

Chino Basin Program

California Water Commission

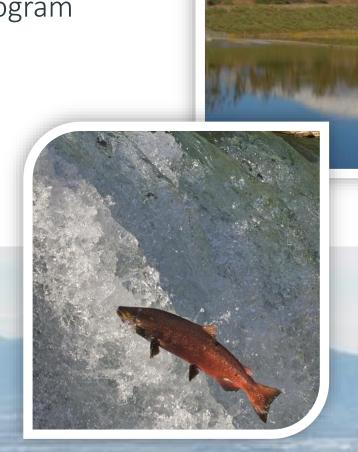
Early Funding Request

May 2021



Agenda

- Overview and Status Update of IEUA Chino Basin Program
 - North of the Delta
 - Chino Basin components
- Program Benefits
- Early Funding Request





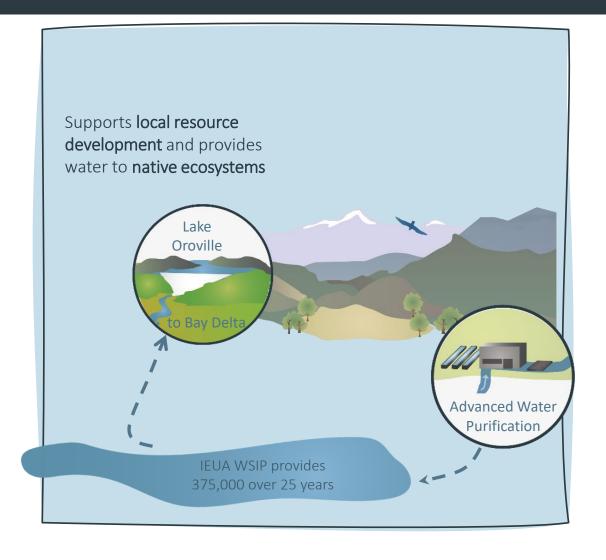
Background



- Produces a highly reliable, dedicated environmental water supply to benefit Bay-Delta instream flows
- Drought resistant water supplies
- Consistent with Governor Newsom's Water Resilience Portfolio initiative
- Partnerships are foundational to the CBP, and the project has received extensive stakeholder support
- Conditional funding of \$212.1M (2021 MCED)



Chino Basin Program Components North of Delta



Program provides:

- 375,000 AF over 25 years
- Up to 50,000 AF per call year

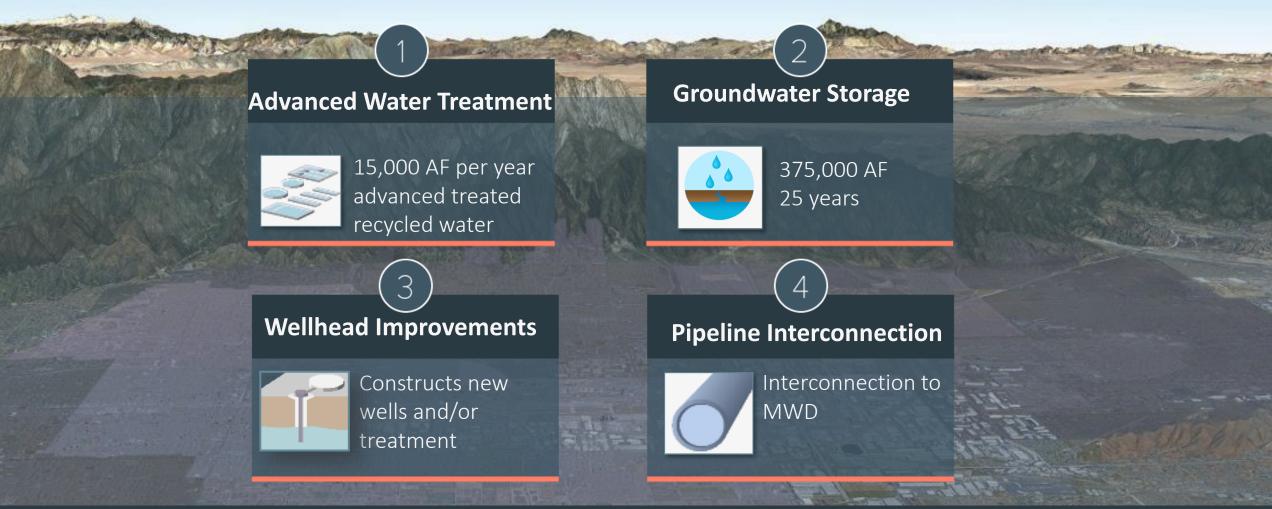
IEUA's State Water Project Contract Partner: Metropolitan Water District of Southern California

During a call year:

- DWR implements pulse flows from Lake Oroville in coordination with Metropolitan
- Fishery benefits in the Feather River
- IEUA produces water from Chino Basin



Chino Basin Program Components South of Delta





Chino Basin Program Benefits



Ecosystem Benefits

- 100% dedicated Delta supply of 375,000 AF
- Dedicates blocks of water for ecological needs
- Releases from Lake Oroville benefit Feather River spring run Chinook salmon and aquatic habitat



Public Project Benefits

- Facilities will provide high quality water to improve local water supplies
- Provides local water quality treatment and benefits
- Can help provide emergency storage



Chino Basin Program Progress Towards Final Award

Exchange Analysis (ongoing)

 Coordinating with DWR and CDFW to define the pulse flow operation

Communication and Engagement (ongoing)

 Continuing to engage and refine concepts with local and regional partners

Water Source Agreements (ongoing)

 Formulating agreements to secure supplies for advanced water purification



Chino Basin Program Progress Towards Final Award (continued)

Feasibility Study
Efforts
(Aug 2021)

 Updating technical and economic evaluations of the draft preliminary design report to summarize findings in a feasibility report

Programmatic Environmental Impact Report (Sept 2021)

• The PEIR is underway

Financial Commitments (Oct 2021)

IEUA's financial commitments pending local agency partnerships



How Early Funding Will Be Used

- Early funding will be used to support program planning and development costs from 2018 - 2023
- Total request is ~4% of the eligible MCED

Task	Cost	Schedule
Task 1: Project Management	\$632,000	2023
Task 2: Environmental Documentation	\$475,000	January 1, 2022
Task 3: Permits and Agreements	\$1,704,000	2023
Task 4: Feasibility, Design and Technical Studies	\$5,219,000	January 1, 2022
Task 5: Communication and Engagement	\$889,000	2023
Total Eligible Cost	\$8,919,000	