

REQUEST FOR RECORDS DISPOSITION AUTHORITY (See Instructions on reverse)	
TO: NATIONAL ARCHIVES and RECORDS ADMINISTRATION (NIR) WASHINGTON, DC 20408	
1. FROM (Agency or establishment) Water Resources Council	
2. MAJOR SUBDIVISION National Programs and Assessment Task Group	
3. MINOR SUBDIVISION	
4. NAME OF PERSON WITH WHOM TO CONFER Steve Russ	5. TELEPHONE 713-6630

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JOB NUMBER N1.315.95.1	
DATE RECEIVED 10.28.94	
NOTIFICATION TO AGENCY	
In accordance with the provisions of 44 U.S.C. 3303a the disposition request, including amendments, is approved except for items that may be marked "disposition not approved" or "withdrawn" in column 10.	
DATE 2-15-95	ARCHIVIST OF THE UNITED STATES <i>Cindy Hunko Peterson</i>

6. AGENCY CERTIFICATION
I hereby certify that I am authorized to act for this agency in matters pertaining to the disposition of its records and that the records proposed for disposal on the attached ___ page(s) are not now needed for the business of this agency or will not be needed after the retention periods specified; and that written concurrence from the General Accounting Office, under the provisions of Title 8 of the GAO Manual for Guidance of Federal Agencies,

is not required; is attached; or has been requested.

DATE 10/28/94	SIGNATURE OF AGENCY REPRESENTATIVE <i>Henry J. Wadby</i>	TITLE Director, Records Appraisal Division
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7. ITEM NO.	8. DESCRIPTION OF ITEM AND PROPOSED DISPOSITION	9. GRS OR SUPERSEDED JOB CITATION	10. ACTION TAKEN (NARA USE ONLY)
	See attached sheet.		

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The Primary Water Resources Council
National Programs and Assessment Task Group
Second National Water Assessment

The Water Resources Council (WRC) was established by the Water Resources Act of 1965 (P.L. 89-80) to continually study water resources in the United States and periodically assess these resources in the light of present and future water requirements. The WRC conducted its first assessment in 1968. This initial project was followed by the Second National Water Assessment of 1978, conducted by the National Programs and Assessment Task Group.

1. Primary Water Resources Database for the Second National Water Assessment.

Incomplete analytical data collected on magnetic tapes and updated by the now defunct Second National Water Assessment of the Water Resources Council. Includes information collected for 21 major geographical areas and 106 water assessment subregions from Local, State and Federal Government sources. The reporting and updating of information was performed on the National Assessment Data Analysis System (NADAS-II). The database includes such variables as: total population, total employment, total cropland, total flood damages, total electric power generated by fuel source (fossil, nuclear, and hydropower), commercial navigation commodity flows and commodity origins (i.e. domestic trade systems), annual instream flow uses, flood damages (in dollars), recreation requirements by water surface area needs and developed land areas needs, and annual water requirements for offstream uses (e.g., agriculture, manufacturing, commercial, and public lands) - total withdrawals and total consumption. The baseline date for the data is 1975 with projected data for 1985 and 2000. Accession consists of six boxes containing 54 magnetic tapes and related documentation.

WNRC Accession Number: 315-81-14

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