Stakeholder Forums

Draft 2010 Integrated Water Resources Plan Update

Orange – August 3 Ontario – August 5 San Diego – August 10 Los Angeles – August 12

IRP Stakeholder Forum Agenda

9:00 a.m.	Registration				
9:30 a.m.	Opening Remarks - Timothy F. Brick, MWD Chairman				
9:45 a.m.	Hosting Director's Statement - MWD Board Member				
9:50 a.m.	Today's Schedule & Objectives				
10:00 a.m.	Metropolitan's IRP Process				
10:30 a.m.	2010 Draft IRP Overview & Findings				
11:15 a.m.	Morning Session Recap				
11:30 a.m.	Lunch				
12:30 p.m.	Draft IRP Survey Results				
12:45 p.m.	Q&A and Comments				
1:45 p.m.	Session Recap and Next Steps				
2:00 p.m.	Forum Adjourns				

Forum Objective

2010 Integrated Water ORAFT **Resources Plan Update** The Metropolitan Water District of Southern California

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The objective of this forum is to present **Metropolitan's Draft IRP resource** strategy and to hear Stakeholder input and feedback

Metropolitan's IRP Process



Metropolitan Water District of Southern California

The Mission of the Metropolitan Water District is to provide its service area with adequate and reliable supplies of high-quality water to meet present and future needs in an environmentally and economically responsible way.

Introduction: Metropolitan Water District of Southern California

- Regional Water Wholesaler to 6 counties
 - 5,200 square miles
- 26 Member Agencies
- 37 Member Board
- 18+ million residents
- Owns and operates:
 - 5 regional treatment plants
 - 14 dams and reservoirs
 - 16 hydroelectric plants
 - 770 miles of pipelines, feeders and canals
 Regional economy: \$800+ billion
 - Provides about ½ of retail demands



Integrated Resources Plan Supply Reliability Goal

1996 IRP and 2004 IRP Update:

"Through the implementation of the IRP, Metropolitan and its member agencies will have the full capability to meet full-service demands at the retail level under all foreseeable hydrologic conditions"

1996 IRP

- Established a reliability planning objective
- Set a preferred mix of resource targets
- Utilized collaborative stakeholder process

2004 IRP Update

- Reaffirmed objectives
- Adjusted for changed conditions
- Updated resource targets through 2025
- Introduced Buffer Supply

Managing Future Challenges

Energy Costs

Emerging Water Quality Issues

Capital Financing

Endangered Species

Climate Change

Regional Stakeholders Came Together to Discuss Integrated Planning

Board Oversight

IRP Steering Committee

Technical Process Public Forums Stakeholder Forums

IRP Steering Commitee

Purpose/Goals

- Recommend policy options
- Review planning approaches
- Review resource strategy
- Receive input from stakeholder forums, public forums and technical workgroups

2008 Stakeholder Forums

- Over 550 participants engaged in four half-day workshops
- Key Messages:
 - Need new strategies
 - Address new development
 - Will pay for reliability and quality
 - Form strong partnerships

Technical Workgroups

- Groundwater ongoing facilitated workgroup
- Recycled water
- Conservation
- Stormwater/urban runoff
- Seawater desalination
- Graywater

Technical Workgroups

- Collaborate with member and local agencies on groundwater resources, local resource development, and regional supplies
- Discuss technical approaches
- Collect, review, reconcile data
- Develop issue papers as needed
- Technical workgroups were scheduled on an asneeded basis

Examples of Project Information Collected:

- Water savings (and hydrologic variability)
- Cost (capital and O&M)
- Water quality (e.g., salinity)
- Energy consumption
- Implementation challenges
- Other (depending on project type)

Strategic Policy Review Process



A Number of Possible Roles Were Considered for Metropolitan

Current Approach

- Maintain & develop resources
- Provide local resource incentives
- Complete Delta improvements

Imported Focus

- Reduce role in regional reliability
- Improve Delta ecosystem/ conveyance
- Develop dryyear Colorado River supplies

Enhanced Regional #1

- Maintain & develop resources
- Delta improvements not completed
- Develop largescale local projects

Enhanced Regional #2

- Maintain & develop resources
- Develop largescale local projects
- Complete Delta improvements

Evaluation of Metropolitan's Regional Role



Draft 2010 IRP Released in July

- Emphasizes need for regional reliability
 - MWD and Member Agency Interdependency
- Calls for a buffer of additional in-region supplies and water use efficiency
- Expanded Regional Approach
 - MWD should collaborate with local agencies and consider partnerships or ownership of in-region supplies to ensure reliability
- The 2010 IRP is an adaptive plan





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2010 Draft IRP Overview and Findings

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Overview

- Draft IRP Report Overview
- Existing Resource Development and Reliability
- Proposed 2010 IRP Strategy
 - Core Resource Strategy
 - Supply Buffer
 - Foundational Actions

Draft IRP Report Released July 2, 2010

Section 1	History, Background and Status
Section 2	Developing a Collaborative Regional Process
Section 3	Integrating a Policy Approach for Metropolitan's Roles
Section 4	Core Resources Strategy
Section 5	Making an Adaptive Management Approach Work
Section 6	Findings and Conclusions

Existing Resource Development and Reliability

Sources of Water for Southern California



A Supply Gap Would Exist in Dry Years Under Existing Resource Development



2015 Reliability With Existing Resources



2015 Reliability With Existing Resources After Storage Management



Likelihood of Exceedence

A Roughly One in Ten Chance Of Shortage

Without Further Investment, Reliability Would Get Worse Shortage No Shortage

Proposed IRP Strategy

Component 1: Core Resource Strategy Reliability Under Foreseeable Conditions

Component 2: Supply Buffer

Adapt to Shorter-Term Uncertainty

Component 3: Foundational Actions Advance Actions for Future Change

Proposed IRP Strategy

Component 1: Core Resources Strategy

Water Use Efficiency	 20% by 2020 Retail Compliance Continue Existing Programs 		
Local Resources	 Incentives and Partnerships Continue Existing Programs 		
SWP	 Delta Improvements Continue Existing Programs 		
CRA	 Develop Dry-Year Supply Programs Continue Existing Programs 		

Water Use Efficiency Targets Meeting 20% by 2020 Retail Compliance

Core Strategies **Existing Programs** 2,000 380 380 Thousand Acre-Feet 380 380 1,500 190 1,000 1,588 1,519 1,445 1,352 1,283 500 0 2015 2020 2025 2030 2035

Local Resource Targets Increasing Local Yield

Core Strategies

Existing Programs

State Water Project Targets Complete Delta Improvements

Core Strategies

Existing Programs

Colorado River Aqueduct Targets A Full CRA In Dry Years

Core Resource Strategy Targets Total Production (Thousand Acre-Feet)

	2015	2020	2025	2030	2035
Water Use Efficiency	1,473	1,732	1,825	1,899	1,968
Local Resources Augmentation	194	208	246	250	252
SWP Dry-Year Supply	581	581	713	713	713
CRA Dry-Year Supply	1,250	1,250	1,250	1,250	1,250
Total	3,498	3,771	4,034	4,112	4,183

Component 2: Supply Buffer

Shorter-Term Uncertainties

Operations & Water Quality

- Endangered Species Act restrictions
- Loss or reduction of existing supplies
- Implementation risk of planned supplies

Demand Side

- Economic activity/recovery
- Water use
- Extreme weather events

Having a Supply Buffer Can Manage Shorter-Term Uncertainty

- Water Use Efficiency: Up to 200 TAF additional (Inc. Conservation and Recycling)
 - Create a goal to reduce <u>regional</u> per capita water use by 20% from a baseline
 - Saves an additional 200 TAF above retail compliance with 20% by 2020 requirements
- Local Resources: Up to 300 TAF additional (Inc. GW Recovery, Desalination, etc.)
 - Investigate regional partnerships for local resource development
 - Review incentive programs and rate impacts
 - Bring new projects forward for Board consideration as required and as feasibility is assessed

Benefits of Having a Supply Buffer

- Provides available insurance supplies
- Augments storage reserves
- Provides additional reliability without increasing reliance on imported supplies

Component 3: Foundational Actions

What are Foundational Actions?

- Low regret planning and mitigation actions
- Actions that present minimal cost-risk
- Actions that provide an adaptive approach to managing longer-term uncertainties
 - Projects can be implemented more quickly when needed
 - Implementation is tied to triggers

Longer-Term Uncertainties

Operations & Water Quality

- Endangered Species Act restrictions
- Permanent losses of existing and planned supplies
- Water treatment regulation changes
- Demand Side
 - Growth and development patterns
 - Economy
- Climate Change

Foundational Actions

Example Foundational Actions

Integration

- Regional Recycled Water Facility Plan
- Regional Seawater Desalination Feasibility Study

Public Perception

- Recycled Water Educational Campaign
- Stormwater Education Program

Legislation

- Seawater Desalination Regional Synergy Task Force
- Stormwater Legislative Task Force

Example Foundational Actions

Procedural

- Regional Recycled Water Permitting and Inspection Work Group
- Regional Stormwater Policy Task Force
- Funding
 - Seawater Desalination Funding Strategy
 - Stormwater Funding Strategy
- Operational
 - Recycled Water Regional Salt Management Plan
 - Desalination Marine Life Protection Plan

The Plan Extends Reliability Goals and Planning

The Core Resources Strategy ensures:

That "Metropolitan and its member agencies will have the full capability to meet full-service demands at the retail level under all foreseeable hydrologic conditions."

Implementation of a Buffer ensures:

That additional resources will be developed to effectively manage new challenges and change

Foundational Actions ensure:

That Metropolitan and its member agencies can advance low regret actions to develop new supply options as needed to address future changes **Questions?**

Component 1: Core Resource Strategy Reliability Under Foreseeable Conditions

Component 2: Supply Buffer

Component 3: Foundational Actions Adapt to Shorter-Term Uncertainty

Advance Actions for Future Change

IRP Draft Report Online Survey

of SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

Stakeholder Feedback on Draft IRP Report

As you review the draft Integrated Resources Plan (IRP) Report, please provide your feedback by responding to the questions below. We encourage you to submit comments by 5:00 p.m. on August 20th (Extended Date). Your comments will help determine the focus of the agenda at the upcoming IRP Stakeholder Forums in August. If you have not yet submitted your RSVP to one or more of the forums, and you wish to attend, <u>Click here to register</u>.

Reference materials in the questions below can be accessed on this link to the IRP Web page.

Please tell us how much you agree or disagree with the following statements.

1. The draft IRP report has identified the range of potential options for future water supply development. (Draft IRP Report Section 2)

- Strongly Agree
- Agree
- Somewhat Agree
- Disagree
- Strongly Disagree

Comment(s):

2. The draft IRP report demonstrates the importance of conservation and water use efficiency. (Draft IRP Report Section 3)

- Strongly Agree
- Agree
- Somewhat Agree
- Disagree
- Strongly Disagree

Comment(s):

ONLINE SURVEY: www.mwdh2o.com/irp

Next Steps in the IRP Process **Develop Proposed Plan Complete Stakeholder Forums** August 3: Orange August 5: Ontario August 10: San Diego August 12: Los Angeles August IRP Steering Committee Review feedback from Stakeholder Forums On-going: Member Agency feedback September - Second Board Workshop 0 October - Board consideration to adopt plan