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Wind River Basin Reservoir Operations

Water Supply Forecasts and Reservoir Operations

Prepared November 2026

End of October Storage: Bull Lake: 75,745 acre-feet Pilot Butte: 28,043 acre-feet

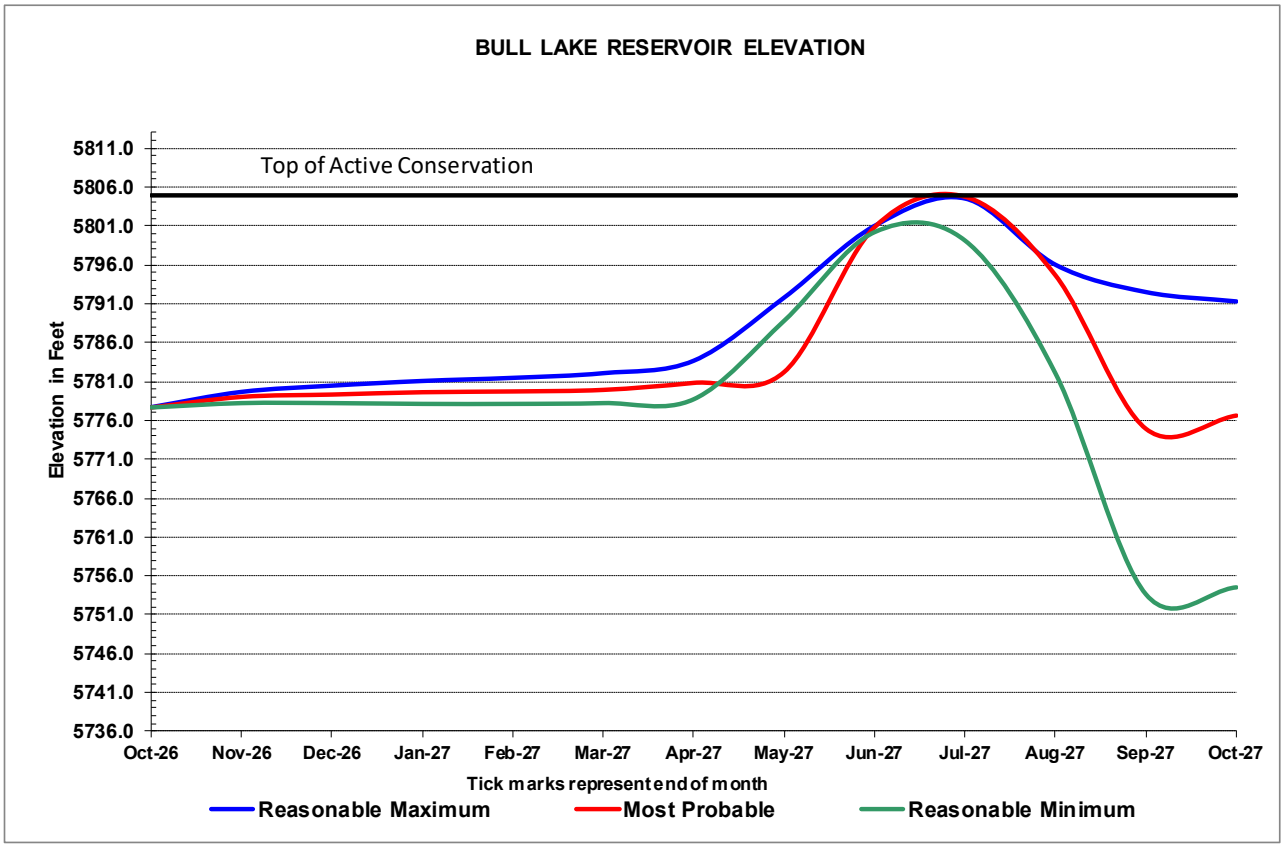
Bull Lake Actual Inflows (1,000 acre-feet):

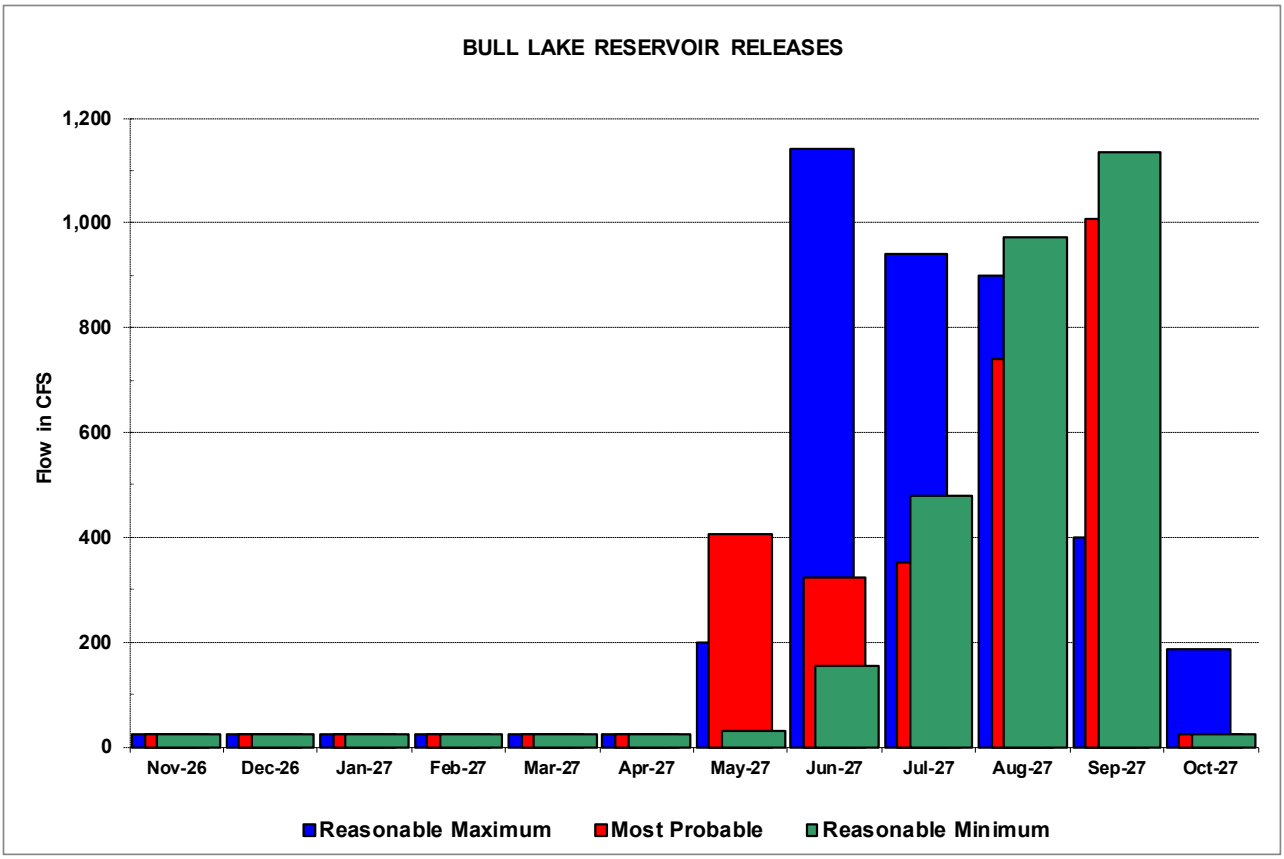
Month	Inflow	Percent of Normal
October 25	6.1	93
November 25	3.7	107
December 25	3.8	158
January 26	3.3	158
February 26	1.6	90
March 26	5.2	249
April 26	8.8	201
May 26	27.2	92
June 26	49.0	74
July 26	39.6	91
August 26	18.2	98
September 26	9.8	104
October 26	12.0	180

Wind River above Bull Lake Creek Actual Flows (1,000 acre-feet):

Month	Inflow	Percent of Normal
October 25	37.2	106
November 25	21.8	83
December 25	18.4	62
January 26	Ice	NA
February 26	14.1	NA
March 26	26.2	118
April 26	38.0	149
May 26	73.0	78
June 26	104.4	52
July 26	84.6	72
August 26	46.1	90
September 26	34.1	96
October 26	40.3	115

BULL LAKE RESERVOIR





Based on July 2026 Most Probable Expected Inflow Estimates

RIVERTON PROJECT OPERATING PLAN
Year Beginning Nov 2026

Bull Lake Reservoir Operations — Initial Content 75.7 Kaf — Operating Limits: Max 151.7 Kaf, 5804.76 Ft.; Min 25.0 Kaf, 5753.75 Ft.

		Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Total
Reservoir Inflow	kaf	5.0	2.2	2.2	1.8	1.9	3.9	28.4	71.9	33.6	15.2	7.7	5.5	179.3
Total Dam Release	kaf	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.4	1.5	1.5	24.9	19.3	21.7	45.5	59.9	1.5	181.8
Total Dam Release	cfs	25.	25.	25.	25.	25.	25.	405.	324.	353.	741.	1006.	25.	
Excess Release	kaf	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	23.4	17.8	20.2	3.3	0.0	0.0	64.7
End-month Content	kaf	79.2	79.9	80.5	80.9	81.3	83.7	87.2	139.8	151.7	121.4	69.2	73.2	
End-month Elevation	ft	5779.1	5779.4	5779.7	5779.8	5780.0	5780.9	5782.3	5800.9	5804.8	5794.7	5775.0	5776.7	
BLR Net Change	kaf	3.5	0.7	0.7	0.4	0.4	2.4	3.5	52.6	11.9	-30.3	-52.2	4.0	-2.5

Wind River		Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Total
Flow abv BL Creek	kaf	26.0	19.7	22.2	19.4	20.4	24.6	77.5	186.8	97.5	46.5	28.7	33.3	602.6
Crowheart Gage Flow	kaf	27.5	21.2	23.7	20.8	21.9	26.1	102.4	206.1	119.2	92.0	88.6	34.8	784.4
Flow Below Div Dam	kaf	27.5	21.2	23.7	20.8	21.9	8.7	47.7	141.4	41.8	28.1	18.3	34.6	435.8
Gain/Return Flow	kaf	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.8	7.4	7.1	7.4	6.1	5.4	0.0	38.2
Indian Irrigation	kaf	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.8	6.1	6.0	6.1	5.5	4.5	1.2	31.3
LeClair/Riverton	kaf	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.5	18.8	24.2	27.2	21.1	15.0	5.0	114.8
LeC/Riv Shortage	kaf	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Riverton Gage Flow	cfs	461.9	345.4	386.0	374.3	356.8	137.2	490.2	1989.4	257.8	124.4	70.0	462.0	

Wyoming Canal		Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Total
Total Diversion	kaf	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	17.4	54.7	64.7	77.4	63.9	70.3	0.2	348.6
North Canal Flow	kaf	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	9.8	26.4	31.2	33.0	36.1	27.0	0.0	163.5
North Canal Shortage	kaf	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Pilot Butte Reservoir Operations — Initial Content 28.0 Kaf — Operating Limits: Max 29.9 Kaf, 5459.98 Ft.; Min 10.0 Kaf, 5433.49 Ft.

		Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Total
Reservoir Inflow	kaf	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	7.6	28.3	33.5	44.4	27.8	43.3	0.2	185.1
Power Generated	mwh	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Pilot Canal Release	kaf	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	6.7	28.0	33.1	43.9	37.4	33.0	0.0	182.1
Pilot Canal Shortage	kaf	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
End-month Content	kaf	27.8	27.7	27.6	27.5	27.3	28.0	28.0	28.0	28.0	18.0	28.0	28.0	
PBR Net Change	kaf	-0.2	-0.1	-0.1	-0.1	-0.2	0.7	0.0	-0.0	0.0	-10.0	10.0	0.0	0.0
End-month Elevation	ft	5457.6	5457.5	5457.4	5457.3	5457.0	5457.8	5457.8	5457.8	5457.8	5445.5	5457.8	5457.8	

RIVERTON PROJECT OPERATING PLAN
Year Beginning Nov 2026

Bull Lake Reservoir Operations — Initial Content 75.7 Kaf — Operating Limits: Max 151.7 Kaf, 5804.76 Ft. Min 25.0 Kaf, 5753.75 Ft.

		Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Total
Reservoir Inflow	kaf	3.0	1.4	1.3	1.5	1.7	2.8	28.3	42.1	26.2	11.9	5.9	3.0	129.1
Total Dam Release	kaf	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.4	1.5	1.5	1.9	9.1	29.4	59.9	67.5	1.5	178.3
Total Dam Release	cfs	25.	25.	25.	25.	25.	25.	31.	154.	478.	974.	1135.	25.	
Excess Release	kaf	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
End-month Content	kaf	77.2	77.1	76.8	76.9	77.1	78.4	104.8	137.8	134.6	86.6	25.0	26.5	
End-month Elevation	ft	5778.3	5778.3	5778.2	5778.2	5778.3	5778.8	5788.9	5800.3	5799.2	5782.1	5753.7	5754.6	
BLR Net Change	kaf	1.5	-0.1	-0.2	0.1	0.2	1.3	26.4	33.0	-3.2	-48.0	-61.6	1.5	-49.2

Wind River		Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Total
Flow abv BL Creek	kaf	20.3	16.1	20.4	23.1	16.4	20.5	61.8	89.7	66.3	37.0	21.3	25.0	417.9
Crowheart Gage Flow	kaf	21.8	17.6	21.9	24.5	17.9	22.0	63.7	98.8	95.7	96.9	88.8	26.5	596.2
Flow Below Div Dam	kaf	21.8	17.6	21.9	24.5	17.9	4.7	21.9	27.2	30.3	24.8	16.5	20.1	249.1
Gain/Return Flow	kaf	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.8	7.4	7.1	7.4	6.1	5.4	0.0	38.2
Indian Irrigation	kaf	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.8	6.1	6.0	6.1	5.5	2.7	1.2	29.5
LeClair/Riverton	kaf	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.5	18.8	24.2	27.2	21.1	15.0	5.0	114.8
LeC/Riv Shortage	kaf	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Riverton Gage Flow	cfs	366.2	286.8	356.8	440.9	291.7	70.0	70.0	70.0	70.0	70.0	70.0	224.9	

Wyoming Canal		Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Total
Total Diversion	kaf	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	17.3	41.8	71.7	65.4	72.1	72.3	6.5	347.1
North Canal Flow	kaf	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	9.8	26.4	31.2	33.0	34.3	27.0	0.0	161.7
North Canal Shortage	kaf	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Pilot Butte Reservoir Operations — Initial Content 28.0 Kaf — Operating Limits: Max 29.9 Kaf, 5459.98 Ft. Min 2.0 Kaf, 5416.44 Ft.

		Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Total
Reservoir Inflow	kaf	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	7.5	15.4	40.5	32.4	37.8	45.3	6.5	185.4
Power Generated	mwh	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Pilot Canal Release	kaf	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	6.7	28.0	33.1	43.9	37.4	33.3	0.0	182.4
Pilot Canal Shortage	kaf	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
End-month Content	kaf	27.8	27.7	27.6	27.5	27.3	27.9	15.0	22.0	10.0	10.0	21.7	28.0	
PBR Net Change	kaf	-0.2	-0.1	-0.1	-0.1	-0.2	0.6	-12.9	7.0	-12.0	0.0	11.7	6.3	0.0
End-month Elevation	ft	5457.6	5457.5	5457.4	5457.3	5457.0	5457.7	5441.3	5450.7	5433.5	5433.5	5450.3	5457.8	

RIVERTON PROJECT OPERATING PLAN
Year Beginning Nov 2026

Bull Lake Reservoir Operations — Initial Content 75.7 Kaf — Operating Limits: Max 151.1 Kaf, 5804.57 Ft. Min 25.0 Kaf, 5753.75 Ft.

		Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Total
Reservoir Inflow	kaf	6.5	3.4	3.0	2.5	3.1	5.6	34.3	95.0	68.8	29.4	13.6	8.0	273.2
Total Dam Release	kaf	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.4	1.5	1.5	12.3	67.8	57.8	55.3	23.8	11.4	237.4
Total Dam Release	cfs	25.	25.	25.	25.	25.	25.	200.	1140.	940.	900.	400.	185.	
Excess Release	kaf	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	65.1	27.1	0.0	0.0	9.8	102.0
End-month Content	kaf	80.7	82.6	84.0	85.1	86.7	90.8	112.8	140.0	151.0	125.1	114.9	111.5	
End-month Elevation	ft	5779.7	5780.5	5781.1	5781.5	5782.1	5783.7	5791.8	5801.0	5804.5	5796.0	5792.5	5791.3	
BLR Net Change	kaf	5.0	1.9	1.5	1.1	1.6	4.1	22.0	27.2	11.0	-25.9	-10.2	-3.4	35.8

Wind River		Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Total
Flow abv BL Creek	kaf	32.5	41.9	34.7	22.9	24.5	27.9	139.3	333.4	214.4	77.4	50.1	43.6	1042.6
Crowheart Gage Flow	kaf	34.0	43.4	36.2	24.3	26.0	29.4	151.6	401.2	272.2	132.7	73.9	55.0	1280.0
Flow Below Div Dam	kaf	34.0	43.4	36.2	24.3	26.0	12.0	96.9	336.5	191.3	74.0	34.3	50.4	959.4
Gain/Return Flow	kaf	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.8	7.4	7.1	7.4	6.1	5.4	0.0	38.2
Indian Irrigation	kaf	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.8	6.1	6.0	6.1	5.5	4.5	1.2	31.3
LeClair/Riverton	kaf	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.5	18.8	24.2	27.2	21.1	15.0	5.0	114.8
LeC/Riv Shortage	kaf	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Riverton Gage Flow	cfs	571.2	706.4	589.3	437.3	423.5	192.6	1290.1	5268.8	2688.8	871.0	339.4	717.7	

Wyoming Canal		Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Total
Total Diversion	kaf	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	17.4	54.7	64.7	80.9	58.7	39.6	4.6	320.6
North Canal Flow	kaf	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	9.8	26.4	31.2	36.5	30.9	27.0	3.4	165.2
North Canal Shortage	kaf	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Pilot Butte Reservoir Operations — Initial Content 28.0 Kaf — Operating Limits: Max 29.9 Kaf, 5459.98 Ft. Min 10.0 Kaf, 5433.49 Ft.

		Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Total
Reservoir Inflow	kaf	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	7.6	28.3	33.5	44.4	27.8	12.6	1.2	155.4
Power Generated	mwh	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Pilot Canal Release	kaf	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	6.7	28.0	33.1	43.9	37.4	3.3	0.0	152.4
Pilot Canal Shortage	kaf	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
End-month Content	kaf	27.8	27.7	27.6	27.5	27.3	28.0	28.0	28.0	28.0	18.0	27.0	28.0	
PBR Net Change	kaf	-0.2	-0.1	-0.1	-0.1	-0.2	0.7	0.0	-0.0	0.0	-10.0	9.0	1.0	0.0
End-month Elevation	ft	5457.6	5457.5	5457.4	5457.3	5457.0	5457.8	5457.8	5457.8	5457.8	5445.5	5456.7	5457.8	