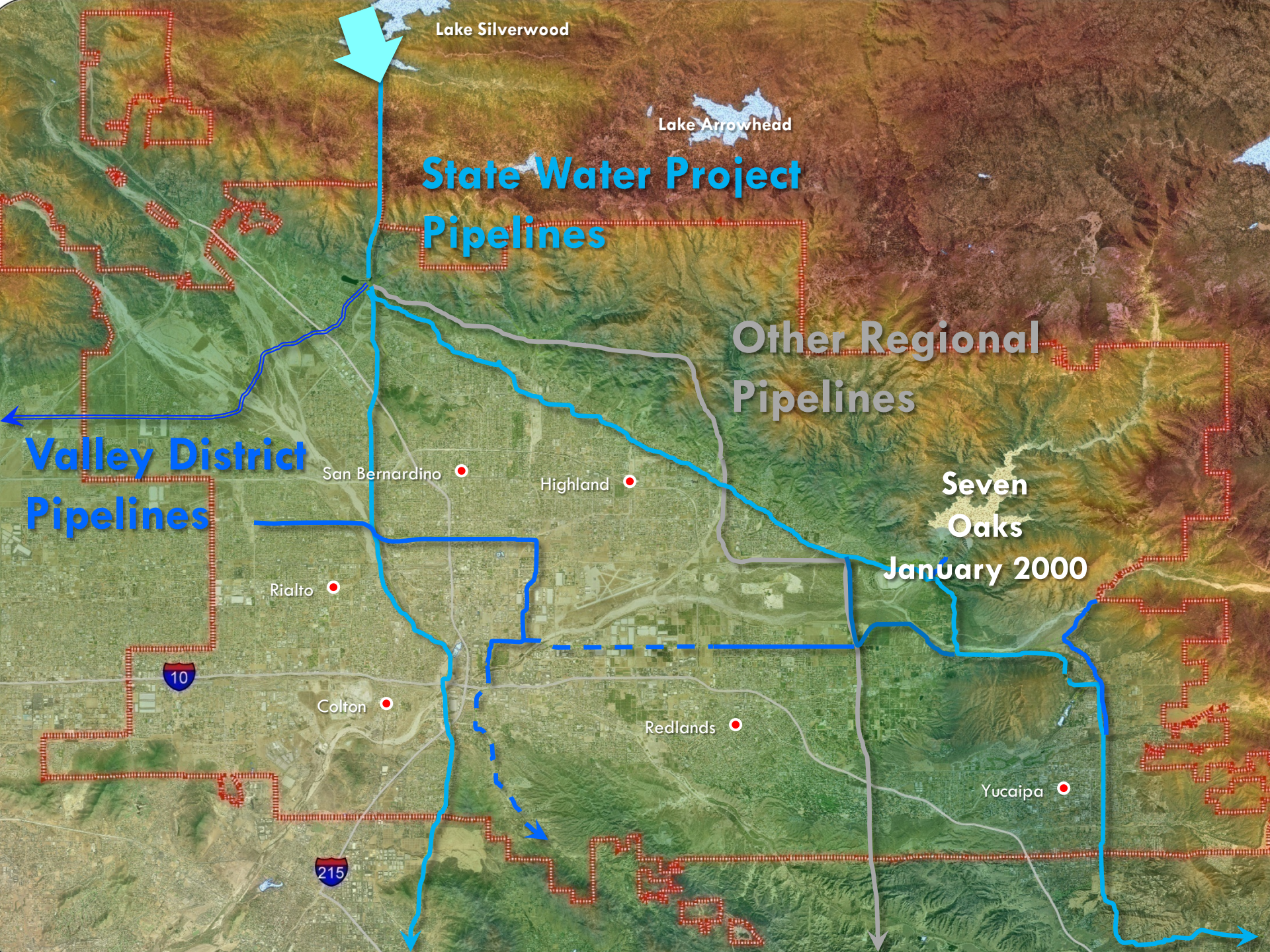


# Using Seven Oaks Dam for Water Supply



WATER | ENERGY | LIFE





Lake Silverwood

Lake Arrowhead

**State Water Project  
Pipelines**

**Other Regional  
Pipelines**

**Valley District  
Pipelines**

San Bernardino

Highland

Seven  
Oaks

January 2000

Rialto

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Colton

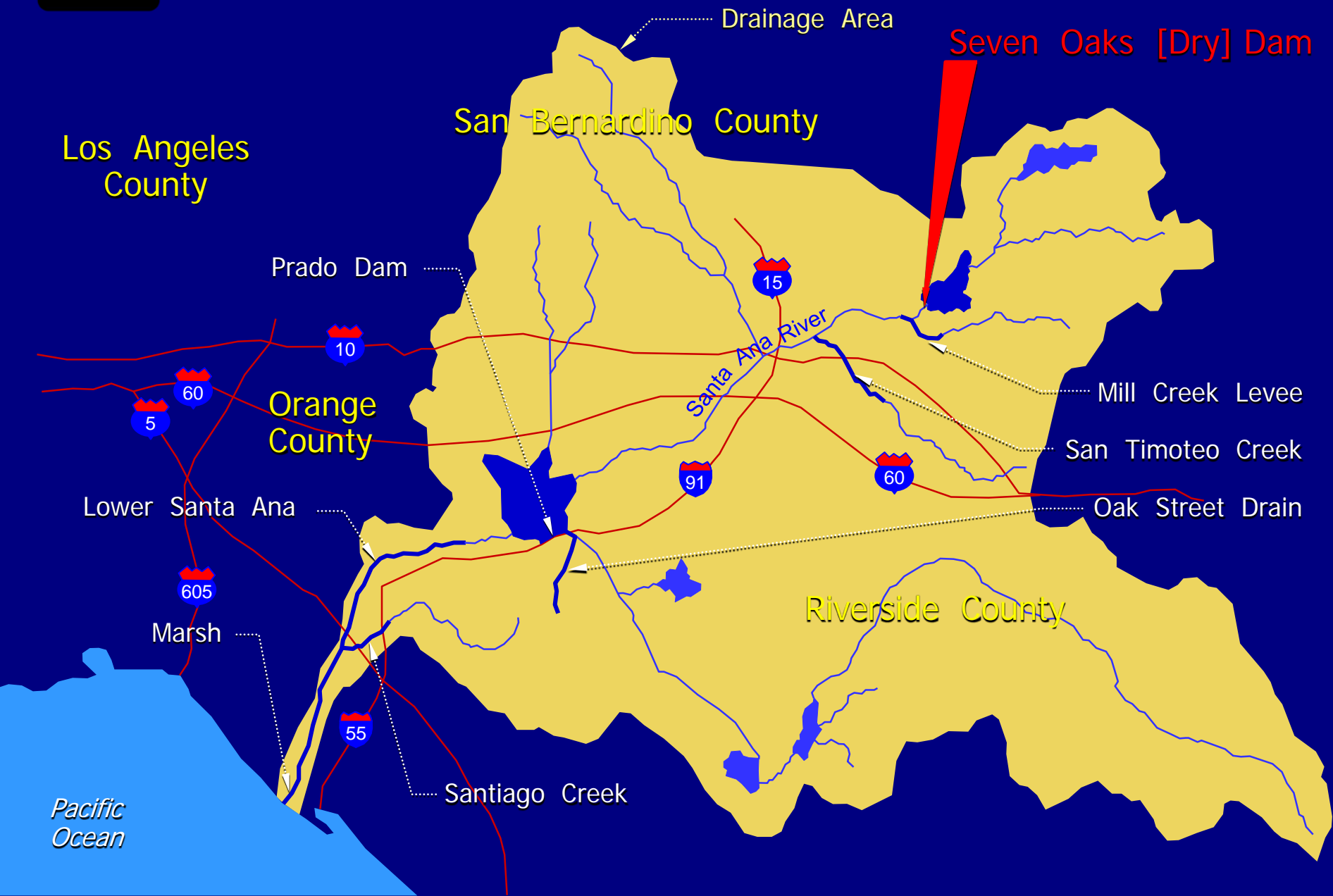
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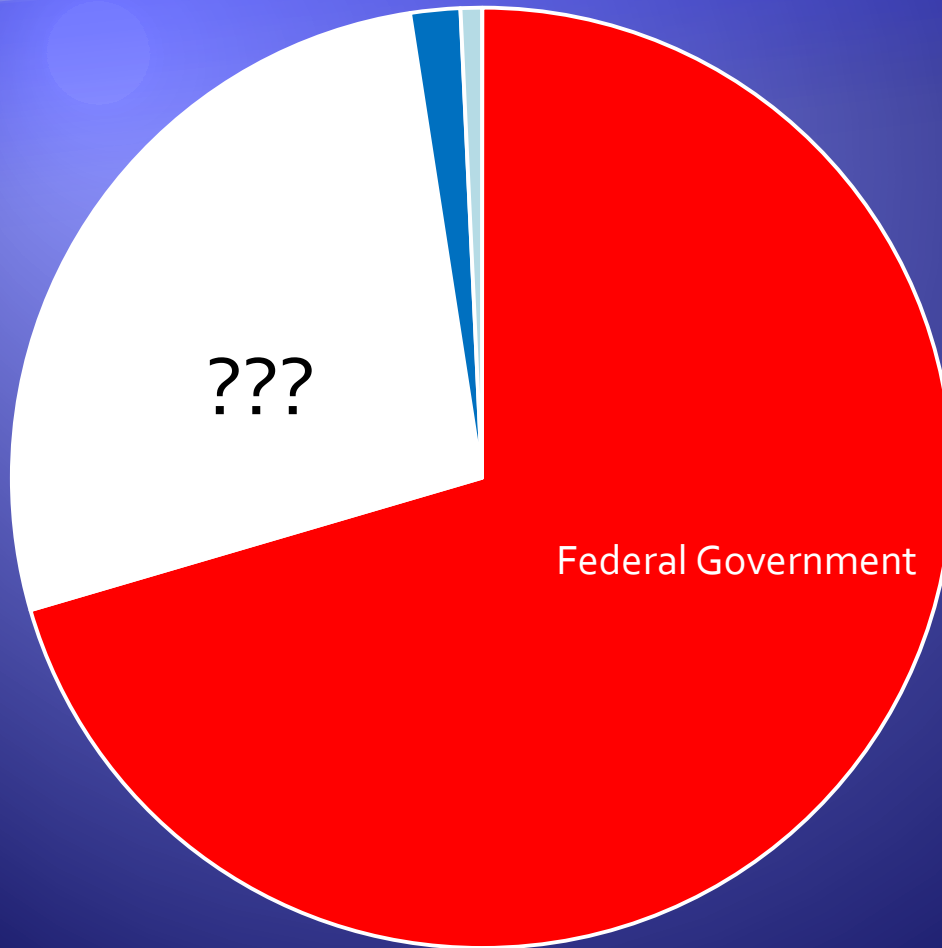
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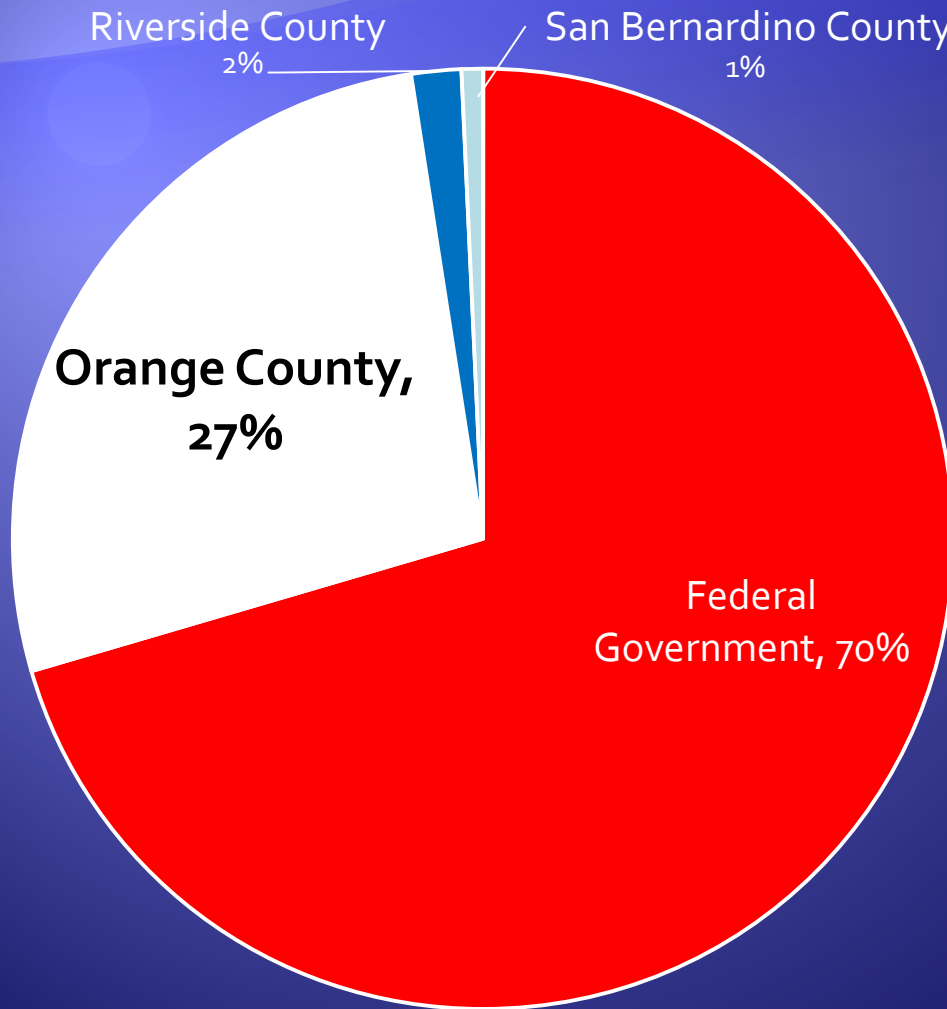


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SAN BERNARDINO RIVERSIDE

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CHINO

PRADO DAM

ORANGE

ANGEL STADIUM

SANTA ANA

JOHN WAYNE AIRPORT

DISNEYLAND

GARDEN GROVE

KNOTT'S BERRY FARM

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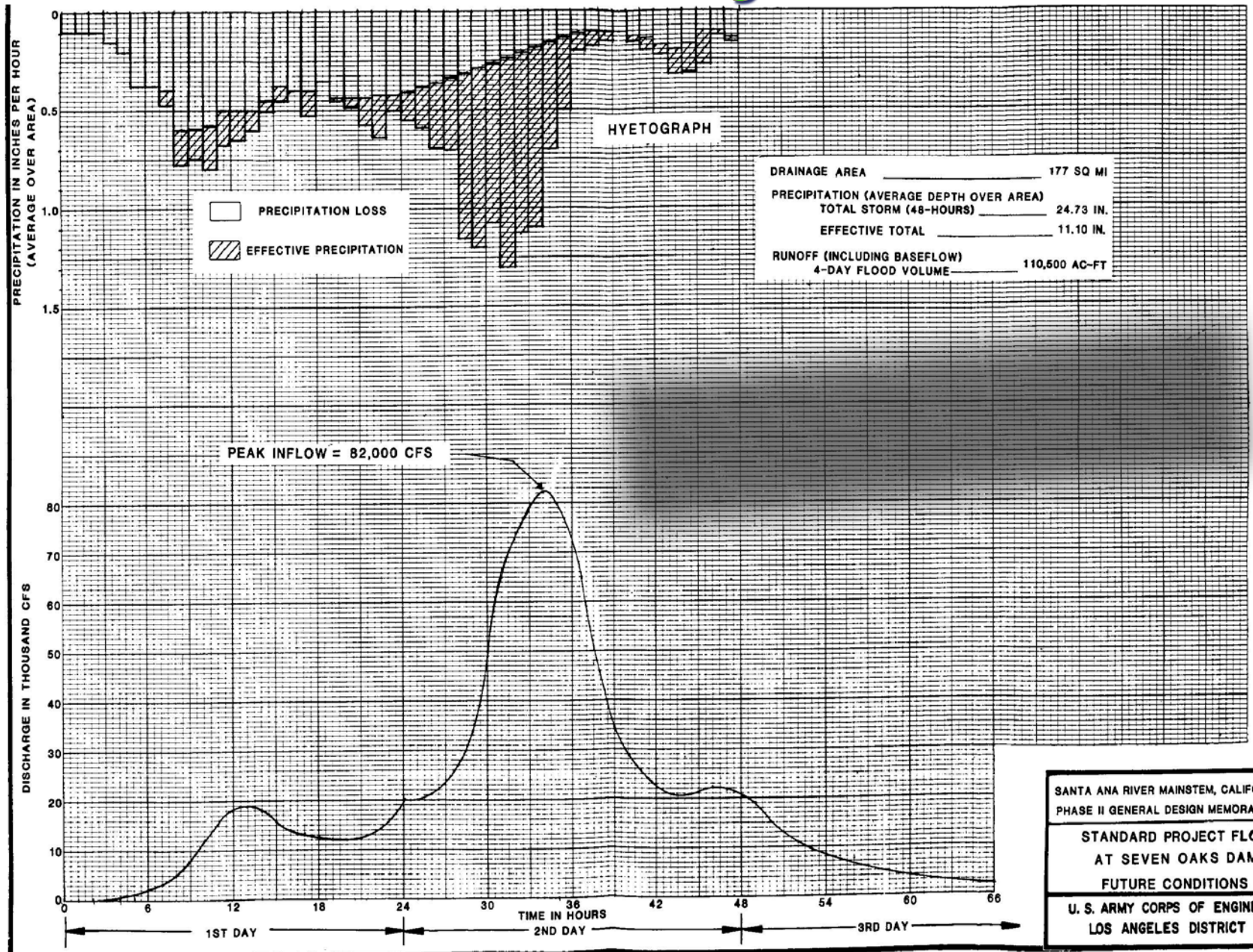
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SAR Mainstem

# Standard Project Flood (SPF)

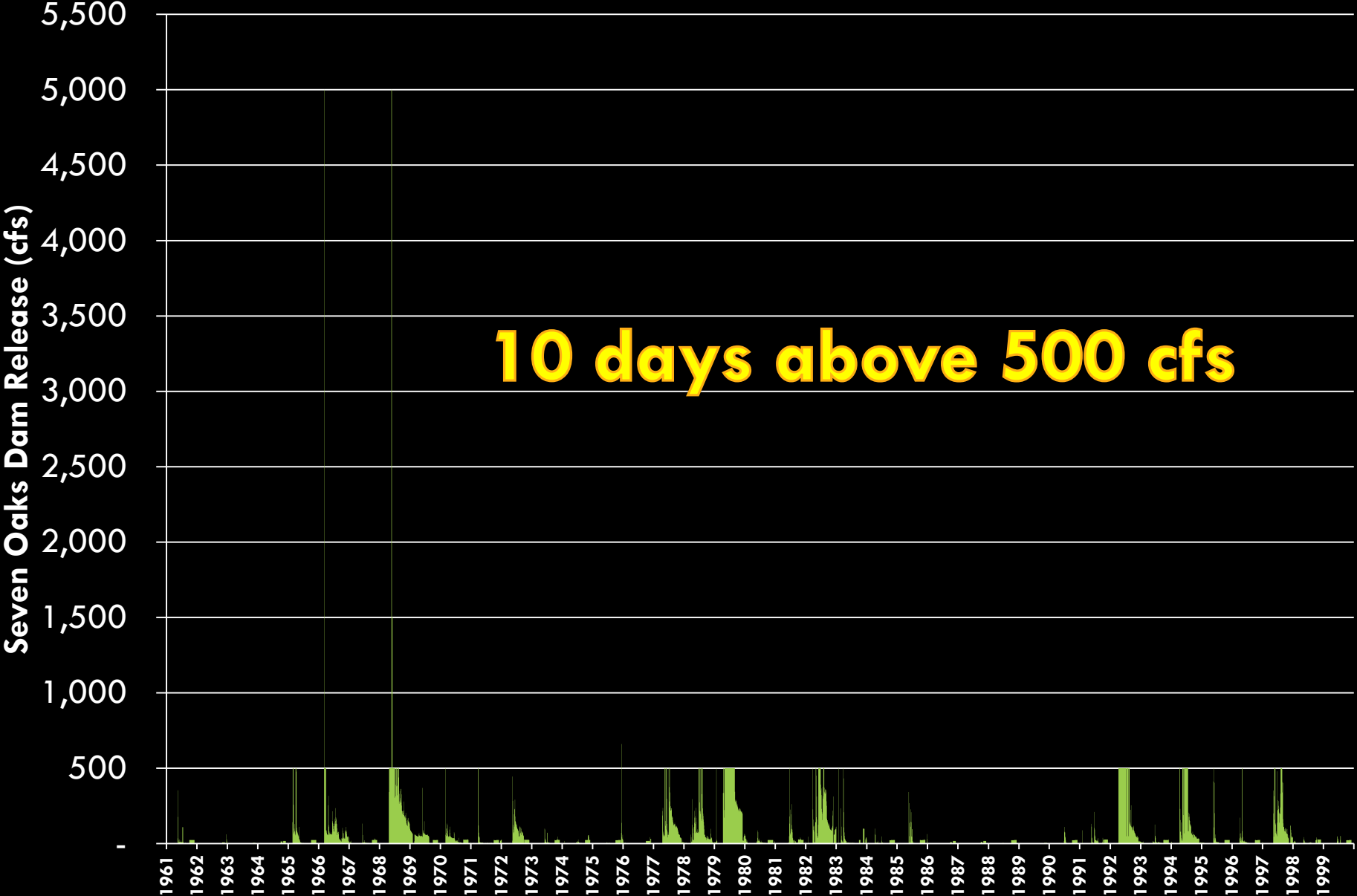


SANTA ANA RIVER MAINSTEM, CALIFORNIA  
PHASE II GENERAL DESIGN MEMORANDUM

STANDARD PROJECT FLOOD  
AT SEVEN OAKS DAM  
FUTURE CONDITIONS

U. S. ARMY CORPS OF ENGINEERS  
LOS ANGELES DISTRICT

# Historical Seven Oaks Dam Releases Under Current Operating Plan 1961-1999



**10 days above 500 cfs**



# Valley District Has Been Involved Since the 1980s

Valley District has a long history with Seven Oaks Dam dating back to the early 1980s

The first dam proposed by the Corps of Engineers was 3.5 miles long, 250 feet tall and covered a large portion of Mentone.

Valley District argued:

- Eyesore for the valley
- Covered prime recharge location

Valley District lobbied congress which led to the dam being moved to its current location



# Investment in Seven Oaks

Date	Description	Cost
11/2/93	Seven Oaks Dam Water Conservation Feasibility Study (Completed October 1997)	\$1,023,000
6/11/97	Pay for "blanket drain" improvements to Seven Oaks Dam	\$3,200,000
10/18/06	Participation in Updated Seven Oaks Dam Water Conservation Feasibility Report	
8/3/2007	Payment for updated Seven Oaks Dam Water Conservation Feasibility Study	\$400,000
8/09	Payment for updated Seven Oaks Dam Water Conservation Feasibility Study	\$400,000
6/2010	Participation in "Expanded Scope" for Seven Oaks Dam Water Conservation Feasibility Study	\$1,445,000
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$6,468,000</b>

# USING SEVEN OAKS FOR WATER SUPPLY



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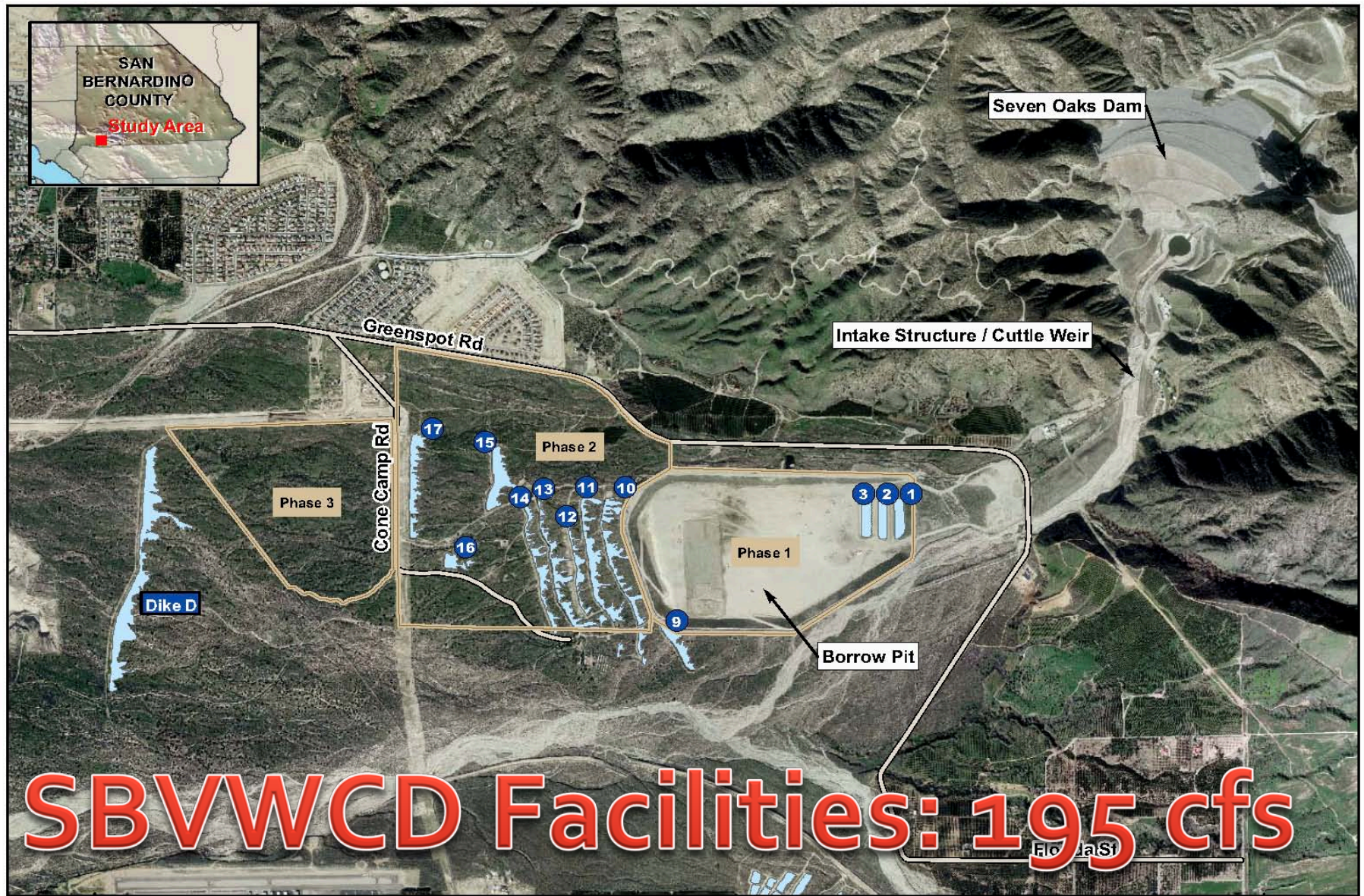


## WATER RIGHTS DEVELOPMENT PROJECT TIMELINE

Date	Description
1991	SBVMWD submitted application to appropriate Santa Ana River water based on construction of Seven Oaks Dam.
1995	SBVMWD/WMWD submitted joint application and petition for reconsideration of “fully appropriated” stream status for Santa Ana River.
1999	State Water Resources Control Board Hearing on fully appropriated stream status for the Santa Ana River
2002	SBVMWD/WMWD applied for water rights on the Santa Ana River
2007	Economic Analysis
2008	Santa Ana River Groundwater Recharge Optimization Study (SBVMWD/SBVWCD)
2009	Improvements to Cuttle Weir
2010	Enhanced Recharge of the Santa Ana River Basins (SARER) Environmental Documents <b>Water rights permit for WMWD and SBVMWD</b>
2017	Began Construction of SARER – Phase 1A Project
2019	Completed Construction of the SARER – Phase 1A Project
2021	Target Completion of the Environmental permitting for SARER – Phase 1B Project
2022	Target Start of Construction of SARER 1B is early 2022

# USING SEVEN OAKS FOR WATER SUPPLY





# SBVWCD Facilities: 195 cfs



**Key to Existing Features**

- 1 Spreading Pond Number
- Spreading Ponds
- Water Conservation Facilities Evaluation Phase Areas



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Date: April 24, 2009

**Location Map**

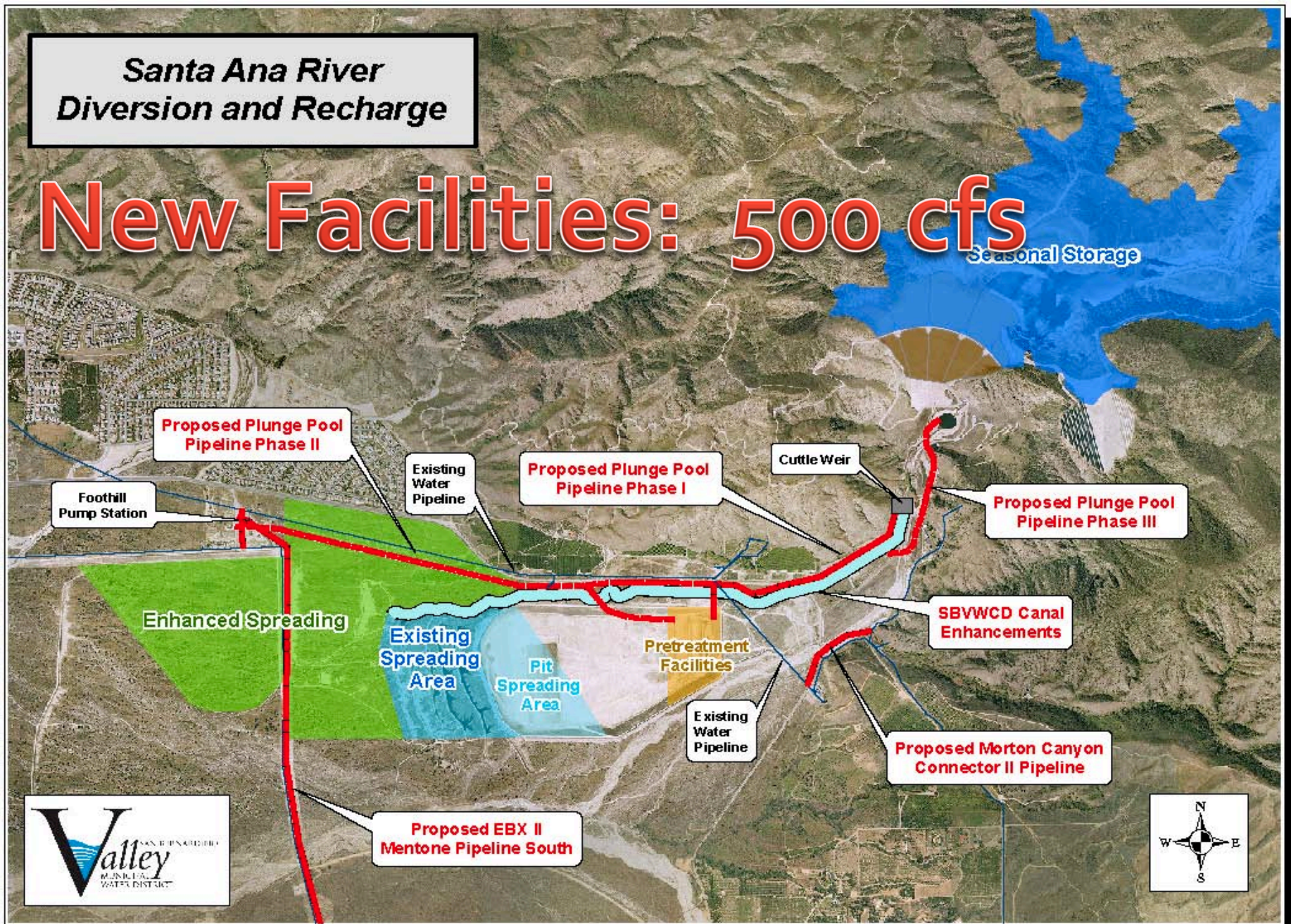
**Figure 1-1**

Santa Ana River Groundwater Recharge Optimization Study



**Santa Ana River  
Diversion and Recharge**

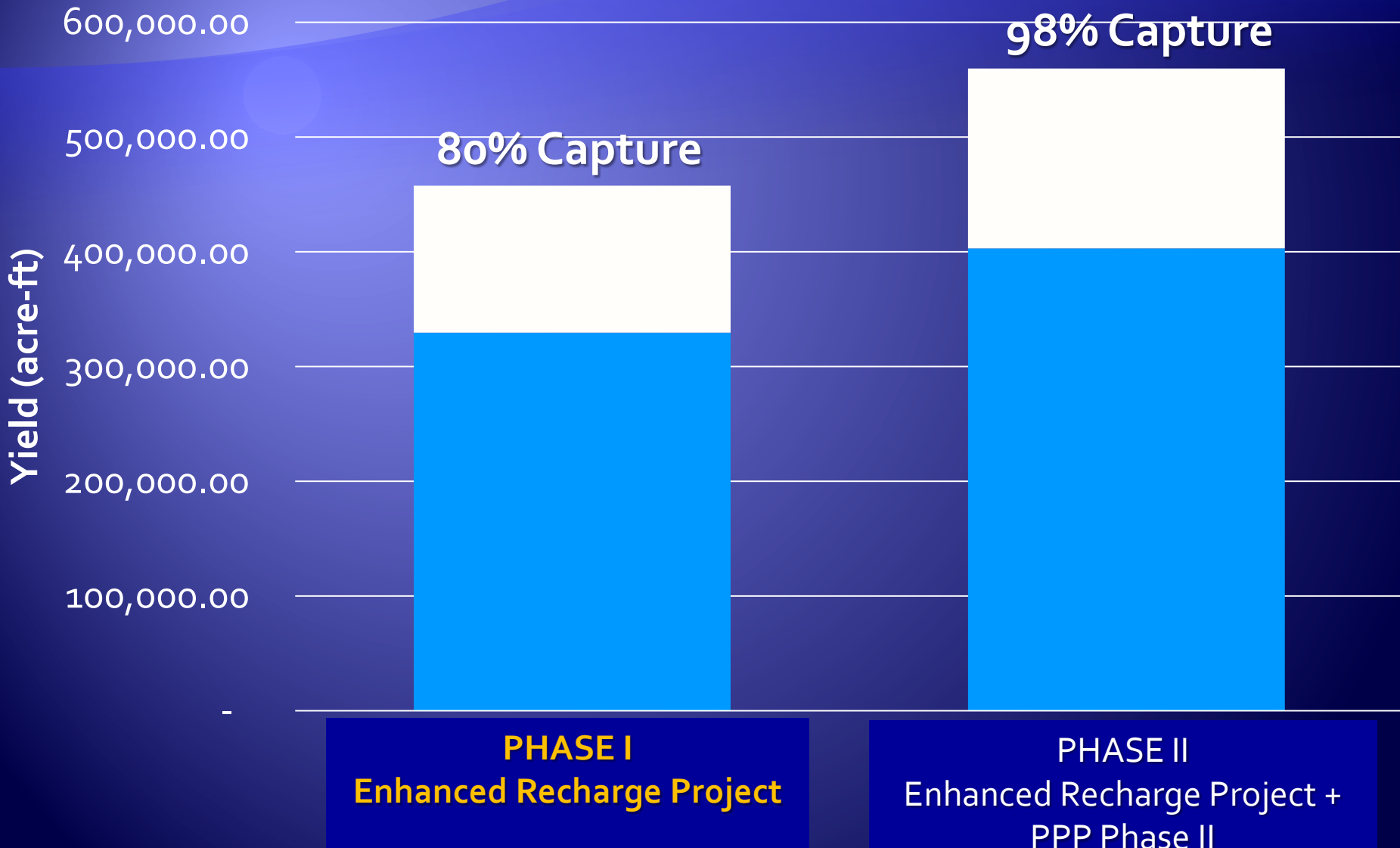
# New Facilities: 500 cfs





# Seven Oaks Dam Stormwater Capture Facilities Proposed Phasing

■ SBVMWD ■ WMWD/Riverside



## PHASE IB:

A & B Basins

Main Channel Improvements to accept 500cfs flow rate

New Structures in Exist. Basins

Trash Rack down Stream of SAR Intake Structure

Modifications to Barrow Pit Basins

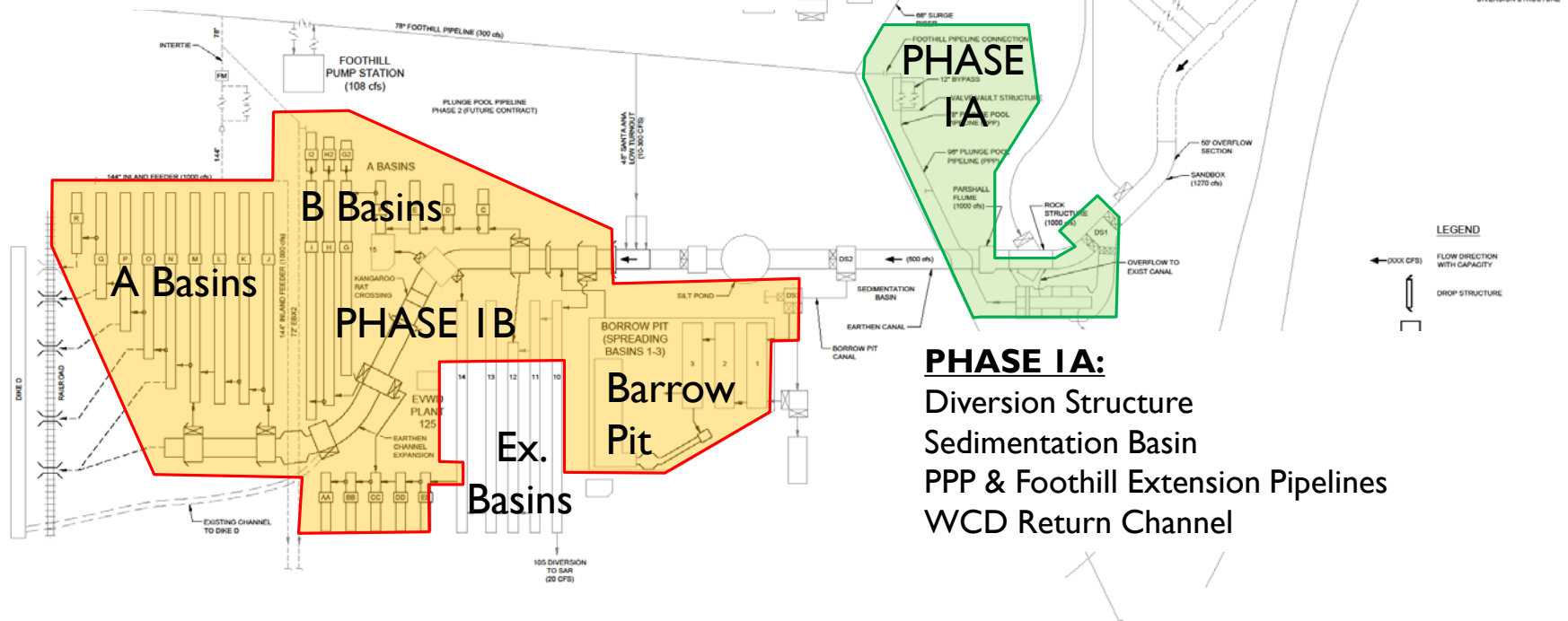
## PHASE IC:

SAR Improvements at Cuttle Weir

Seven Oaks

Trash Rack

PHASE IC



## PHASE IA:

Diversion Structure

Sedimentation Basin

PPP & Foothill Extension Pipelines

WCD Return Channel

### LEGEND

- ← DOCK CFS
- FLOW DIRECTION WITH CAPACITY
- ⌋ DROP STRUCTURE

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 DRAWING NUMBER: G-004  
 REVISION: 01  
 PROJECT: ENHANCED RECHARGE IN THE SANTA ANA RIVER SPREADING BASINS  
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 SHEET NO. OF 25  
 SCALE: AS SHOWN

# SARER - PHASE 1C

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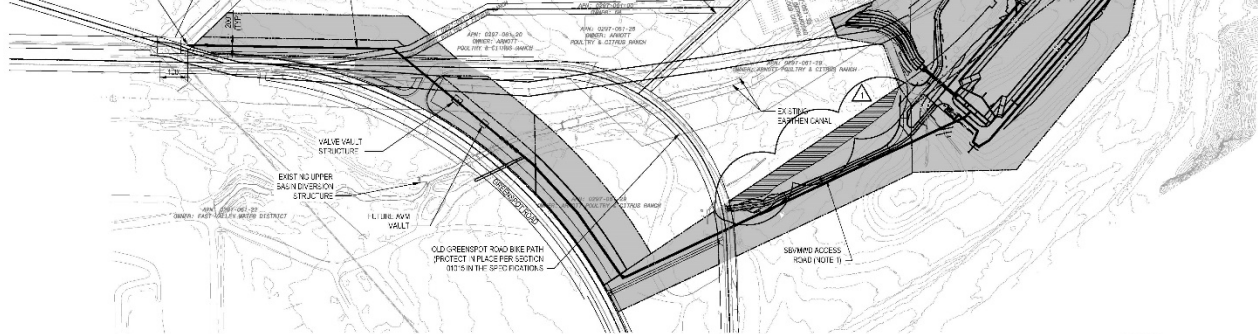
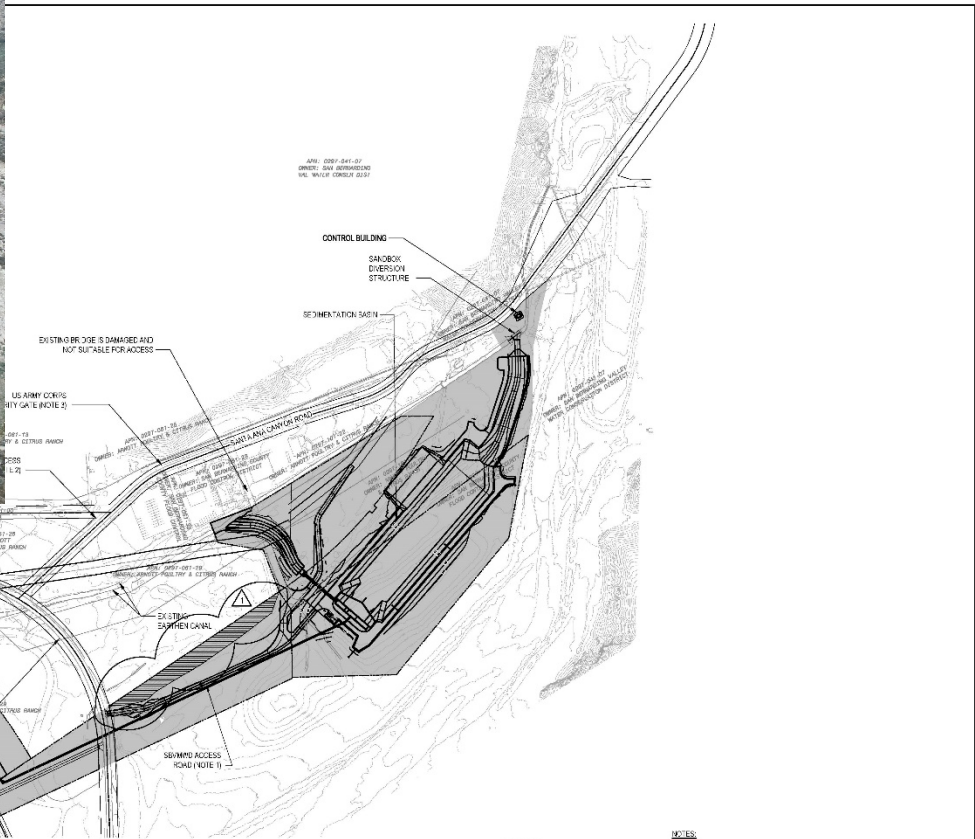
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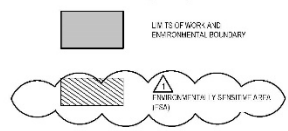
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**PROJECT INDEX MAP**  
SCALE: 1"=200'

**LEGEND**



**NOTES:**

- CONTRACTOR ACCESS ROAD - THIS ROAD SHALL BE THE CONTRACTOR ACCESS TO THE 18" DIAMETER SAND DIVERSION AND ALL SAND DIVERSION BASIN WORK. CONTRACTOR SHALL TAKE ROAD BY CLEARING, GRUBBING AND GRADING.
- SANTA ANA CANYON ROAD IS OPERATED BY THE ARMY CORP OF ENGINEERS. THIS ROAD WILL BE SHARED WITH OTHER PERSONNEL. US ARMY CORP. USE SPECIFIC MARKING. CONTRACTOR SHALL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR PROTECTION OF PROPERTY AND DUTY IN THE GENERAL CONDITIONS 2.11.
- SECURITY GATE WILL BE OPERATED BY ARMY CORPS.
- CONTRACTOR SHALL DESIGN TRUCK WASHOUT AREA TO ENSURE NO MATERIAL CAN RUNOFF TO STREAMS OR PERCOLATE IN TO THE GROUNDWATER.
- CONTRACTOR SHALL PROTECT EXISTING ALL CITRUS TREES WITH ADEQUATE PROPERTY EROSION CONTROL MEASURES.

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DATE	BY	DATE	REVISION



**SAN BERNARDINO VALLEY MUNICIPAL WATER DISTRICT**

ENHANCED RECHARGE IN THE SANTA ANA RIVER BASIN PROJECT

SPECIFICATION NO. 14-01

**PROJECT INDEX MAP**

SCALE: 1"=200'

DATE: 07/28/17

PROJECT: G-005

REV: 01 of 03

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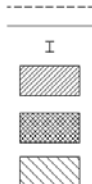
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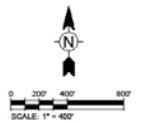


**LEGEND**

- WORK LIMITS
- PROPOSED PIPE AND CULVERT
- PROPOSED DROP STRUCTURE
- UNDISTURBED AREA
- NO CONSTRUCTION ACTIVITY ALLOWED
- ENVIRONMENTALLY PROTECTED AREA
- RESTRICTED ACCESS AREA



# Design Phase



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**ENHANCED RECHARGE IN THE SANTA ANA RIVER SPREADING BASINS**

SITE ACCESS AND WORK AREA LIMITS

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## ESTIMATED CONSTRUCTION & MAINTENANCE COSTS, Phase 1B

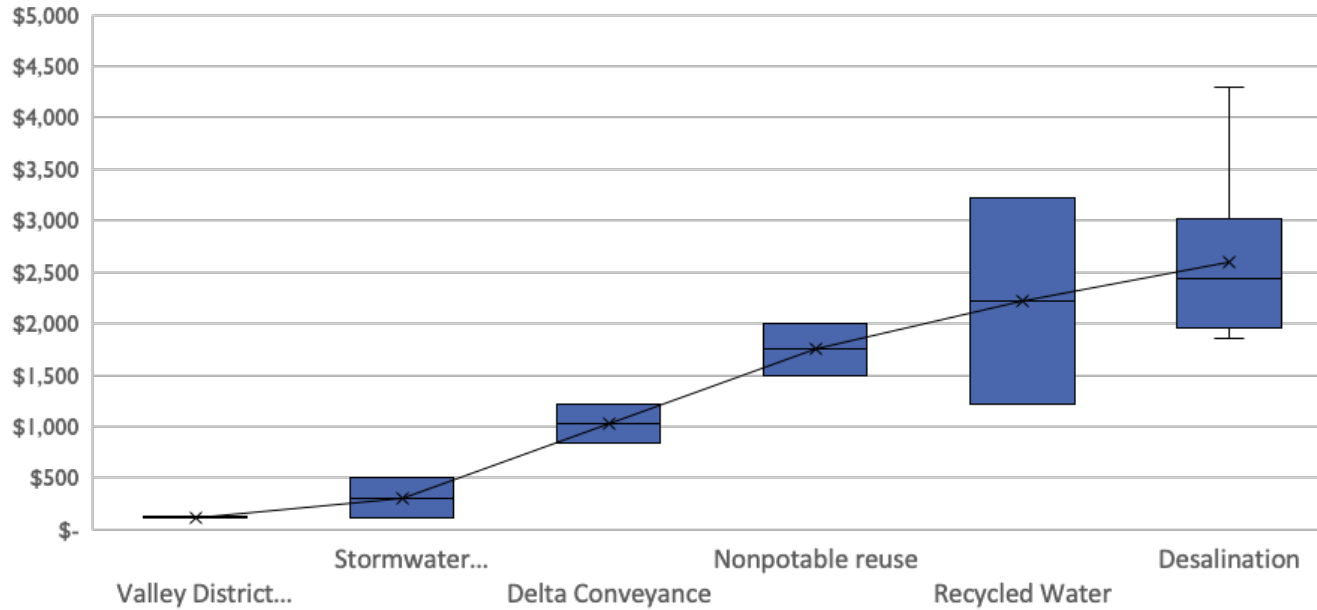
- 7 Existing Basins, 21 New Basins
- More Than 100 New Structures, Pipes and Features
- Approx. 100 Acres of Cleaning Area
- Estimated Construction Cost: **\$53,951,000**
- Estimated Annual Maintenance Cost: = **\$480,000** (Not Included: Specialty Items, SCADA, Flow Meters, Trash Rack, Vegetation, Habitat, Wells, Vandalism)

### ESTIMATED COST OF PHASE 1A & 1B:

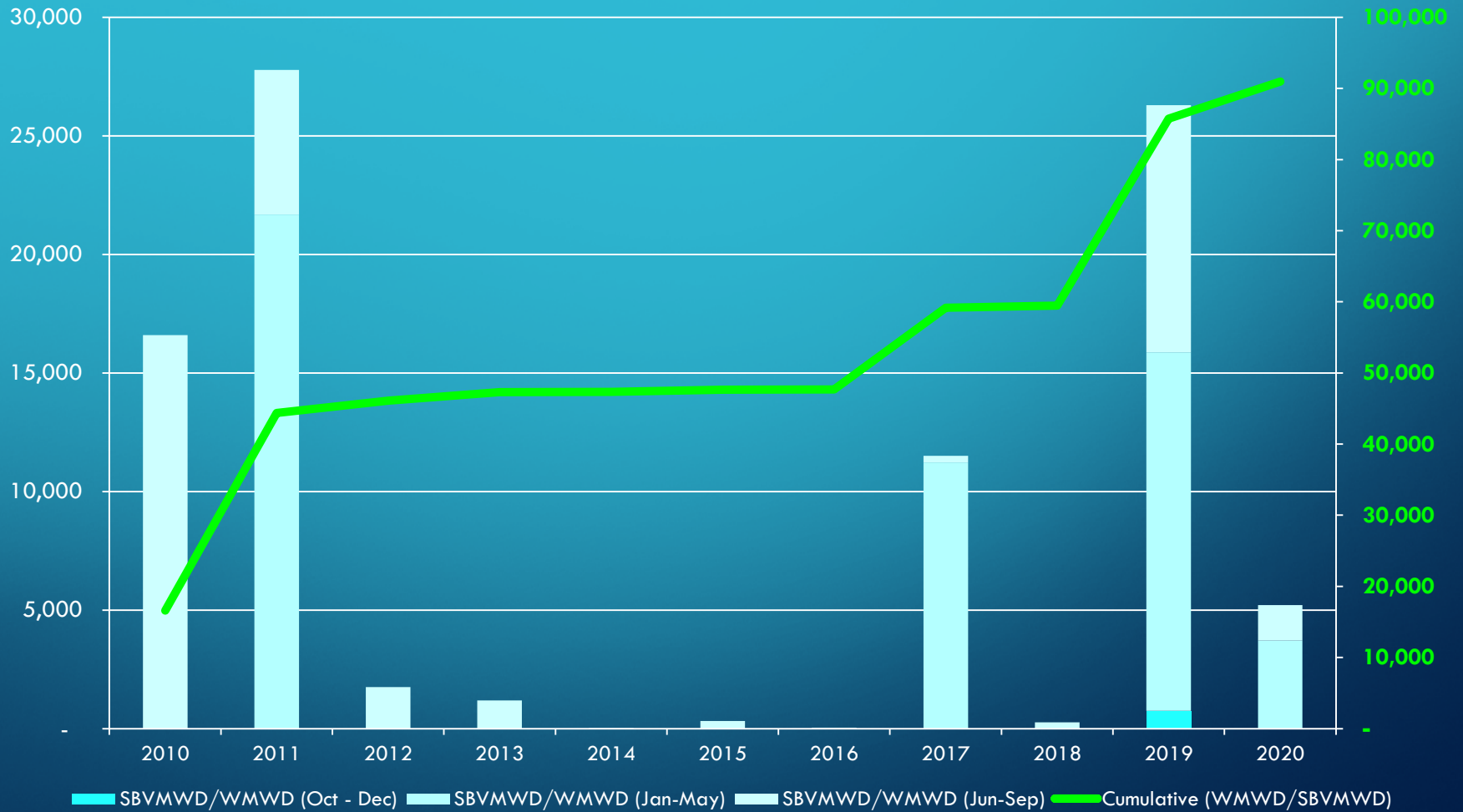
- Water Rights Application: \$20,000,000
  - Phase 1A incl. design and CM: \$20,000,000
  - Phase 1B incl. design and CM: \$60,000,000
- \$100,000,000

The Project yields an average of **10,807 AFY**. The estimate cost of the water benefit over 75 years is **\$123/AF** (\$90/AF for capital and \$30/AF for O&M)

## Water Supply Costs, \$/acre-foot



# DIVERSIONS, TO DATE



# USING SEVEN OAKS FOR WATER SUPPLY

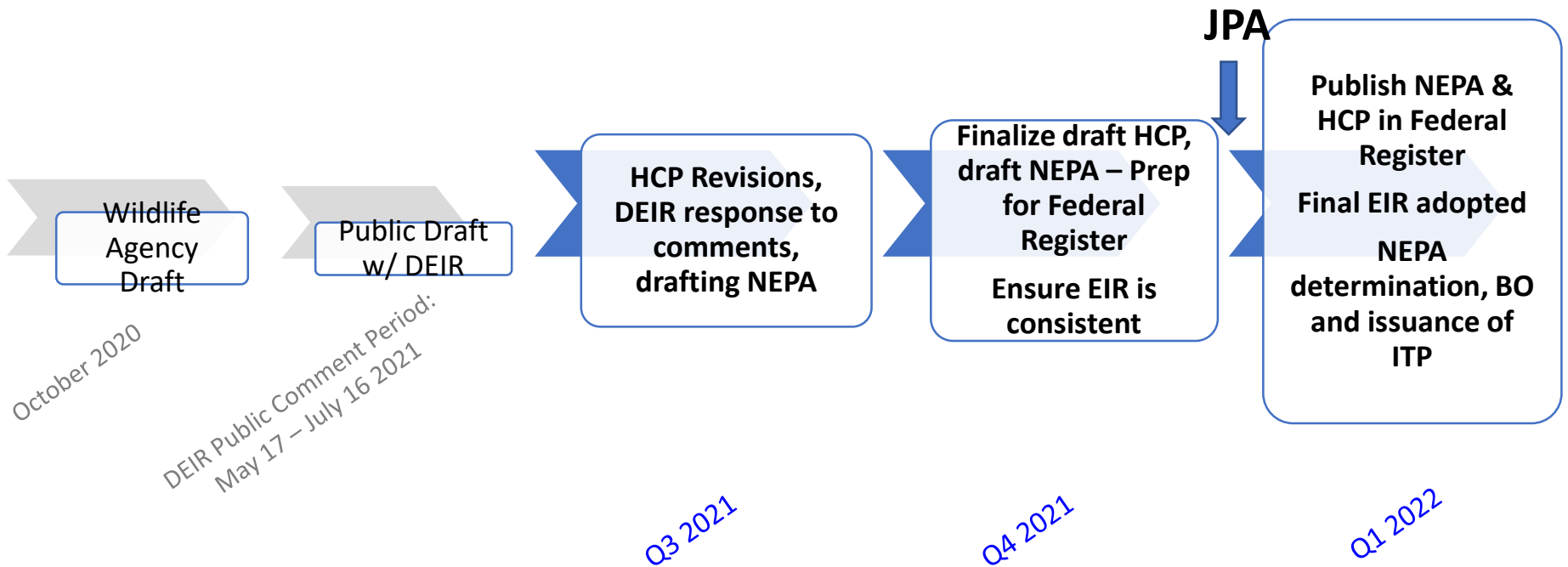


# Environmental

- Environmental Review
  - Seven Oaks Dam
  - Water Right
  - Project-specific
- Permitting
  - Upper Santa Ana River Watershed Habitat Conservation Plan – Aquatic and terrestrial (HCP)
  - Upper Santa Ana River Wash Habitat Conservation Plan – terrestrial (Wash Plan) – ITP issued July 2020

# HCP SCHEDULE

Upper SAR HCP & CEQA  
 NEPA, BO and Incidental Take Permit

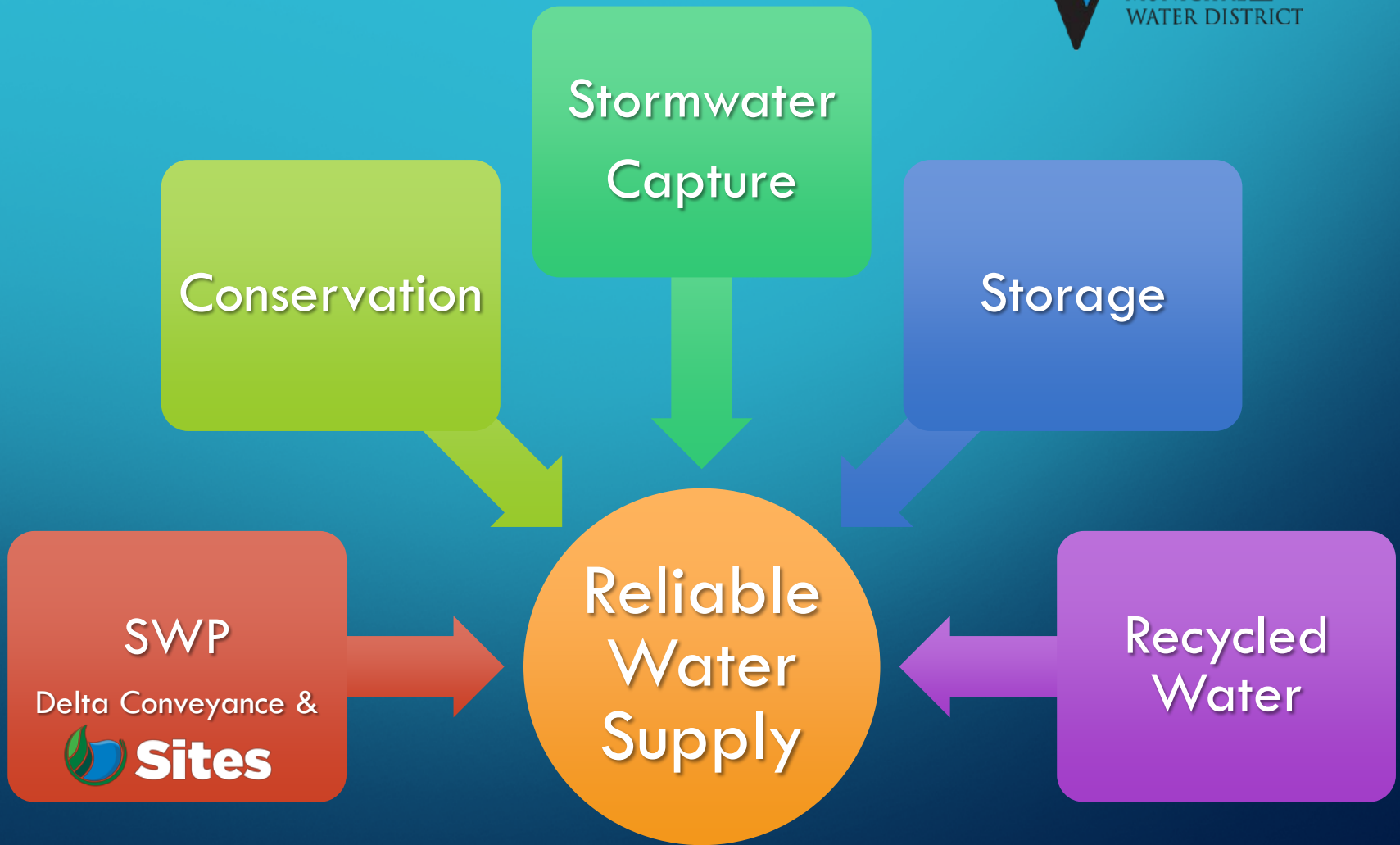


# Next Steps

Obtain Congressional authorization for water conservation behind Seven Oaks Dam

Sponsor the Center for Western Weather and Water Extremes (CW3E) Water Affiliates Group (WAG)

- Research “...to advance understanding of atmospheric rivers and droughts and improve water management, mitigate flood risk, and increase water supply reliability”
- Develop Forecast Informed Reservoir Operations (FIRO) at Seven Dam



Conservation

Stormwater  
Capture

Storage

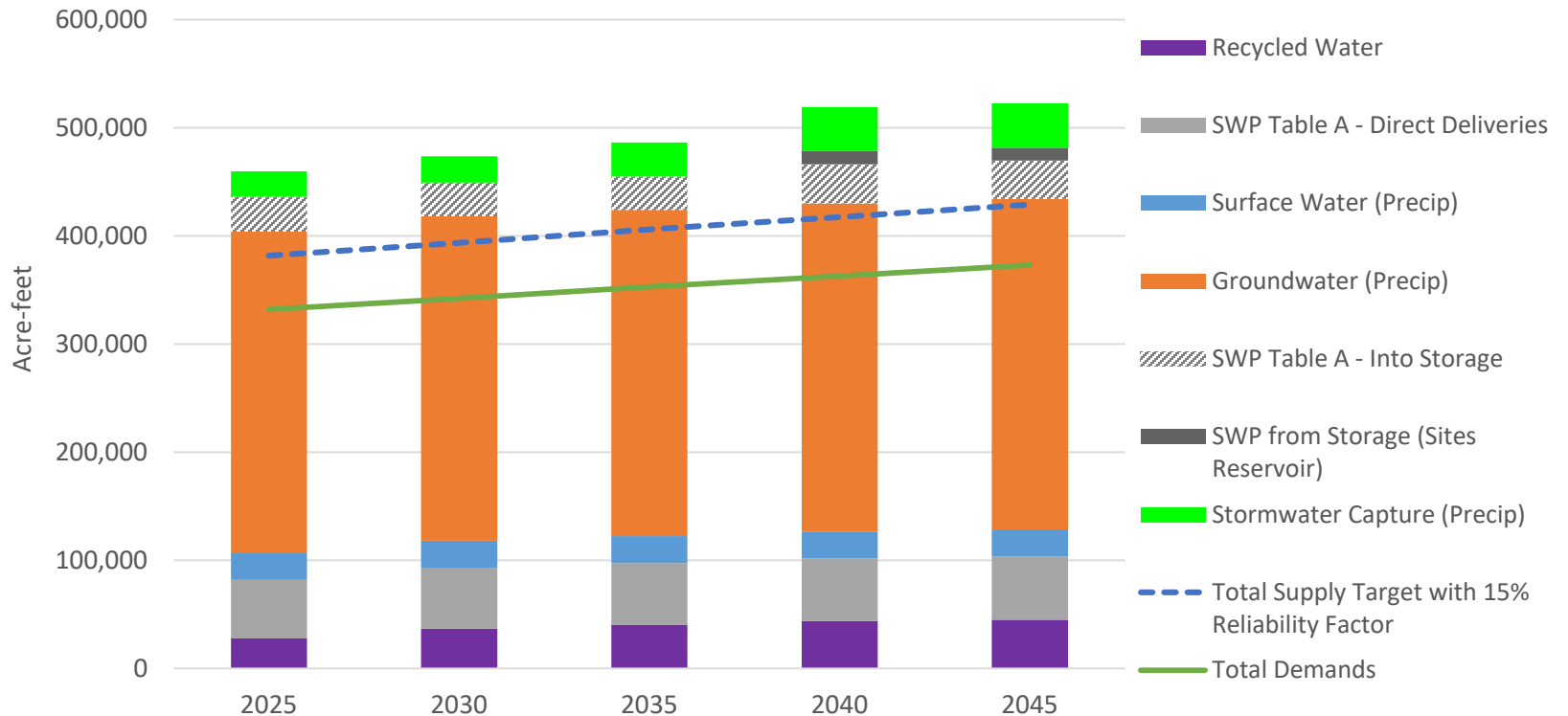
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Delta Conveyance &  
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Reliable  
Water  
Supply

Recycled  
Water



# Water Supply Portfolio



# Questions?



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