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Lyle D. Myler

Wyoming Area Manager



Lyle D. Myler is the Area Manager for Reclamation's Wyoming Area Office based in Mills, Wyoming. He leads roughly 120 talented professionals to provide services throughout the state of Wyoming east of the Continental Divide and into western Nebraska.

Myler is responsible for the management of the area's portion of the Pick-Sloan Missouri Basin Program, the Shoshone Project in the Bighorn River Basin, and the North Platte and Kendrick Projects in the North Platte River Basin. The Wyoming Area Office annually provides approximately 2.8 million acre-feet of water releases. Water is supplied to 60 irrigation entities for irrigation of 680,000 acres of land and to 20 cities, municipalities, and companies for municipal and industrial purposes. An average of 800 gigawatt-hours of hydroelectric power generation is produced annually and supplies the needs of 73,000 households. The Wyoming Area Office manages over 500,000 acres of land for beneficial uses. Other benefits include flood control, fish and wildlife enhancement, and recreation.

Myler started in this position May 1, 2022. He has been with Reclamation for over 31 years and began his career as a Hydraulic Engineer with the Bureau of Reclamation at the Wyoming Area Office. Previously, Myler served as the Deputy Area Manager for the Wyoming Area Office for the Missouri Basin and Arkansas-Rio Grande-Texas-Gulf Regions for the past 12 years.

Myler entered federal service in 1990, where he was employed at the Wyoming Area Office and served in such capacities as a Water Scheduler in the Water Branch, Modeler in the Planning and Special Projects group, Resource Management Division Chief, and Deputy Area Manager. He has experience with reservoir operations, land and recreation management, Safety of Dams corrective actions, water accounting, contracting, environmental and cultural resource activities, and general power operation functions.

He has also overseen the Wyoming Area Office safety programs and administrative service functions.

A native of Idaho Falls, Idaho, Myler holds a Bachelor of Science degree in Civil Engineer with an emphasis in Water Resources from the University of Wyoming. Myler is married with six children and 17 grandchildren who all enjoy several seasonal outdoor activities, including boating, fishing, and camping at the reservoirs in Wyoming.

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