Flood (an ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure)



## **Boise River Management Tool (BRMT)**



Purpose:

- 1. 2-D hydraulic model for Boise River management (Diversion Dam to Snake River)
- 2. Demonstration for use in other watersheds

<u>Steps</u>:

- 1. LiDAR data acquisition, processing & reporting
- 2. Model Development, Calibration & Documentation
- 3. Boise River Management Plan
- 4. BRMP/BRMT Deployment & Training

Multiple Water Management Uses:

- 1. Flood Management & Land Use Planning
- 2. Instream Structure Assessment & protection
- 3. Water Quality Management
- 4. Aquatic Habitat and Management
- 5. Plan, Manage, and Maintain Recreational River Uses
- 6. Groundwater-Surface Water Interactions

## **BRMT Need: River Hydraulics Drive Flood Risk**



Sustainable, cost-efficient river management requires an in-depth scientific understanding of river hydrodynamics and the impacts of natural and manmade changes in the riverine environment

## **BRMT Need: Flood Risk Challenges**



## **BRMT Participants/Contributors**



1.	Flood Control District #10		\$100,000
2.	Idaho Water Resource Board		\$160,000
3.	U.S. Army Corps of Engineers		\$ 333,996
4.	USDA – NRCS		\$ 34,500
5.	City of Boise		\$ 25,000
6.	City of Caldwell		\$ 18,000
7.	City of Eagle		\$ 25,000
8.	Garden City		\$ 10,000
9.	City of Middleton		\$ 5,000
10.	Eagle Sewer District		\$ 25,000
11.	Ada County Highway District		\$ 50,000
12.	Treasure Valley Water Users Assoc.		\$ 10,000
13.	Pioneer Irrigation District		<u>\$ 3,000</u>
	-	<b>TOTAL TO DATE:</b>	\$799,496

## **BRMT: Boise River Management Plan (BRMP)**



- Promote Public Access to Boise River LiDAR & BRMT
- > Coordinate use of BRMT for River Management & Land Use Planning

#### > Flood Management:

- 1. <u>Flood Risk Reduction</u>. Reduce/mitigate the risk of flooding in the Boise River Valley.
- 2. <u>Flood Response</u>. Enhance flood response to minimize flood damage.
- 3. Flood Recovery. Increase long-term benefits from flood recovery projects
- Promote Public Awareness of Boise River Geomorphology & Hydrodynamics

#### **BRMT/BRMP** Implementation

- > **Deployment**: availability of BRMT (LiDAR data & 2-D Model)
- ➤ Training: train stakeholders to use BRMT
- > Interagency Use: coordinated use of BRMT in river management & land use planning
- BRMT Maintenance: continue development & updating



### **BRMT Step 1: Bathymetric (Green) LiDAR**





Full Waveform topo-bathymetric Airborne Lidar



### **BRMT: Bathymetric (Green) LiDAR**

#### **New Dry Creek Diversion**

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## **BRMT Step 2: 2-D Hydraulic Model**

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## Building a 2D Hydraulic Model

- 1. Create terrain (LiDAR)
- 2. Develop mesh
- 3. Apply terrain, roughness, and structures to mesh
- 4. Simulate flooding across the mesh

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#### **Flood Risk at Diversion Structures**

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- Simulate flooding impacts
  - Past floods
  - Future flooding
- Quantify risk to structures
  - Frequency of overtopping
  - Consequence- inundation, scour, deposition
  - Short-term vs Long-term inundations
  - Bank breach or avulsion risk
- Design or develop measures and procedures to address flood risk
- Demonstrate compliance with Floodplain Regulations

### BRMT: FCD 10 2020 Lidar Uses & Modeling – Glenwood St.

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### BRMT: FCD 10 2020 Lidar Uses & Modeling – Eagle Rd.

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#### BRMT: FCD 10 2020 Lidar Uses & Modeling – Eagle Rd.

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### BRMT: FCD 10 2020 Lidar Uses & Modeling – Canyon Reach 1

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### BRMT: FCD 10 2020 Lidar Uses & Modeling – Canyon Reach 1

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Canyon Reach, Near Caldwell, ID, 2017 Flood **Simulation -**

## **BRMT Management Uses**

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- Flood Management & Land Use Planning
- Instream Structure Assessment & protection
- Plan, Manage, and Maintain Recreational River Uses
- Groundwater-Surface Water Interactions
- Water Quality Management
- Aquatic Habitat and Management

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## **Developing a Similar Tool for Your Waters**

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- 1. Engage multiple stakeholders and develop funding plan
- 2. Collect LiDAR and other data
- 3. Model Development, Calibration & Documentation
- 4. Management Plan
- 5. Deployment & Training

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