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**Petroleum Tank Compensation Board Language**

Funding in the Petroleum Tank Compensation Board provides for the oversight of a subrogation program. The department is authorized to expend up to 25 % of the funds recovered under the subrogation program for the purpose to pay contract expenses related to the recovery of funds.

**DNRC Wrap Up Items**

**Reserved Water Right Compact Commission**

Issue: Commission set to sunset at the end of the biennium, some continuity is required for implementation.

Options – All options would be void if LC 2385 (extends commission to 2013) is passed and approved.

1. Move the funding for five FTE and operating costs from the RWRCC FY 2009 Budget to the Water Resources Division. This would allow the funds for the five FTE to be moved into Water Resources to establish an implementation unit.

2. Language to keep the issue on the table:

The RWRCC includes funding for development of a transition plan to address work load changes from negotiation to implementation of water compacts. The transition plan must be delivered to the Environmental Quality Council for review and approval by June 30, 2007.

3. Hold the issue for next session.

The executive could also utilize a reorganization to place the implementation staff in the water rights division.