

ITEM ATTACHED TO PUBLIC WORK PROGRAM IS NOW READY TO SPEND

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WASHINGTON, July 14. (AP) Thirty eight million dollars, the largest single amount in the items of the public works program, has been awarded to the Boulder dam fund, it was revealed today, and this money will become immediately available for expenditure when and as needed.

The distribution of \$115,513,610 as the first step in the program to create a million new jobs by October 1, was revealed today and the Boulder dam item was among the first noticed.

DR. ELWOOD MEAD, reclamation commissioner, under whose department the Boulder dam is being constructed, said that this allotment would be used in place of the eight million dollars carried in the annual appropriation bill and that the latter sum would go back into the treasury.

Mead also said that the \$38,000,000 would allow work on the project to go on uninterrupted until the dam proper is completed, but that more funds would be needed to construct the power houses and appurtenant works.

IT IS EXPECTED, however, that some of the new fund will be used to purchase power generating machinery and that this would be possible much earlier than at first anticipated.

The bureau of reclamation at Denver reported that the new allotment of funds would speed work all along the line.