

Secretary concerned determines to be appropriate.

(Pub. L. 106–393, title III, §303, as added Pub. L. 110–343, div. C, title VI, §601(a), Oct. 3, 2008, 122 Stat. 3910.)

Editorial Notes

PRIOR PROVISIONS

A prior section 303 of Pub. L. 106–393 was set out in a note under section 500 of this title prior to repeal by Pub. L. 110–343, div. C, title VI, §601(a), Oct. 3, 2008, 122 Stat. 3893.

§ 7143a. Amounts obligated but unspent; prohibition on use of funds

(a) Amounts obligated but unspent

Any county funds that were obligated by the applicable participating county before October 1, 2017, but are unspent on October 1, 2020—

(1) may, at the option of the participating county, be deemed to have been reserved by the participating county on October 1, 2020, for expenditure in accordance with this subchapter; and

(2)(A) may be used by the participating county for any authorized use under section 7142(a) of this title; and

(B) on a determination by the participating county under subparagraph (A) to use the county funds, shall be available for projects initiated after October 1, 2020, subject to section 7144 of this title.

(b) Prohibition on use of funds

Notwithstanding any other provision of law, effective beginning on November 15, 2021, no county funds made available under this subchapter may be used by any participating county for any lobbying activity, regardless of the purpose for which the funds are obligated on or before that date.

(Pub. L. 106–393, title III, §304, as added Pub. L. 117–58, div. D, title XII, §41202(g)(2), Nov. 15, 2021, 135 Stat. 1134.)

Editorial Notes

PRIOR PROVISIONS

A prior section 304 of Pub. L. 106–393 was renumbered section 305 and is classified to section 7144 of this title.

Statutory Notes and Related Subsidiaries

WAGE RATE REQUIREMENTS

For provisions relating to rates of wages to be paid to laborers and mechanics on projects for construction, alteration, or repair work funded under div. D or an amendment by div. D of Pub. L. 117–58, including authority of Secretary of Labor, see section 18851 of Title 42, The Public Health and Welfare.

§ 7144. Termination of authority

(a) In general

The authority to initiate projects under this subchapter terminates on September 30, 2025.

(b) Availability

Any county funds not obligated by September 30, 2026, shall be returned to the Treasury of the United States.

(Pub. L. 106–393, title III, §305, formerly §304, as added Pub. L. 110–343, div. C, title VI, §601(a), Oct. 3, 2008, 122 Stat. 3910; amended Pub. L. 112–141, div. F, title I, §100101(a)(2), (10), July 6, 2012, 126 Stat. 905, 906; Pub. L. 113–40, §10(a)(3), Oct. 2, 2013, 127 Stat. 545; Pub. L. 114–10, title V, §524(d), Apr. 16, 2015, 129 Stat. 180; Pub. L. 115–141, div. O, title IV, §401(c), Mar. 23, 2018, 132 Stat. 1079; Pub. L. 116–94, div. I, title III, §301(c), Dec. 20, 2019, 133 Stat. 3021; renumbered §305 and amended Pub. L. 117–58, div. D, title XII, §41202(f), (g)(1), Nov. 15, 2021, 135 Stat. 1134.)

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AMENDMENTS

2021—Subsec. (a). Pub. L. 117–58, §41202(f)(1), substituted “2025” for “2022”.

Subsec. (b). Pub. L. 117–58, §41202(f)(2), substituted “2026” for “2023”.

2019—Subsec. (a). Pub. L. 116–94, §301(c)(1), substituted “2022” for “2020”.

Subsec. (b). Pub. L. 116–94, §301(c)(2), substituted “2023” for “2021”.

2018—Subsec. (a). Pub. L. 115–141, §401(c)(1), substituted “2020” for “2017”.

Subsec. (b). Pub. L. 115–141, §401(c)(2), substituted “2021” for “2018”.

2015—Subsec. (a). Pub. L. 114–10, §524(d)(1), substituted “2017” for “2013”.

Subsec. (b). Pub. L. 114–10, §524(d)(2), substituted “2018” for “2014”.

2013—Subsec. (a). Pub. L. 113–40, §10(a)(3)(A), substituted “2013” for “2012”.

Subsec. (b). Pub. L. 113–40, §10(a)(3)(B), substituted “2014” for “2013”.

2012—Subsec. (a). Pub. L. 112–141, §100101(a)(2), substituted “2012” for “2011”.

Subsec. (b). Pub. L. 112–141, §100101(a)(10), substituted “2013” for “2012”.

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SUBCHAPTER IV—MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS

§ 7151. Regulations

The Secretary of Agriculture and the Secretary of the Interior shall issue regulations to carry out the purposes of this chapter.

(Pub. L. 106–393, title IV, §401, as added Pub. L. 110–343, div. C, title VI, §601(a), Oct. 3, 2008, 122 Stat. 3910.)

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REFERENCES IN TEXT

This chapter, referred to in text, was in the original “this Act”, meaning Pub. L. 106–393, Oct. 30, 2000, 114 Stat. 1607, known as the Secure Rural Schools and Community Self-Determination Act of 2000, which is classified principally to this chapter. For complete classification of this Act to the Code, see Short Title note set out under section 7101 of this title and Tables.

PRIOR PROVISIONS

A prior section 401 of Pub. L. 106–393 was set out in a note under section 500 of this title prior to repeal by