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Water Loss Control Program Update

Finance and Information Technology Board Meeting April 19, 2017

Water Loss Management Approach

- Expert Consultant institutes best practices
 - Identify Non-Revenue Water Loss Components
- Annual Water Audits by staff
 - Improved Tracking of Reported Leaks
- District Metered Area Water Loss Pilot
- Recycled System AMI Implementation
- Preparation for SB-555 Compliance



REVENUE WATER

WATER SUPPLIED	Authorized Consumption	Billed Authorized Consumption Unbilled Authorized Consumption	Billed Metered Authorized ConsumptionREVENUE WATERBilled Unmetered Authorized ConsumptionWATERUnbilled Metered Authorized ConsumptionUnbilled Unmetered Unbilled Unmetered Authorized Consumption
	L Water Losses	Apparent Losses	Consumption metering errors Unauthorized consumption
		Real Losses	Leakage/overflow at service reservoirsLeakage from trunk mainsLeakage from distribution mainsLeakage from service connections



NON-REVENUE WATER

	Authorized	Billed Authorized Consumption	Billed Metered Authorized Consumption Billed Unmetered Authorized Consumption	REVENUE WATER
WATER SUPPLIED	Consumption	Unbilled Authorized Consumption	Unbilled Metered Authorized Consumption Unbilled Unmetered Authorized Consumption	
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		Real Losses	Leakage/overflow at service reservoirs Leakage from trunk mains Leakage from distribution mains Leakage from service connections	REVENUE WATER



REVENUE OPTIMIZATION

REVENUE OPTIMIZATION		Billed	Billed Metered	
		Authorized	Authorized Consumption	REVENUE
Authorized		Construction	Billed Unmetered	WATER
	Authorized Consumption		Authorized Consumption	
		Unbilled	Unbilled Metered	
		Authorized	Authorized Consumption	
			Unbilled Unmetered	
		Consumption	Authorized Consumption	
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		Losses	Unauthorized consumption	NON REVENUE
			Leakage/overflow at service reservoirs	WATER
		Real	Leakage from trunk mains	
		Losses	Leakage from distribution mains	
			Leakage from service connections	



REAL LOSS REDUCTION

WATER SUPPLIED	Authorized Consumption	Billed Authorized Consumption Unbilled Authorized Consumption	Billed MeteredAuthorized ConsumptionBilled UnmeteredAuthorized ConsumptionUnbilled MeteredAuthorized ConsumptionUnbilled Unmetered AuthorizedConsumption	REVENUE WATER
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			Reported Leakage Unreported Leakage	WATER
REAL LOSS REDUCTION		Losses	Background Leakage	



WATER BALANCE - FY2014/15

	AUTHORIZED CONSUMPTION	BILLED AUTHORIZED CONSUMPTION 24,910 AF (92.9 %)	REVENUE WATER 24,909AF (92.9 %)
WATER SUPPLIED	24,936 AF (93.0 %)	UNBILLED AUTHORIZED CONSUMPTION 27 AF (0.1 %)	
26,819 AF (100 %)	WATER LOSSES	APPARENT LOSSES	NON-REVENUE WATER 1,909 AF
	1,883 AF (7.0 %)	(0.7 %) REAL LOSSES	(7.1 %)
		1,701 AF (6.3 %)	



WATER BALANCE - FY2015/16

	AUTHORIZED CONSUMPTION	BILLED AUTHORIZED CONSUMPTION 21,438 AF (91.2 %)	REVENUE WATER 21,438 AF (91.3 %)
WATER SUPPLIED	21,467 AF (91.3 %)	UNBILLED AUTHORIZED CONSUMPTION 30 AF (0.1 %)	
23,516 AF (100 %)	WATER LOSSES 2,049 AF	APPARENT LOSSES 203 AF (0.9 %)	NON-REVENUE WATER 2,079 AF (8.8 %)
	(8.7 %)	REAL LOSSES 1,846 AF (7.8 %)	



DISTRICT METERED AREA (DMA) PILOT

 Definition of District Metered Area - A discrete area of a distribution system usually created by the closure of valves or complete disconnection of pipe work in which the quantities of water entering and leaving the area are monitored.

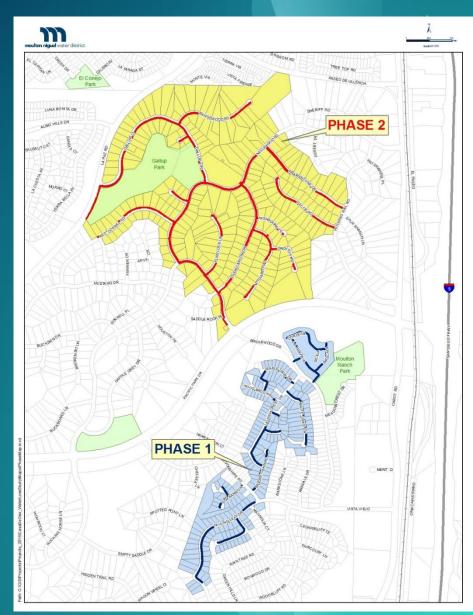
Goals of the DMA Pilot

- Evaluate leak detection program to reduce water loss
- Evaluate pressure optimization to reduce water loss



STEPS IN THE PILOT

- Multi-Departmental Collaboration
- Site Selection
- AMI Metering & New 10" Meter
- Gather System Attributes
- Collect Meter Data
- Measure Water Loss
- Pressure Optimization





TRACKING WATER LOSS WITH AMI

- Recycled System converted to AMI (1,330 radios and 6 towers)
- Hourly Consumption Data
- Leak Alerts
- Customer Portal



SB555

- Requires each urban retail water supplier, on or before
 October 1, 2017, and each year thereafter, to submit a
 completed and validated water loss audit report for the
 previous calendar or fiscal year
- Technical Assistance Program funded by the State to provide training and Level 1 validation for the first water audit





CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM BUDGET Fiscal Year 2017-2018

AGENDA

- FY 2016-17 CIP Budget Review
- Proposed FY 2017-18 CIP Budget
 - 10-year CIP
 - Budget Changes
 - Annual Budget
- CIP Funding



FY 2016-17 BUDGET REVIEW

- 10-year Budget \$282.9 million
- FY 2016-17 Budget \$46.6 million
 - Awarded Contracts \$34.6 million*
 - Funds not yet Committed \$12.0 million*

*projected to the end of fiscal year



PROPOSED 10-YEAR CIP

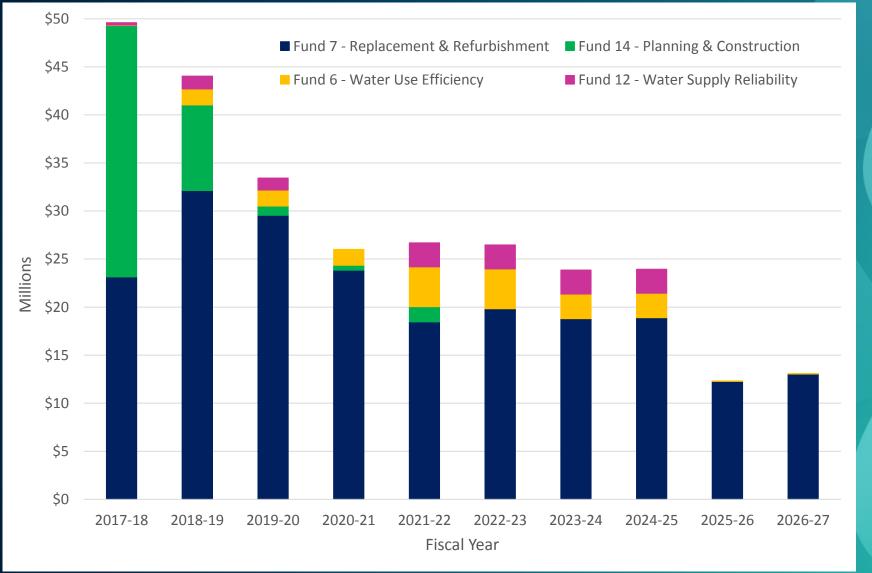
	Fiscal Year		
Recycled Water Project Changes			
<u>Current (FY 16-17) 10-Year Budget</u>	2017-18		
 Trampas Reservoir Capacity Acquisition - \$15 million 	2018-19		
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RW Expansion Phase V - \$35 million			
Proposed (FY 17-18) 10-Year Budget			
 Recycled Water Facilities Improvements Program - \$17.9 			
million	2023-24		
	2024-25		
 RW Main Replacement Galivan to La Paz PS - \$8.4 million 			
Oso Trabuco and Lakefill Line Adjustments for Railroad			
Expansion - \$4.7 million			

Budget (M) \$49.6 18 \$44.0 19 \$33.4 20 \$26.0 21 \$26.7 22 \$26.5 23 \$23.9 24 \$23.9 25 \$12.3 26 \$13.1 27 \$279.4 Total

Proposed



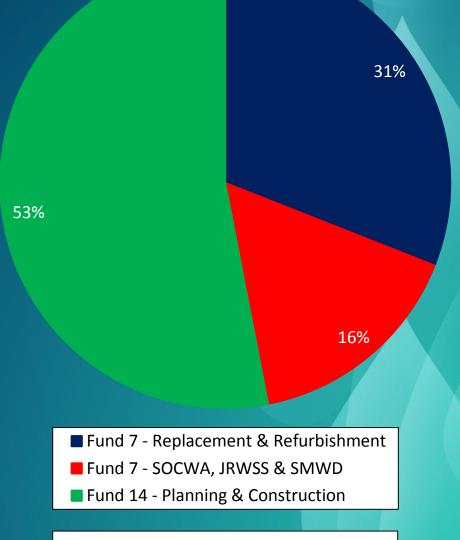
PROPOSED 10-YEAR CIP





FY 2017-18 PROPOSED CIP

System	FY 2017-18 Proposed Budget (M)
District Wide	\$24.4
Potable Water	\$10.6
Recycled Water	\$0.6
Wastewater	
Collection	\$5.6
Treatment (SOCWA, Plant 3A)	\$6.9
Sub-Total	\$48.1
Regional (i.e. JRWSS, etc.)	\$1.0
Unanticipated Projects	\$0.5
Total	\$49.6



Fund 6 – Water Use Efficiency (< 1%) Fund 12 – Water Reliability (< 1%)



FY 2017-18 PROPOSED PROJECTS

- 53 projects
 - 15 projects in construction
 - 20 projects in design
 - 24 projects to be started
- JPA projects
- Unanticipated projects
- Key Projects
 - District Operation Center
 - Mission Hospital 750-Zone Service
 - Reservoir Management System Replacements
 - Valve Replacements
 - Oso Trabuco and Lakefill Line Adjustments for Railroad Expansion

\$24.3 million (includes District Operation Center)\$8.7 million\$8.2 million

\$7.9 million

\$0.5 million



CIP FUNDING

- \$167 M rate funded (PAYGO)
- \$64 M debt issuance in FY 2017-18
- \$48 M debt issuance in FY 2020-21
- No changes to CIP
- No changes to rate projections

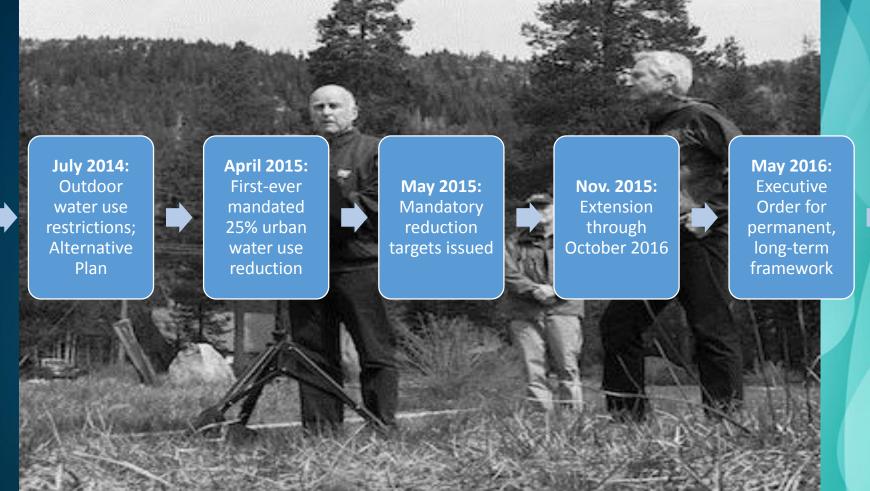


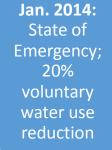


Long Term Efficiency Framework Update

Finance and IT Board Meeting April 19, 2017

Governor Brown Takes Action to Address California Drought







May 2016: SWRCB adjusted targets and looks to local action; selfcertification California Water Action Plan Making Conservation a Way of Life

Develop new efficiency targets tailored to local conditions

Generate more statewide water conservation

Long-Term Water Efficiency Framework

Water Shortage Contingency Plan Strengthen local drought resilience **Prohibitive Actions**

Permanent ban on wasteful water uses



Use Water Wisely

- Agency-wide Water Budgets
 - Indoor
 - Outdoor
 - Commercial
 - Water Loss Standards set through SB 555



Eliminate Water Waste

- Make permanent practices that reduce waste & prohibit:
 - Hosing off sidewalks
 - Watering within 48 hours of rain
 - Irrigating turf on street medians
 - Using non-recirculated water in a fountain
 - Washing cars w/out a shutoff nozzle
- Minimize System Leaks



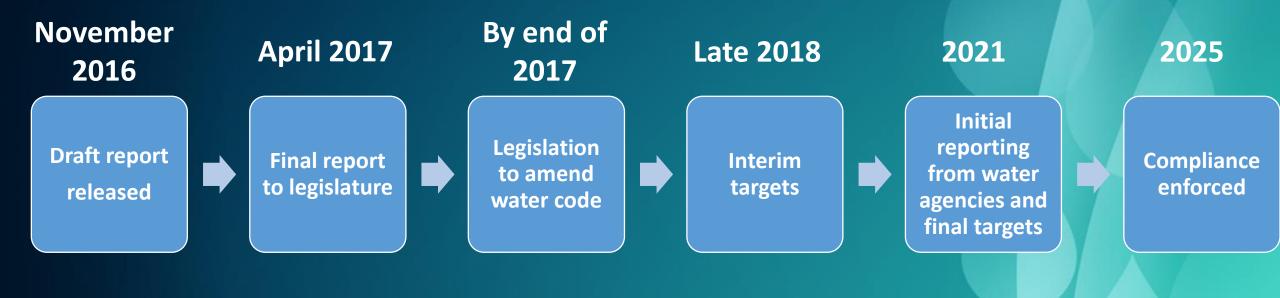
Strengthen Local Drought Resilience

Actions required- no impact to District

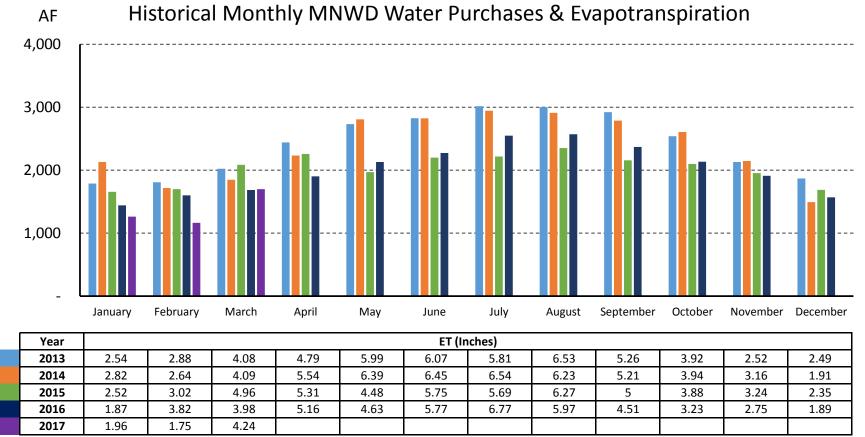
- Annual Reporting on WSCP
- Develop Communications Plan
- Address Financial Elements
- Compliance

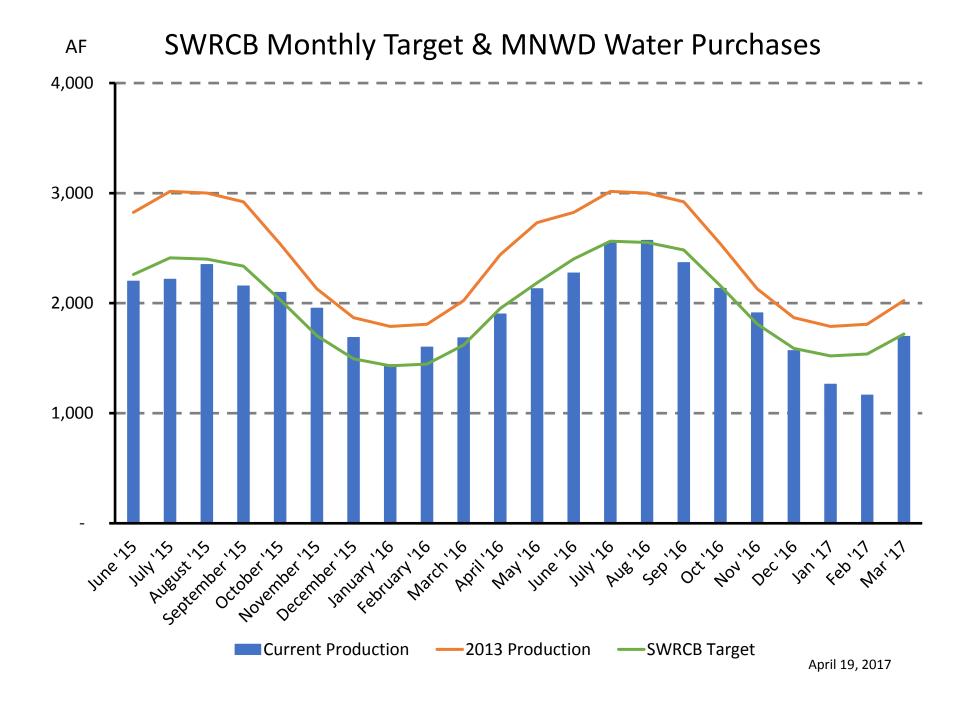


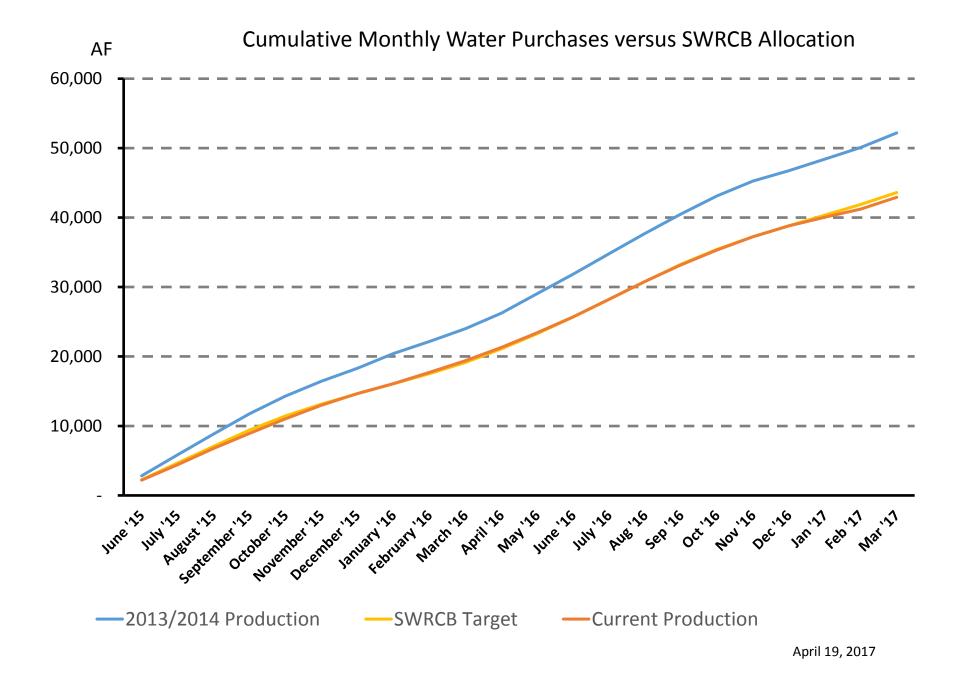
Long Term Framework Timeline

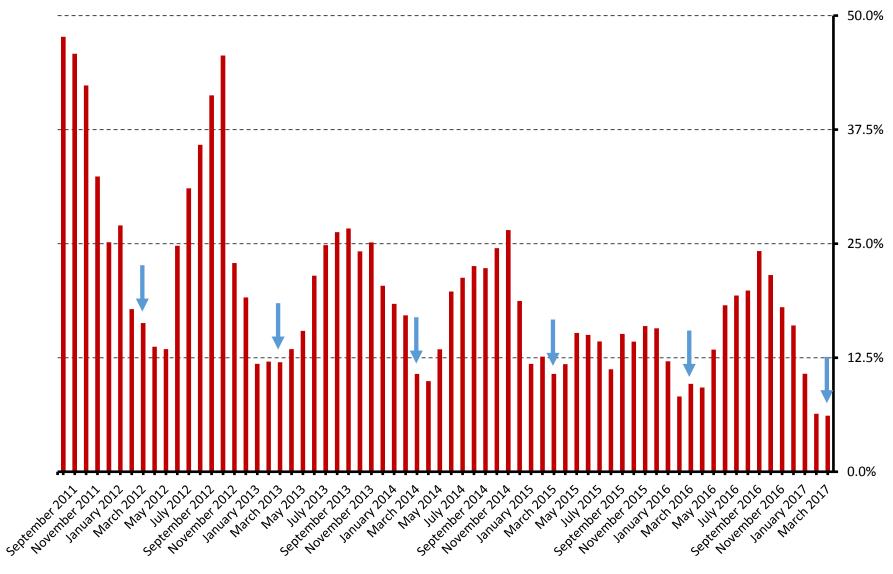




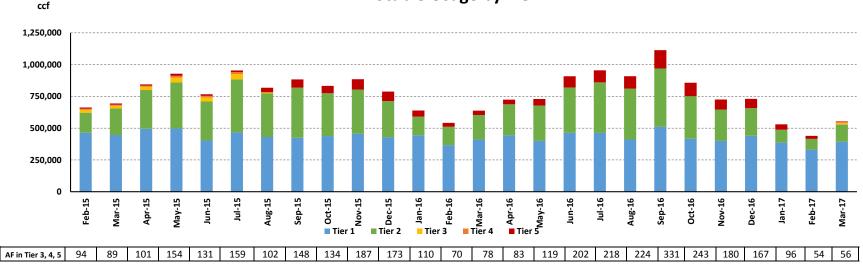






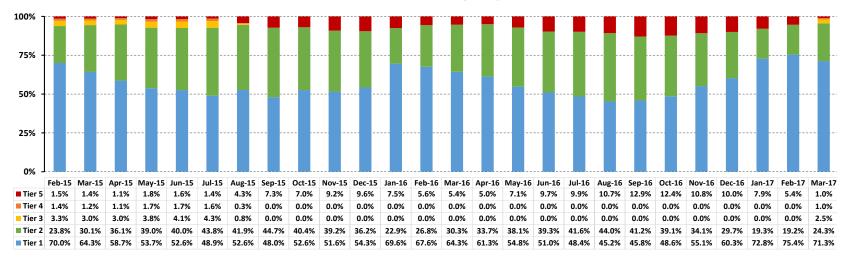


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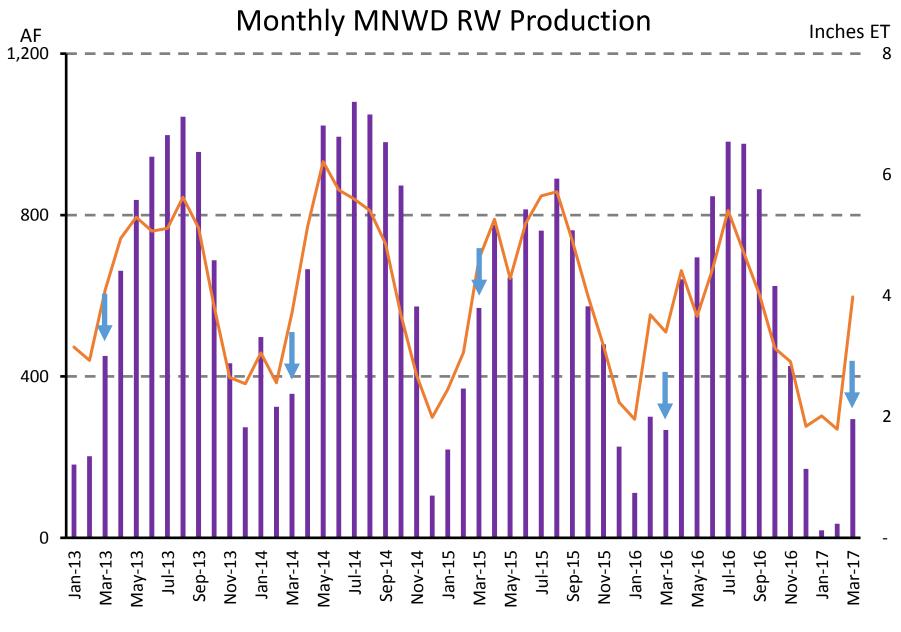


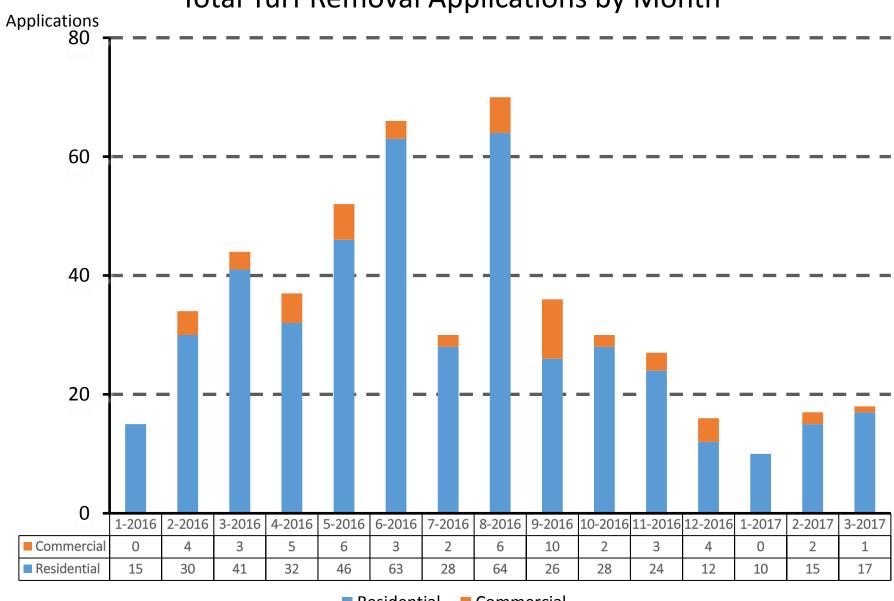
Potable Usage by Tier

Percent Potable Usage by Tier



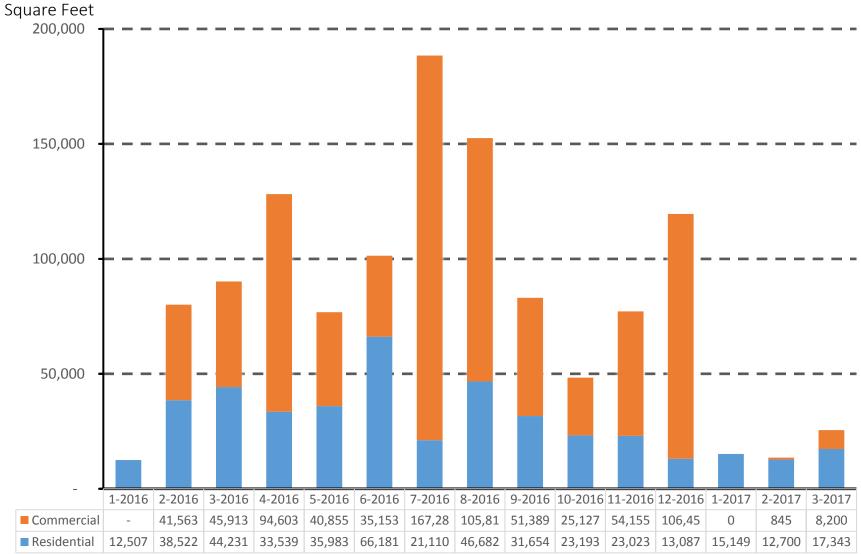
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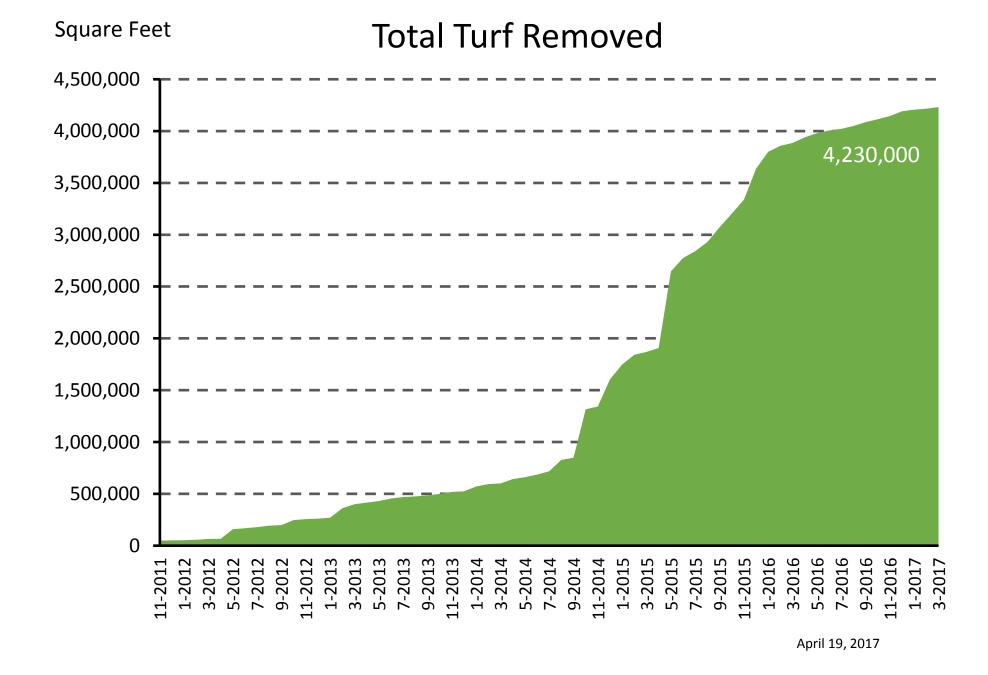


Total Turf Removal Applications by Month

Residential Commercial



Total Turf Removal Application Size by Month



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Communications & Outreach Report April 19, 2017

January 2017 – March 2017

Monthly Newsletters



January: Long-Term Efficiency Framework

- February: Investments in Water Reliability
- March: Water Conservation Regulations Extended

Average **Open Rate**

Average No.

of Clicks

- 37.3% / 7,411 individuals
- Higher than industry average (~ 26%)

- 76 throughout e-newsletter
- Top performing links include:
 - MNWD homepage
- Water Saving Tips
- Water Budgets



moulton nique ANUARY 201 State Releases Long-Term Water Efficiency Draft Framework

With a new year comes new water news. In late 2016, State agencies released a draft plan, "Making Water Conservation a California Way of Life," describing

that will meet the 'new The foundation of the resilience. There will cont recirculating water in a de resources and technology The latest recommenda

in urban water use impler as local agencies look to o gathered will be useful in While still in the early plan receives safe and reliable regulatory changes that m place in 2018. For more in

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most severe ongoing drought periods on record. However, drought or no drought, Californians must re-evaluate its relationship with water. The conditions over the last several years have taught us that we need to rethink the way we use current supply while managing the demand and needs of our growing communities, as we work towards enhancing water reliability for the future.

and stores it are invaluable. limited, and scarce reso water that flows from our faucets needs to be used efficiently.

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Moulton Niguel Water District customers have conserved more than 3.3 billion gallons of potable water from January 2014 to December 2016. The key is reducing wasteful water use and not losing momentum on the conservation milestones we've already achieved.

This can be accomplished through incremental and long-term investments, such as turning off your sprinklers when it rains, or converting to water-efficient landscapes, which can help reduce outdoor water waste by up to 50%. Simple adjustments around the house, such as fixing leaks can prevent approximately 20% of indoor water waste.

et's all continue to work together to make wate conservation a California way of life! For more infor on water efficient practices, rebates, and tips, pleas www.mnwd.com/watersavingtips.

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MONTHLY NEWSLETTER

FEBRUARY 2017

Our Investments to Ensure Water Reliability for our Customers

State Water Board Extends Water Conservation Regulations

On February 8, 2017, the State Water Resources Control Board (SWRCB) voted to extend its existing emergency water conservation regulation. The SWRCB recognized that, while parts of the State are experiencing less severe drought conditions, it is prudent to understand that drought conditions inherently exist in the State and a decision was made to wait until the end of the "water year" in April/May 2017 to re-evaluate statewide and local conditions. This historic drought was years in the making and it will need more than a few months of rain to fully recover.

This decision also aligns with Governor Brown's call for achieving permanent, long-term water use efficiency, as indicated in his Executive Order. "Making Water Conservation a California Way of Life" will maintain urban water supplier monthly reporting, a permanent ban on wasteful water use such as hosing off sidewalks, and continued emphasis on efficient water use.



The arrival of rains this year have tempered one of California's

The fundamental goal is to eliminate water waste. We all know that water and the infrastructure that conveys, treats, While an abundance of water may fall from the sky and flood our aqueducts for a few days, we need to be mindful that the

Social Media

High Performing Facebook Post: MNWD Landscape Workshop on 2/25

It's almost time for another landscaping workshop! On March 11, learn all there is to know about water-wise gardening for the spring season. Register today at www.mnwd.com/landscapeclasses.



High Performing Twitter Post: MNWD OpEd in OC Register on 1/30

Moulton Niguel WD @MNWDWater · Jan 30 Don't let the recent rainy weather dampen your conservation efforts! More on water efficiency as a way of life at bit.ly/2kNtaBb.



Social Media Growth



High Performing LinkedIn Post: ACWA Federal Issues Conference on 3/3

MNWD board members and staff participated in ACWA's Federal Issues Conference in Washington, D.C this week. It was a great opportunity to engage legislators and executive branch officials on water reliability in Southern California.





MNWD in the Community

- Landscape Workshops: Jan. 7, Jan. 28, Feb. 25, March 11
 *Average attendance: 28
- LNCC 35th Installation Breakfast: Jan. 13
- Niguel Botanical Preserve Fundraiser: Jan. 29
- ACC-OC New Councilmember Orientation: Feb. 2
- ACC-OC Water Committee Panel Presentation: Feb. 21
- Water Education Program Presentations:
 - Laguna Hills High School: Feb. 21 and Feb. 28
 - Mission Viejo High School, Water Expo: Feb. 23
 - Capistrano Valley High School: Feb. 27 and March 20
 - Bergeson Elementary School: March 24
- OCAR 2017 Drought Update: Feb. 24
- SJC State of the City: March 9
- SOCEC South Orange County Economic Report: March 10
- Mission Viejo Women's Club Presentation: March 14
- MWDOC Water Policy Forum: March 30









Outreach Activities

- Launched Social Media Campaign on Facebook & Twitter to Increase Page Likes/Followers
- Orange County Register OpEd: "Don't Let the Rain Dampen our Conservation Efforts"
- ACC-OC Golden Hub of Innovation Awards: California Data Collaborative





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