

Reclamation Manual

Directives and Standards

1. At a minimum, the Lease of Power Privilege (LOPP) Lead will ensure that the following topic areas are considered for study based on project requirements:
 - A. public and dam safety impacts/modifications (Note: the Bureau of Reclamation reserves the right to conduct or direct these activities including design, construction, and construction inspection at the cost of the lessee);
 - B. site characteristics and existing facilities;
 - C. land rights, including but not limited to acquisitions, easements, leases, licenses, consent documents, and other use authorizations;
 - D. hydraulics and hydrology;
 - E. sedimentation study;
 - F. water rights;
 - G. project features and design;
 - H. power production;
 - I. environmental analysis suitable for Reclamation's use in the National Environmental Policy Act, National Historic Preservation Act, Endangered Species Act compliance, and other statutory compliance;
 - J. safety assessment;
 - K. physical security and cybersecurity assessment;
 - L. operation and maintenance plan; and
 - M. project development plan and construction schedule.
2. Additional studies may be requested by the LOPP Lead.