

**Table 1-8. OBLIGATIONS OF APPROPRIATIONS RECEIVED,
FISCAL YEAR 2008**

Obligations of Appropriations Made to the Bureau of Land Management

<u>Appropriation Title</u>	<u>Amount Obligated</u>
Management of Lands and Resources	\$1,028,616,295
Federal Firefighting	523,023,538
Helium	131,432,894
Payments to States	128,866,638
Oregon and California Grant Lands	109,046,445
Southern Nevada Public Land Management /a/	92,725,193
Working Capital	51,230,098
Energy Act Funds /b/	23,334,607
Cost Recovery	22,739,160
Naval Oil Shale Reserve Restoration /c/	22,281,841
Forest Recovery and Restoration	16,519,602
Recreation, Support of Public Lands /d/	15,798,604
Trust	15,595,458
Construction and Access	14,471,963
Range Improvements	14,145,576
Land Acquisition	14,125,934
Calista Corporation Property Act /e/	4,405,711
Federal Land Transaction Facilitation Act /f/	2,953,653
Road Maintenance	2,445,144
Quarters	384,856
Lincoln County Land Act Land Sales /g/	325,760
Stewardship Contract Product Sales /h/	77,770
Federal Infrastructure improvement, from LWCF	—
Deschutes County Land Transaction	—
Total of BLM Appropriations Obligated	\$2,234,546,740

**Obligation of Appropriations Transferred from other Bureaus and Agencies to the
Bureau of Land Management**

<u>Appropriation Title</u>	<u>Amount Obligated</u>
Forest Protection and Utilization	\$4,248,700
Hazardous Materials	3,800,095
Federal Highways /i/	1,165,085
Natural Resource Damage Assessment /j/	979,503
Total of Transferred Appropriations Obligated	\$10,193,383
Grand Total of Obligations	\$2,244,740,123

**Table 1-8. OBLIGATIONS OF APPROPRIATIONS RECEIVED,
FISCAL YEAR 2008–concluded**

- /a/ In 2007, there was a one-time impact of \$458 million on obligations from Assistance Agreements (AA). Another principal factor in the 2008 decrease from 2007 was deobligation of \$46 million.
- /b/ Public Law 109-58, Energy Policy Act of 2005, established the Energy Act Funds as follows: Subtitle F, Federal Onshore Oil and Gas Leasing and Permitting Practices; Subtitle D, Transfer of Administrative Jurisdiction and Environmental Remediation of Naval Petroleum Reserve Numbered 2, in Kern County, California, to the Secretary of the Interior; and Subtitle B, Geothermal Energy.
- /c/ Significant additional work within this fund began in FY 2008.
- /d/ Funded from recreation fees and demonstration site collections to support public lands and recreation. Other recreation obligations are included in Management of Land and Resources.
- /e/ The Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act (ANCSA) requires the Department of the Treasury to establish a property account for Calista Corporation to facilitate land exchanges. Appropriations for this activity generally are received every other year.
- /f/ Public Law 106-248, Section 202, authorizes the BLM to sell land identified for disposition under its land use planning process and to exchange Federal land for non-Federal land if the exchange would be in the public interest.
- /g/ Public Law 106-298 authorizes the gross proceeds of sales of land to be distributed as follows: 5 percent for general education in the State of Nevada and Lincoln County; 10 percent for normal county budgeting procedures, with emphasis given to schools; and 85 percent of collections and the subsequent interest from investment for retention by the BLM and any other participating agencies.
- /h/ The Fiscal Year 2003 Omnibus Appropriations Bill (Public Law 108-7), Section 323, amended Section 347 of the Fiscal Year 1999 Appropriations Omnibus (Public Law 105-277), that originally granted the USDA Forest Service pilot stewardship contracting authority. It states, “Until September 30, 2013, the USDA Forest Service and the Bureau of Land Management, via agreement or contract as appropriate, may enter into stewardship contracting projects with private persons or other public or private entities to perform services to achieve land management goals for the national forests and the public lands that meet local and rural community needs.”
- /i/ Used for highway repairs and emergency road maintenance.
- /j/ Used to identify potential hazardous waste locations and to restore land and resource health at known hazardous waste sites.