

## **Sustainability Commission**

# **Urban Water Management Plan Water Shortage Contingency Plan**

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## Required by Law:

Every urban water Agency in California is required to submit an Urban Water Management Plan (UWMP), which now includes a Water Shortage Contingency Plan (WSCP) every five Years.

#### What is an UWMP?

- Long-term resource planning to ensure adequate water supplies and to meet existing and future water demands.
- Prepared every five years and updated to reflect any changing conditions.
- Required if a water supplier provides more than 3,000 acrefeet per year or serves more than 3,000 connections.
  (1 acre-foot=325,000 gallons)

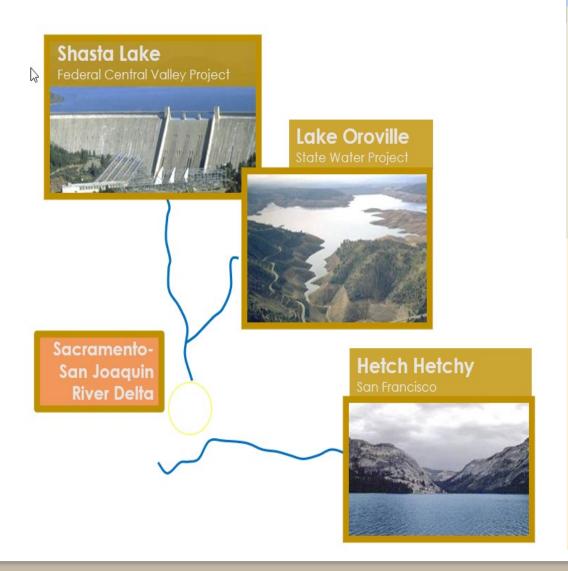
#### **Key Elements**

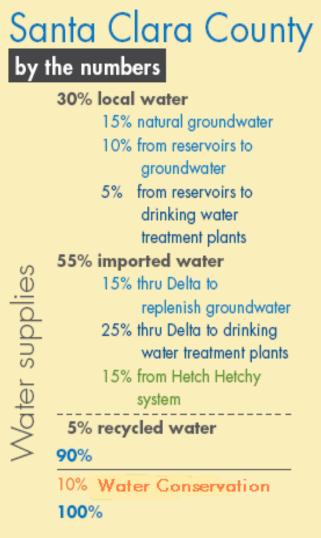
- Water Supply
- Water Demand
- Water Supply Reliability
- Water Conservation
- Water Shortage Contingency Plan

#### **Updates Since 2016**

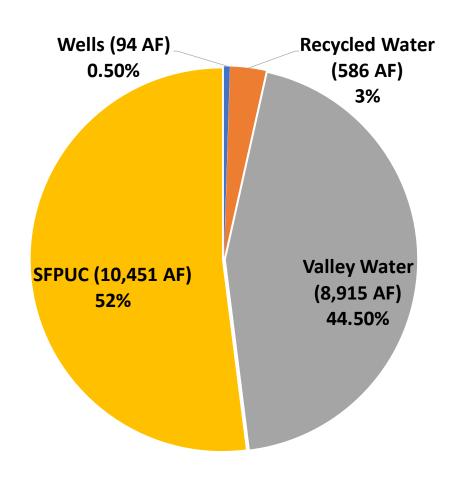
- Bay-Delta Plan approved by the State Water Board in December 2018 and takes effect in 2023.
- Bay-Delta Plan requires 30%-50% unimpaired flow on the Tuolumne River
- Updated populations and employment projections
- Impacts of the 2014-2016 droughts and resulting ongoing water conservation.
- Recycled water collaboration with the Water District.

## **Sources of Supply Santa Clara County**

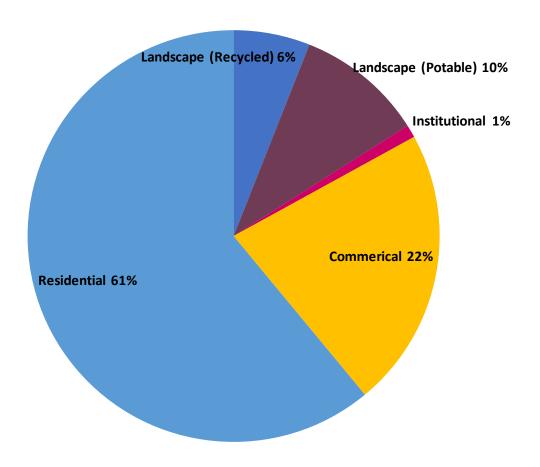




#### Sunnyvale's Sources of Water Supply FY 2019-2020

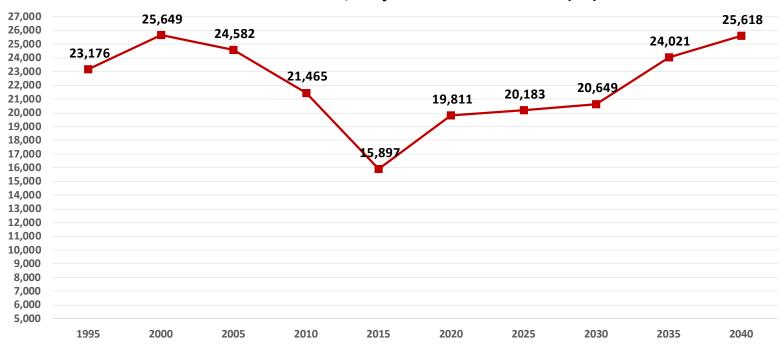


#### 2020-Water Sales

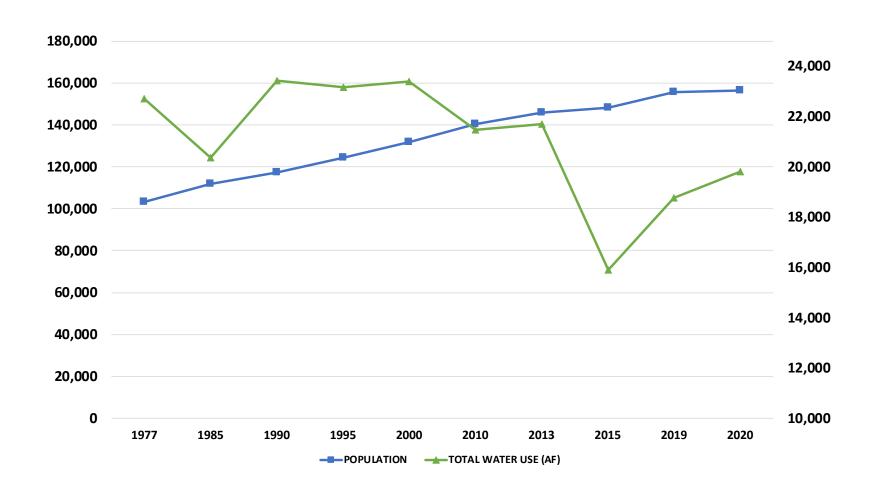


#### Potable Water Demands

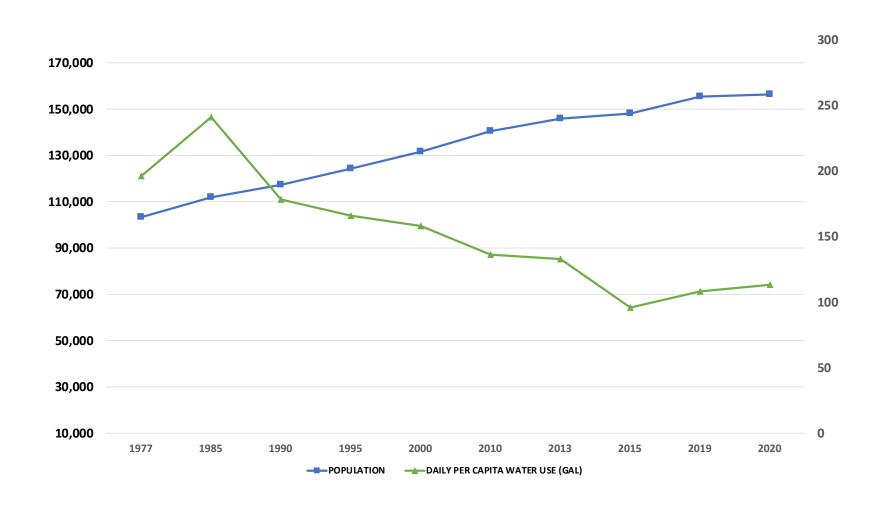
#### Historic Water Use/Projected Water Demand (AF)



## Water Use vs. Population



## Per Capita Water Use



## SBx7-7 Compliance



#### 5-Year Drought Risk Assessment

Year	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Available Supply( acre-feet)	27,248	27,470	22,605	22,715	22,875
Sunnyvale Water Demand	19,952	19,998	20,045	20,091	20,183
Difference (Surplus)	7,296	7,472	2,561	2,625	2,642

Conclusion: With a diversified portfolio of water supply, combined with public outreach and demand management programs, Sunnyvale will be able to weather a 5-year drought.

## **Water Shortage Contingency Plan**

#### **Council Actions Tailored for each stage:**

Plan Stage	Target Water Savings	
Normal	-	
1	Up to 10%	
II	10%-20%	
III	20%-30%	
IV	30%-40%	
V	40%-50%	
VI	>50%	

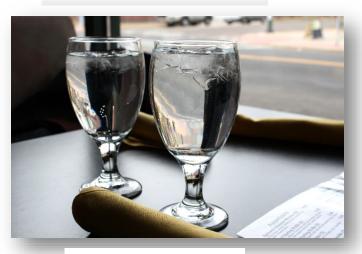
- Public Outreach
- Demand Side Management
- Rate Structures
- Water Use Restrictions
- Water Allocations

#### **Current Drought:**

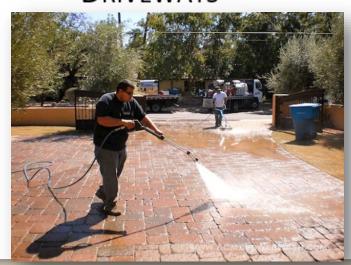
- Valley Water Calls for 15% reduction compared to 2019
- SFPUC Calls for 15% voluntary reduction compared to 2020
- Governor call for 15% reduction compared to 2020
- Sunnyvale staff will be recommending that Council declare a Stage 2 Drought Emergency calling for 15% reduction

## Permanent Restrictions in Sunnyvale Municipal Code 12.034.020

#### SERVING WATER



**DRIVEWAYS** 



CAR WASHING



RUNOFF



#### **Water Conservation Programs**

- 1. Residential Programs
  - 2. Landscape Programs
  - Commercial, Industrial, Institutional Programs
  - 4. Agricultural Programs
  - Outreach/Education



#### **Cities Participation**

- Over 2300 orders since launch with only 3 days of active advertisement
- Areas with highest participation:
  - San Jose (1085), Sunnyvale (141), and Cupertino (134)
- Most ordered items:
  - Hose Nozzles (2250), Dye Tablets ( and Bathroom Aerators (2002)



## **Questions?**