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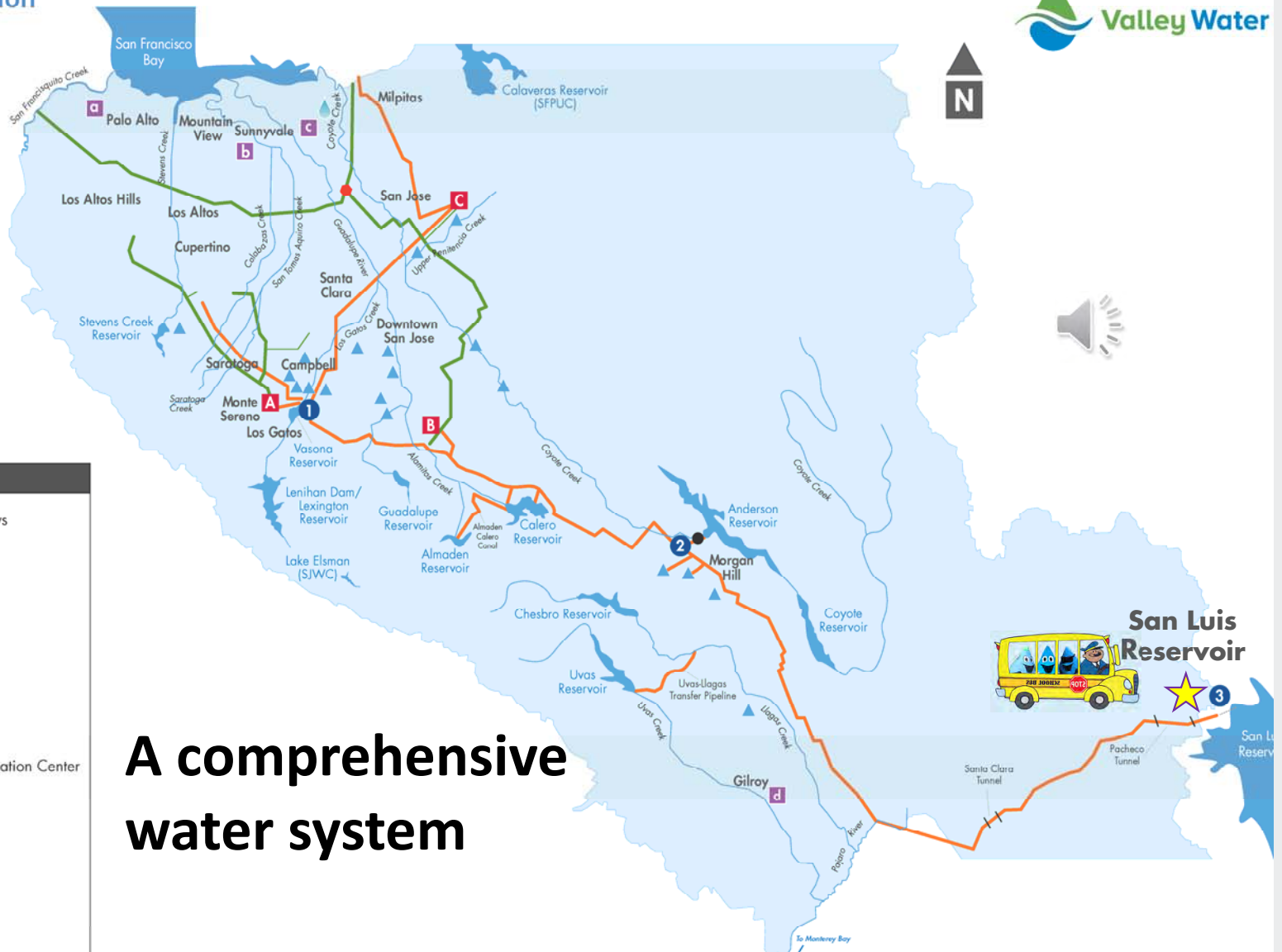
Virtual Tour Stops

- South County Road Trip
 - San Luis Reservoir
 - Pacheco Reservoir Expansion Project
 - Anderson Dam Retrofit Project
- *Q&A on San Luis/Pacheco/Anderson*
- Coyote Creek Project
- Permanente Creek (McKelvey Park) Project
- *Q&A on Coyote and Permanente Creeks*
- *Break*
- Water Treatment Plants
- Silicon Valley Advanced Water Purification Center
- *Q&A on Water Treat Plants/Purification Center*
- Wrap Up

Tour Videos - <https://tinyurl.com/watertourvideos>



Water Supply Distribution Map



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Water Supply Division





San Luis Reservoir

Trinity Lake

Shasta Lake

- State Water Project
- Central Valley Project
- Combined CVP & SWP
- Semitropic Water Storage District

Lake Oroville

Folsom Lake

New Melones Reservoir

South Bay Aqueduct

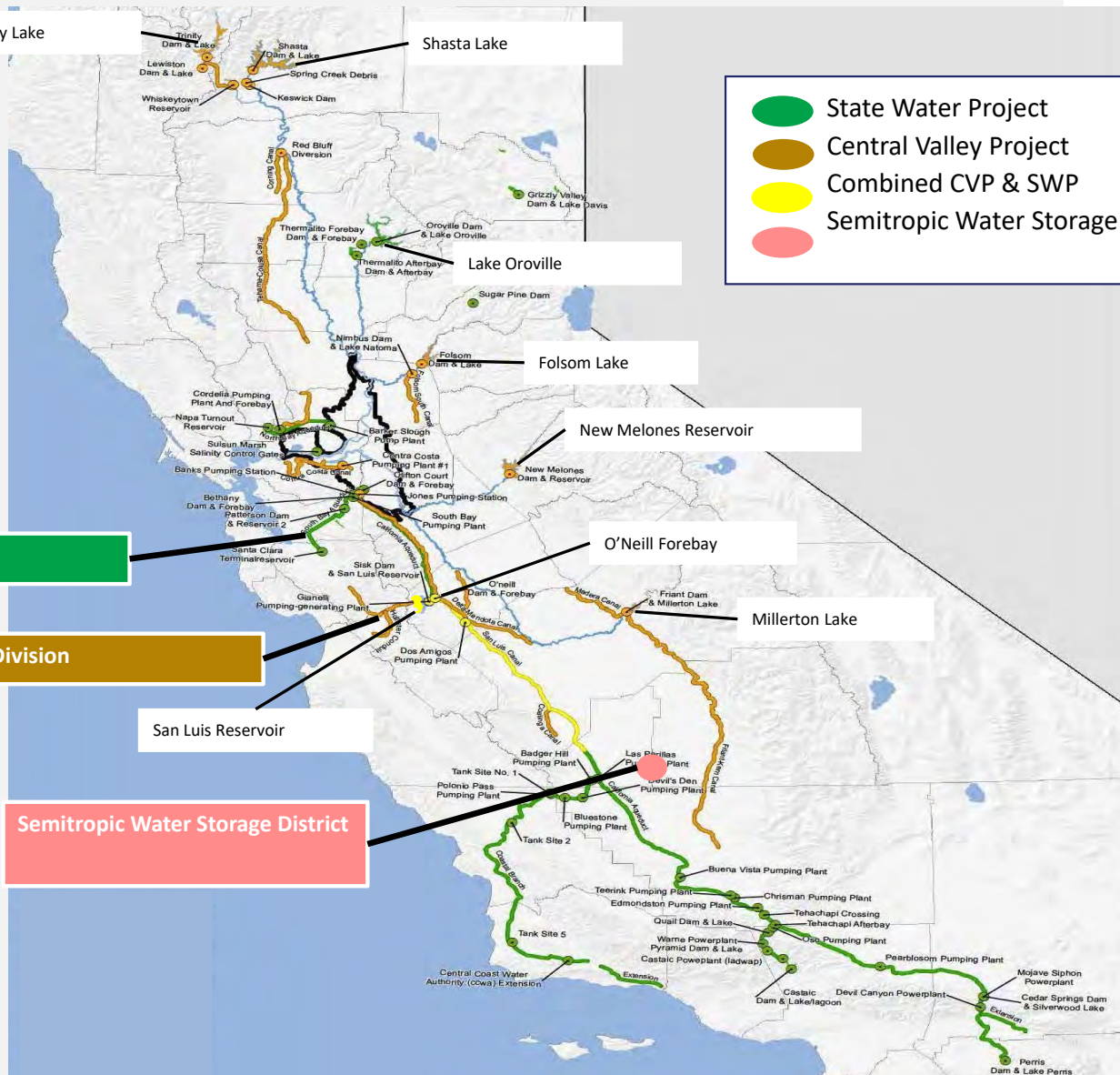
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O'Neill Forebay

Millerton Lake

San Luis Reservoir

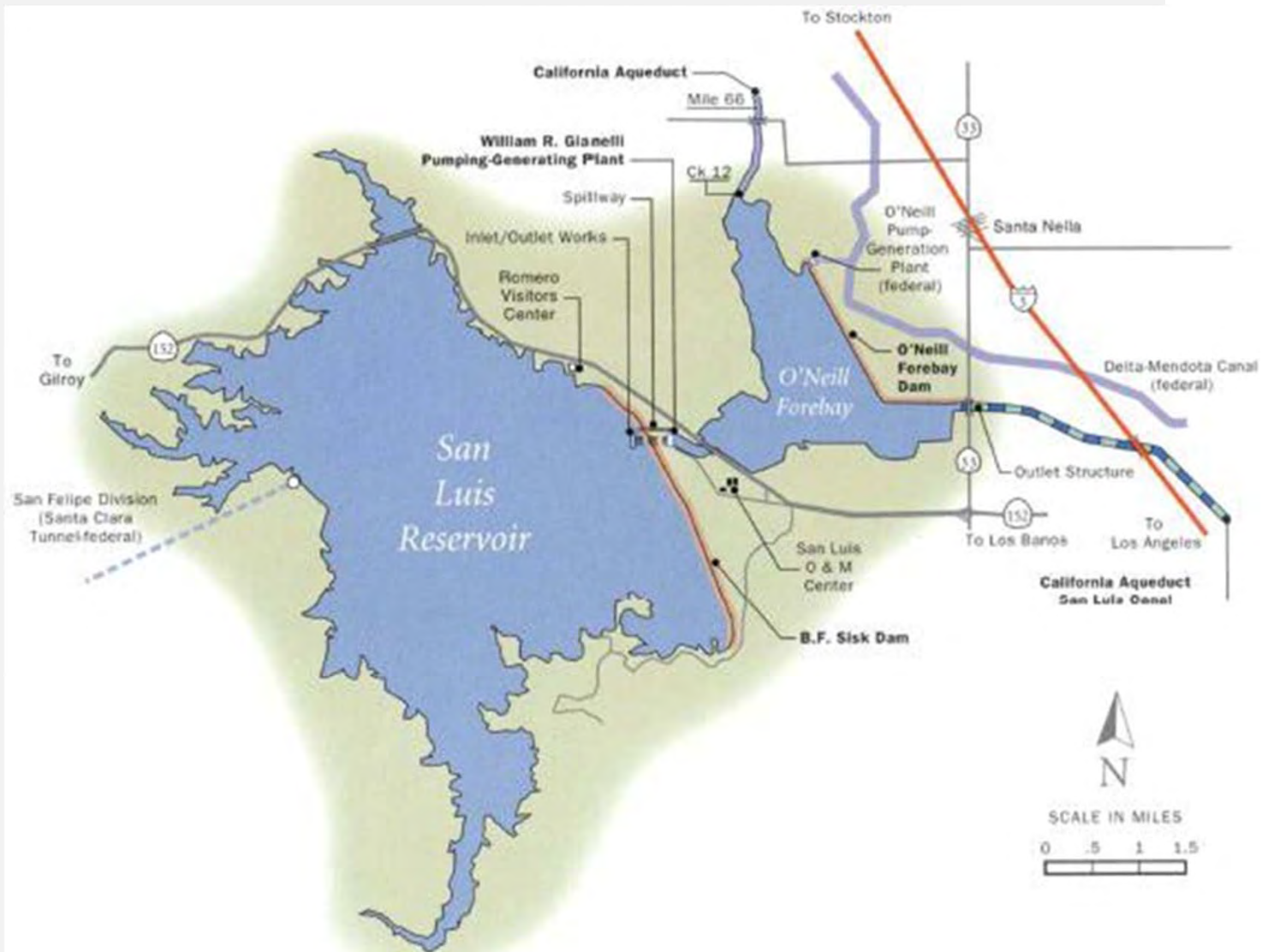
Semitropic Water Storage District



District map

Water Supply Distribution





San Luis Low Point

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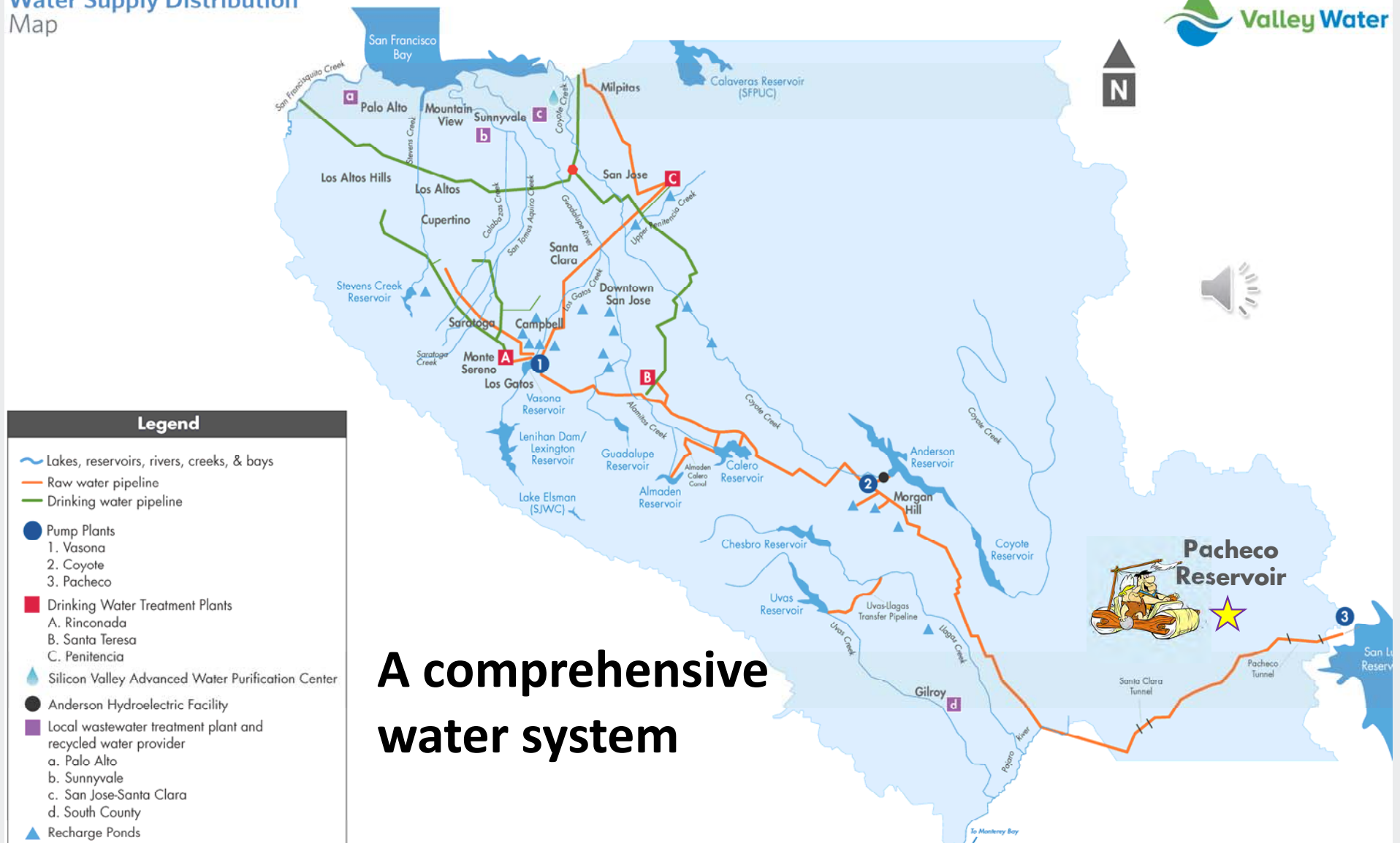
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San Luis Low Point Improvement Project

Valley Water is partnering with the US Bureau of Reclamation to explore utilizing expansion of the Pacheco Reservoir as a potential solution to the San Luis Reservoir Low Point Problem

- San Luis Reservoir is owned by Reclamation and jointly operated with DWR.
- The San Luis Low Point Improvement Project is being conducted in parallel to the locally led Pacheco Reservoir Expansion Project effort being sponsored by Valley Water and the San Benito County Water District.
- Paralleling the two projects provides multiple paths to potential WIIN Act funding.

Water Supply Distribution Map





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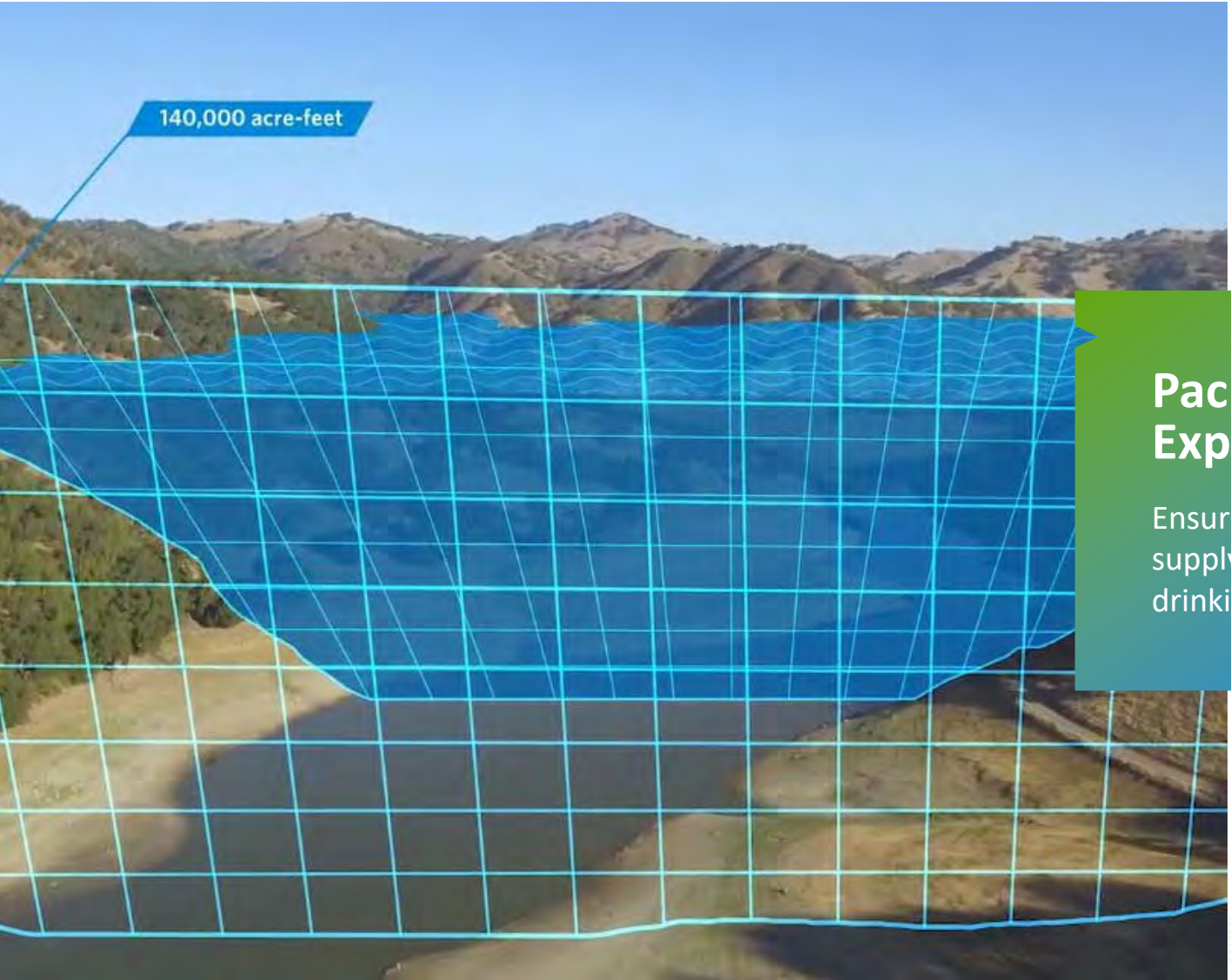
Expanding Local Storage and Supply

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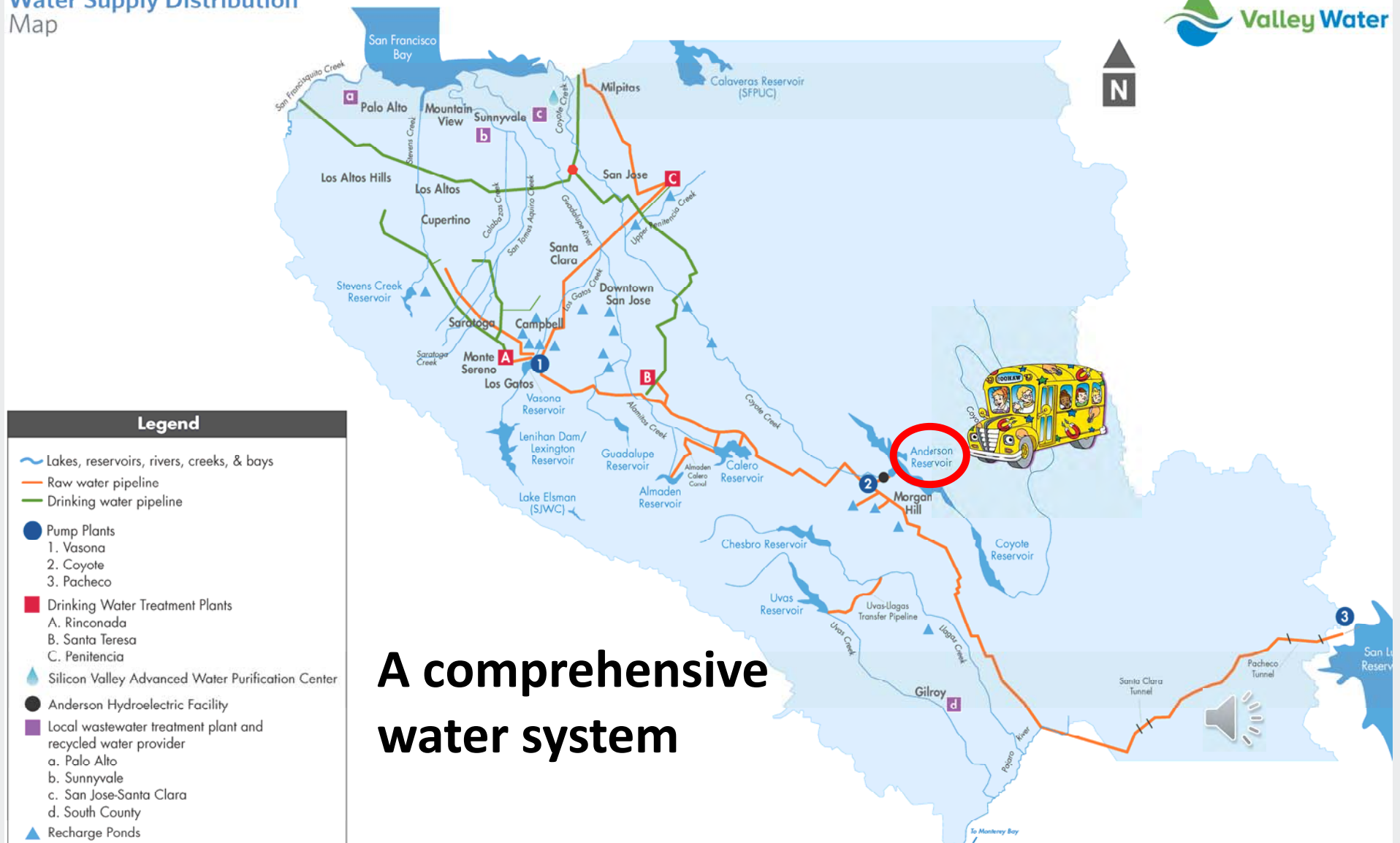
Pacheco Reservoir Expansion Project

Ensuring a more reliable
supply of safe, clean
drinking water

140,000 acre-feet

An aerial photograph of the Pacheco Reservoir. A large area of the reservoir is overlaid with a blue grid, representing the expansion project. A blue callout box in the upper left corner points to the grid and contains the text "140,000 acre-feet". The background shows the reservoir's surface, surrounding dry hills, and a clear blue sky.

Water Supply Distribution Map





Time for a pulse check!



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Regulatory Agencies

Federal

- FERC - Federal Energy Regulatory Commission lead on design and environmental
- USACE - US Army Corps of Engineers
- US Fish and Wildlife Service
- US Environmental Protection Agency
- National Oceanic and Atmospheric Association - NOAA
 - National Marine Fisheries Service - NMFS

State

- Division of Safety of Dams – DSOD
- California Office of Historic Preservation (SHPO)
- California Department of Fish and Wildlife
- State Water Resources Control Board
 - Regional Water Quality Control Board

County

- Valley Habitat Agency
- Santa Clara County Parks

Cities of:

- Morgan Hill
- Gilroy
- San Jose

Aging Infrastructure

Anderson Reservoir Retrofit Project

Ensuring a more reliable supply of safe, clean drinking water

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Questions?



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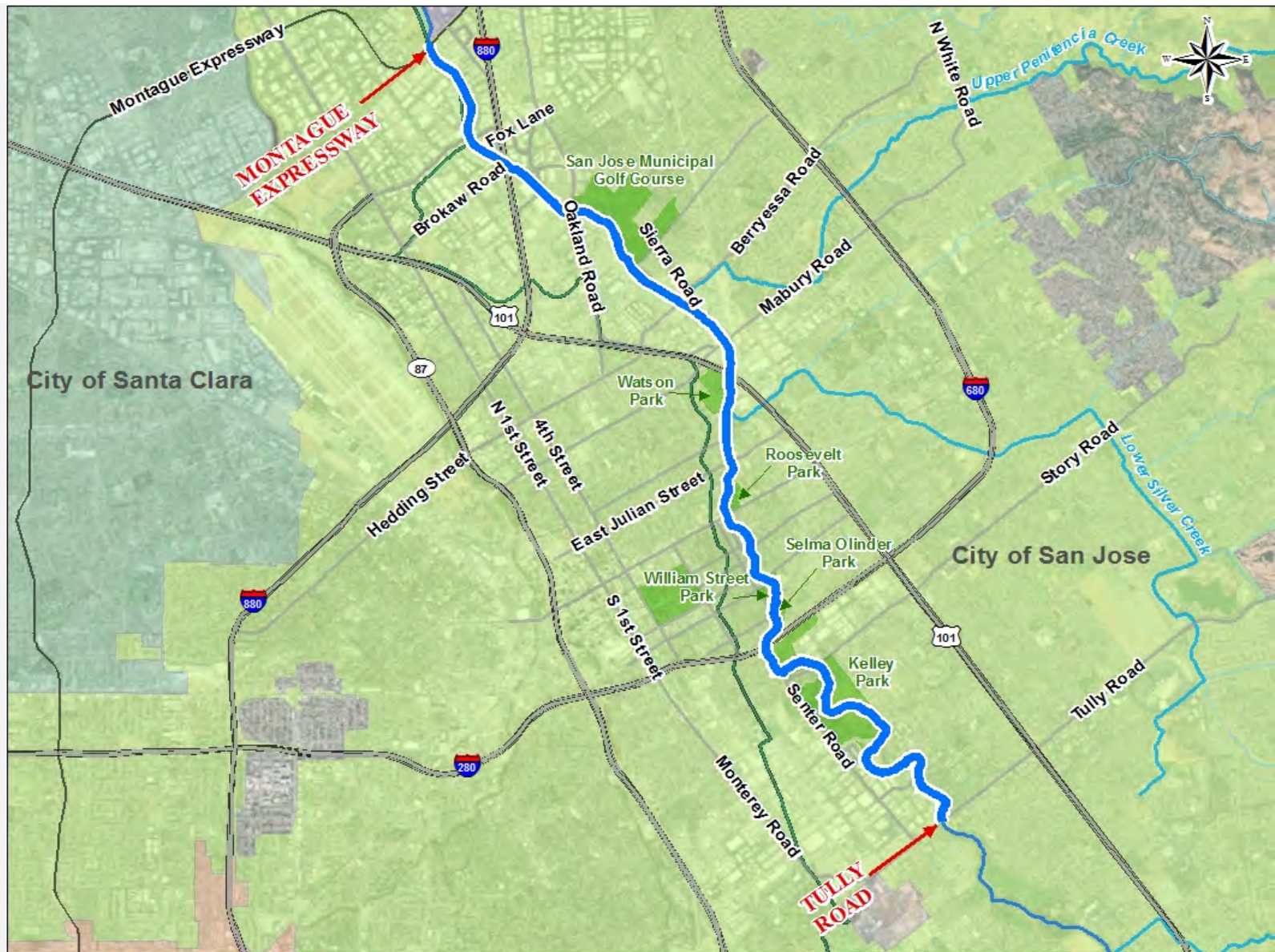
Water Resources Planning and Policy Unit



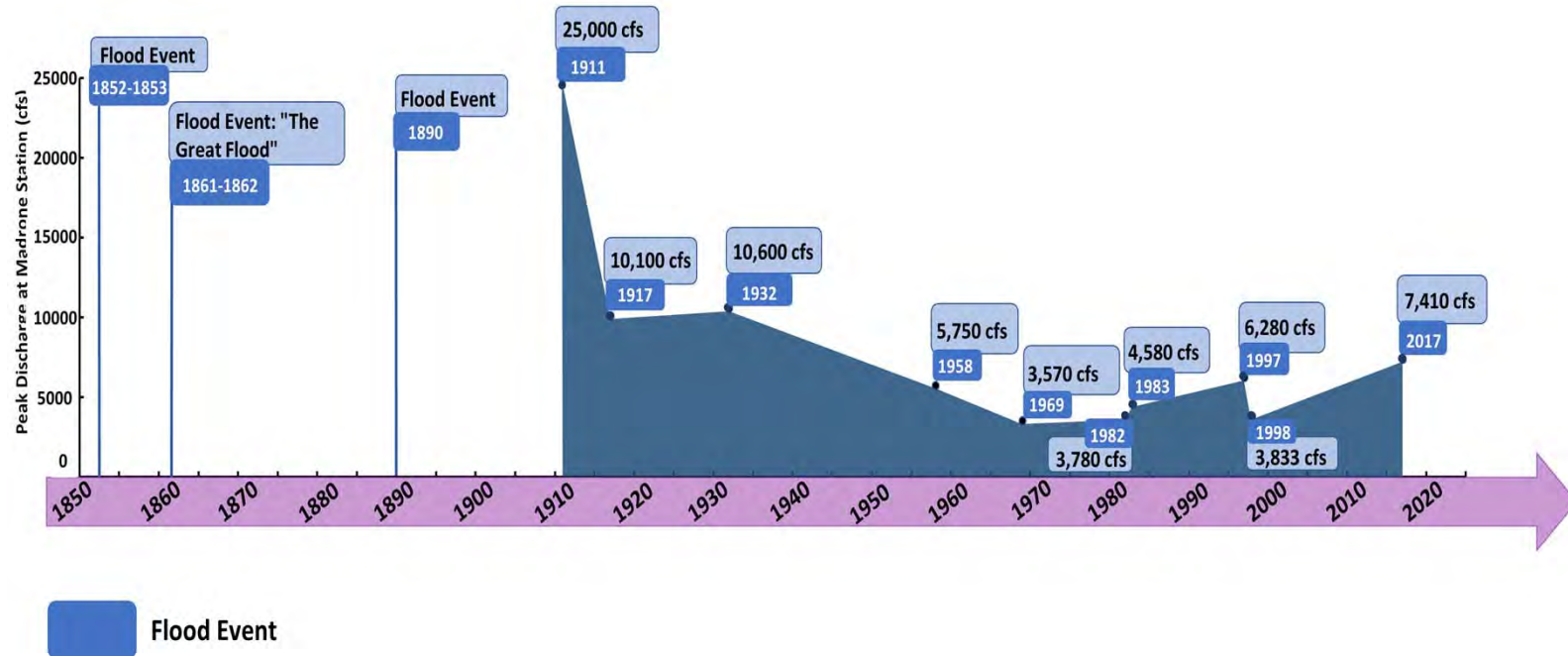


Coyote Creek Flood Protection Project

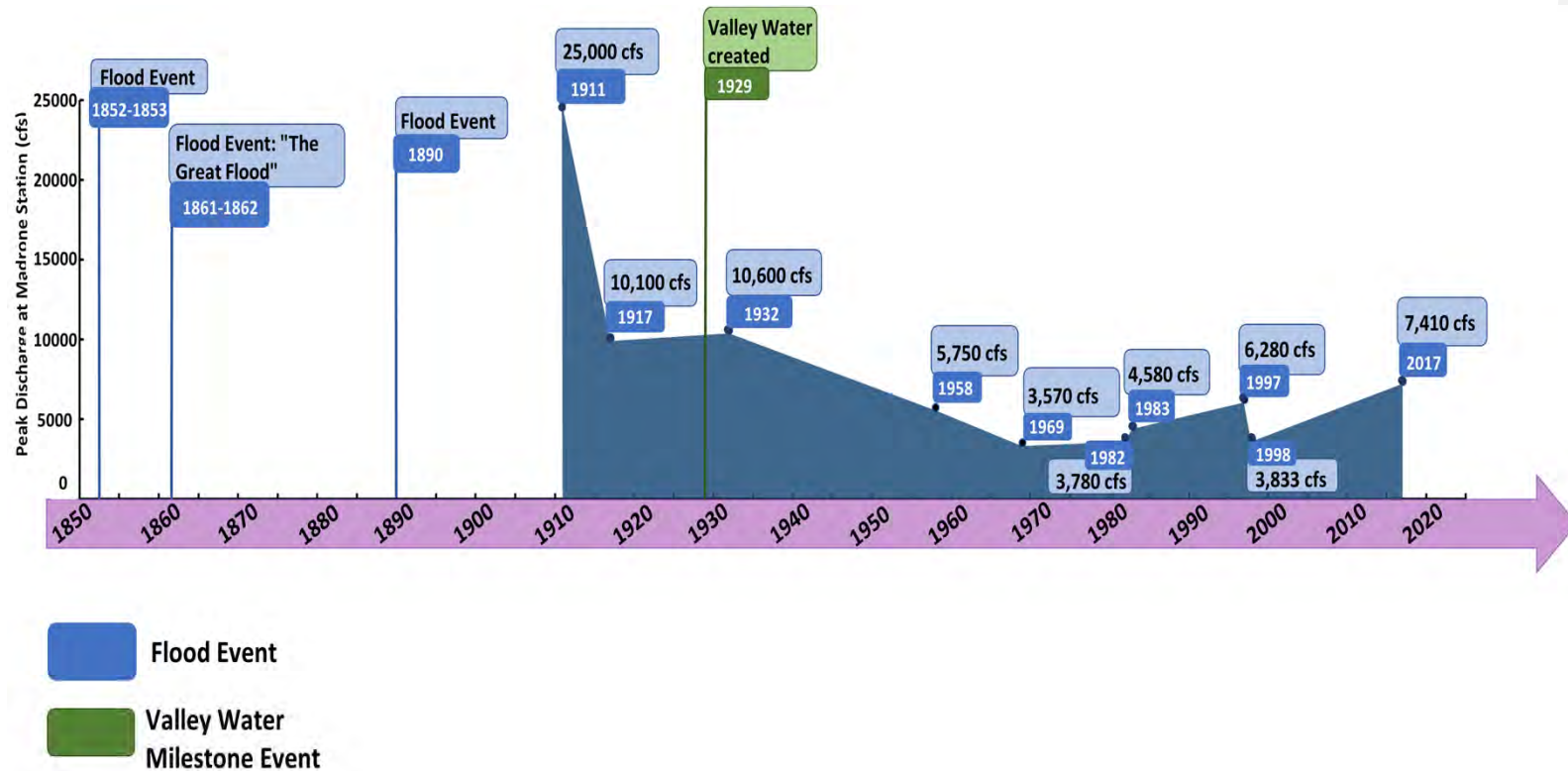




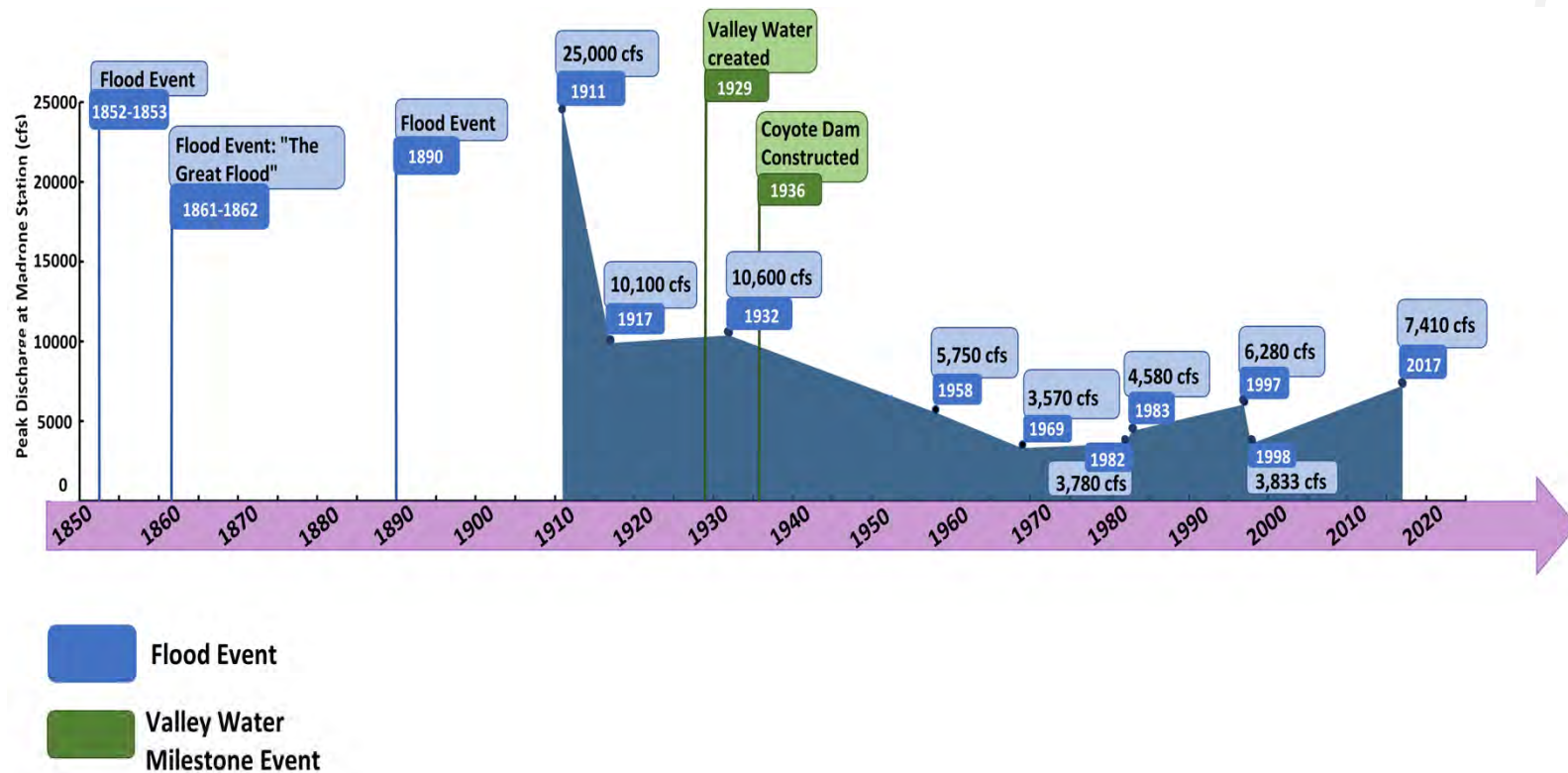
History of Coyote Creek Floods



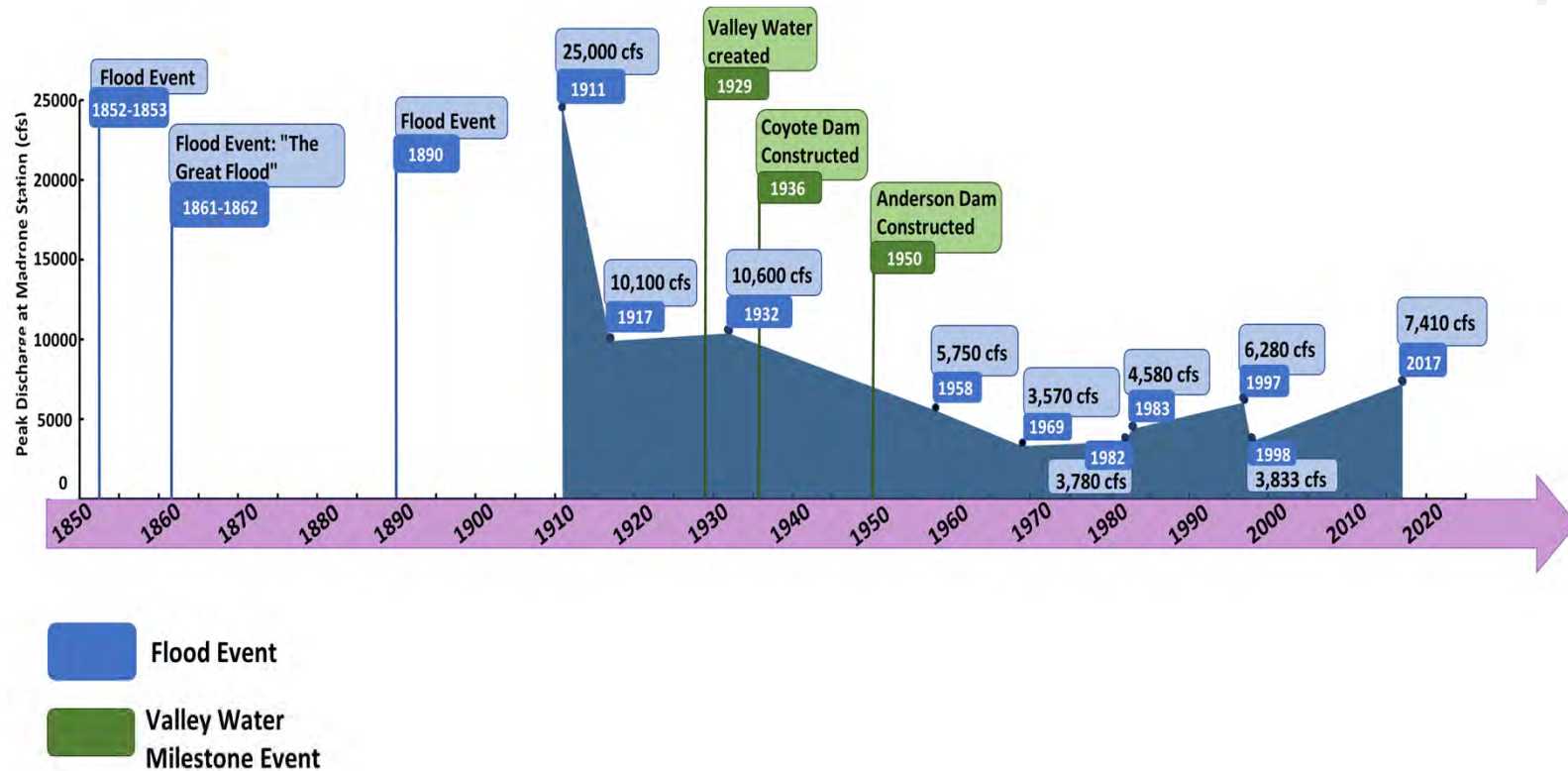
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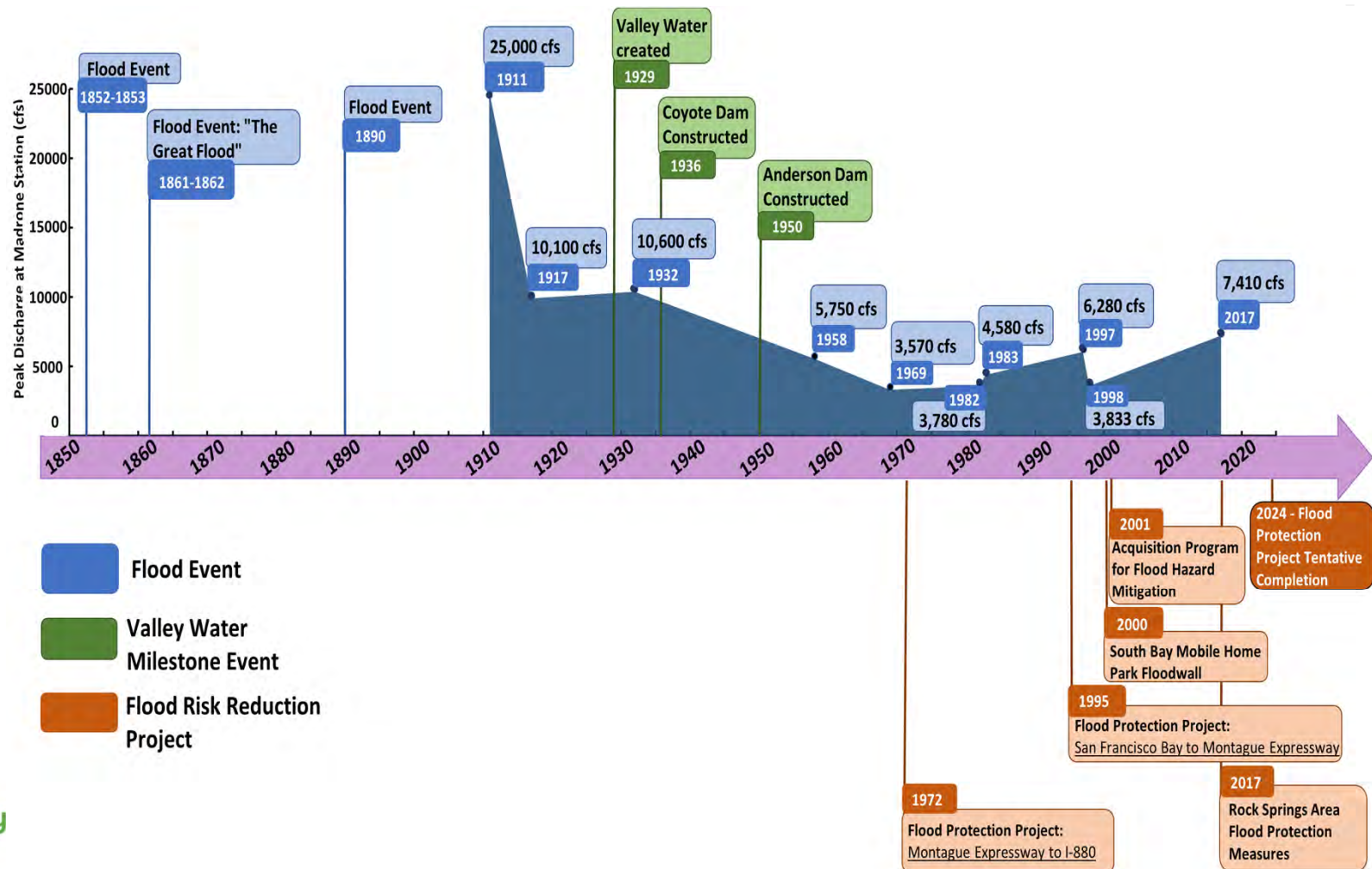


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History of Coyote Creek Floods

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Flooding History: Santa Clara Street, January 1890

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Source: Loomis, P., *Signposts*, [Limited 1st ed.].
San Jose Historical Museum Association. San Jose, Calif. 74 p.

Boating down W. Santa Clara Street, January, 1890

Flooding History: Monterey Road, March 7-9, 1911



Flooding History: Nordale Avenue, January 27, 1997



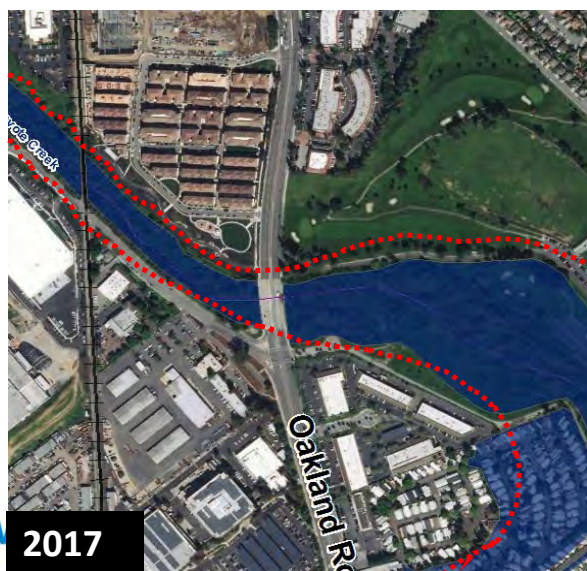
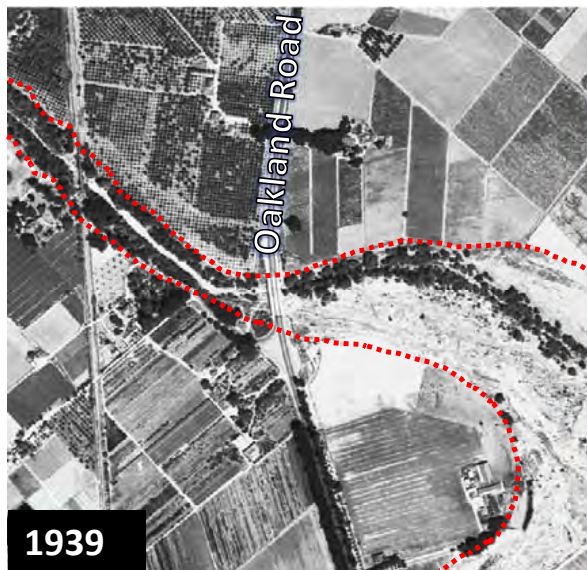
Flooding History: Golden Wheel Mobile Home Park, February 8, 1998

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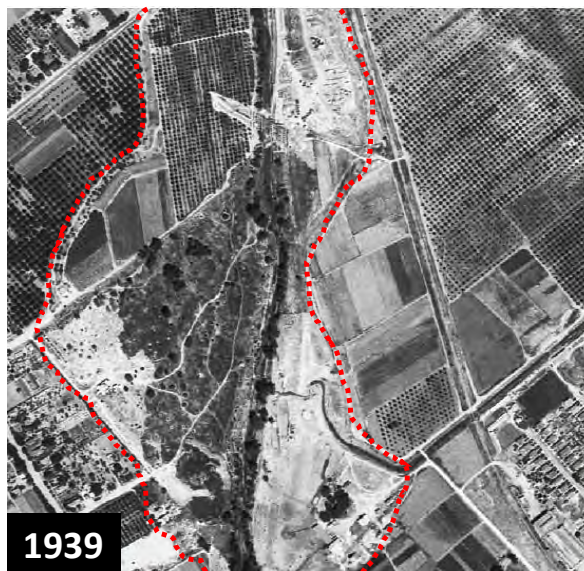
Flooding History: William Street Park, February 2017





Historical Landscape Conditions: *Oakland Road*

Source: Grossinger, Robin, et al., 2006. Coyote Creek Watershed Historical Ecology Study: Historical Condition, Landscape Change, and Restoration potential in the Eastern Santa Clara Valley, California.

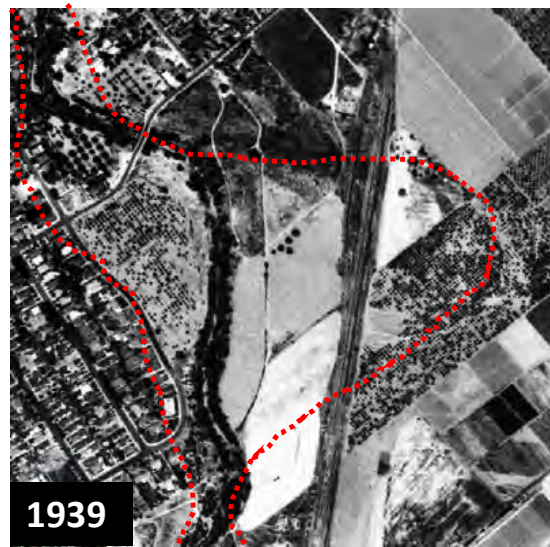


Historical Landscape Conditions: *Watson Park*

Source: Grossinger, Robin, et al., 2006. Coyote Creek Watershed Historical Ecology Study: Historical Condition, Landscape Change, and Restoration potential in the Eastern Santa Clara Valley, California.



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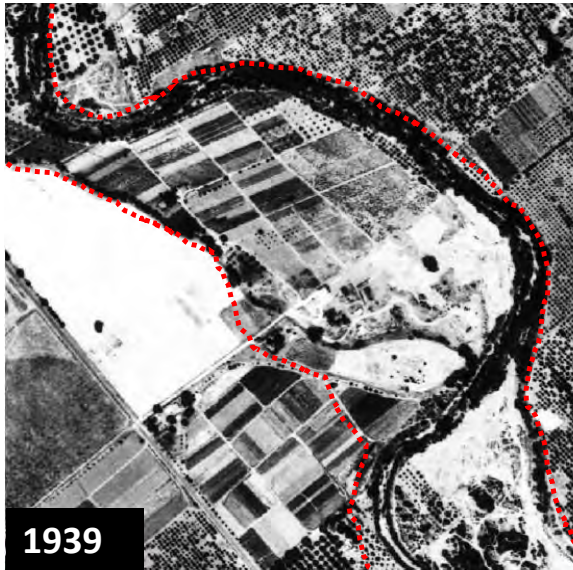
2002



2017

William Street Park

Source: Grossinger, Robin, et al., 2006. Coyote Creek Watershed Historical Ecology Study: Historical Condition, Landscape Change, and Restoration potential in the Eastern Santa Clara Valley, CA.



Historical Landscape Conditions: *Kelley Park*

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Project Objective:

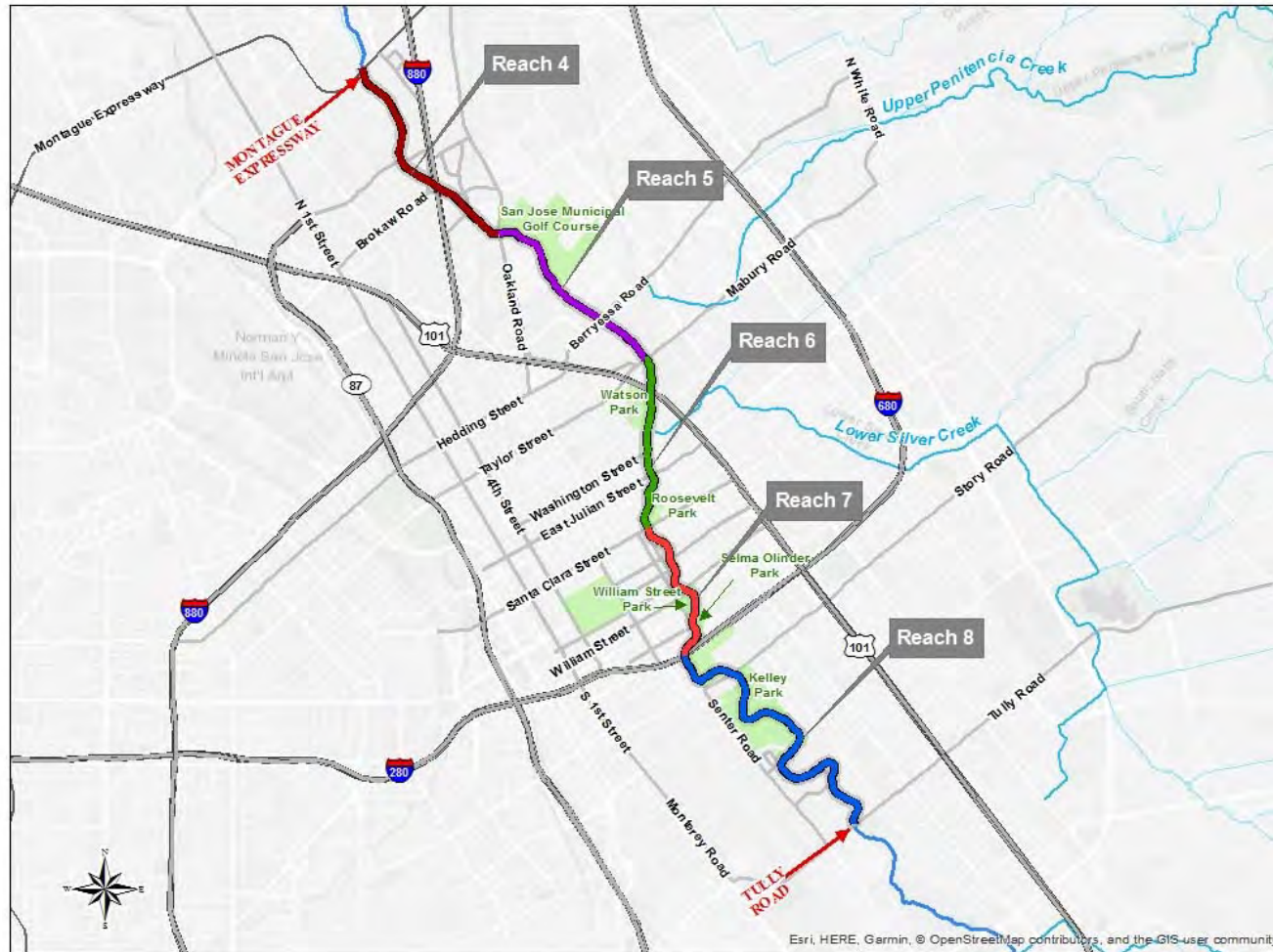
Reduce Risk of Flooding from a flood event equivalent to the February 2017 event

Additional Project goals:

- **Stream Habitat Enhancement**
- **Improve Water Quality**
- **Provide for Public Access and Recreation**
- **Minimize Need for Future Maintenance Activities**

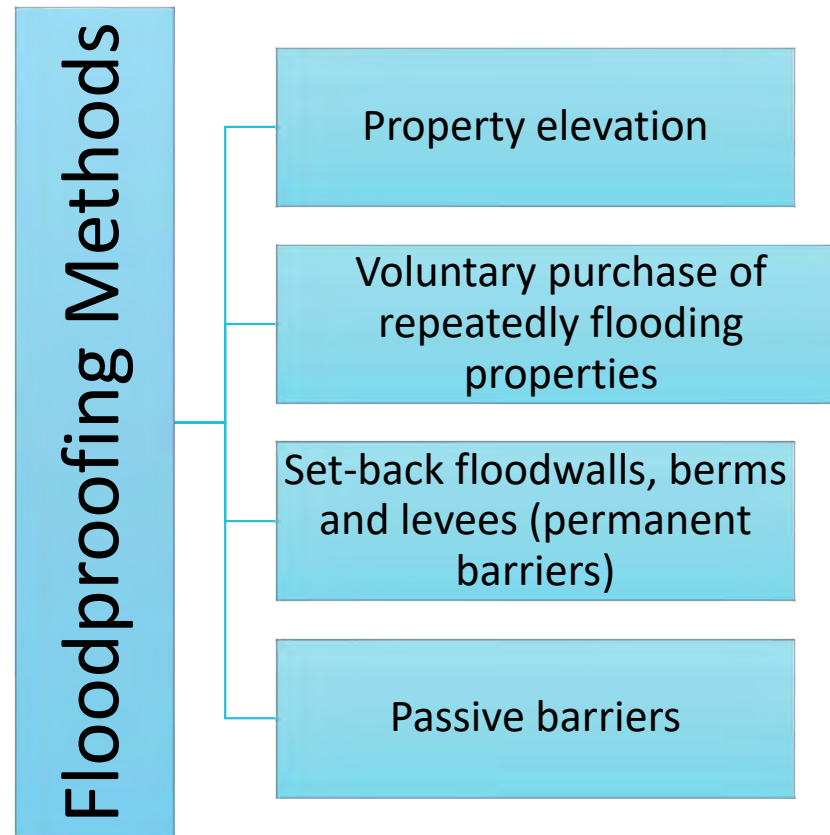
Project Reaches

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Flood Mitigation Strategies

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Flood Mitigation Strategies

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Flood Risk Reduction Work Since 2017



Floodwall and berm installation



Invasive vegetation Management and
blockage removal



Installation of visible stream gauges



Levee Repair















Project Components, Status and Timeline

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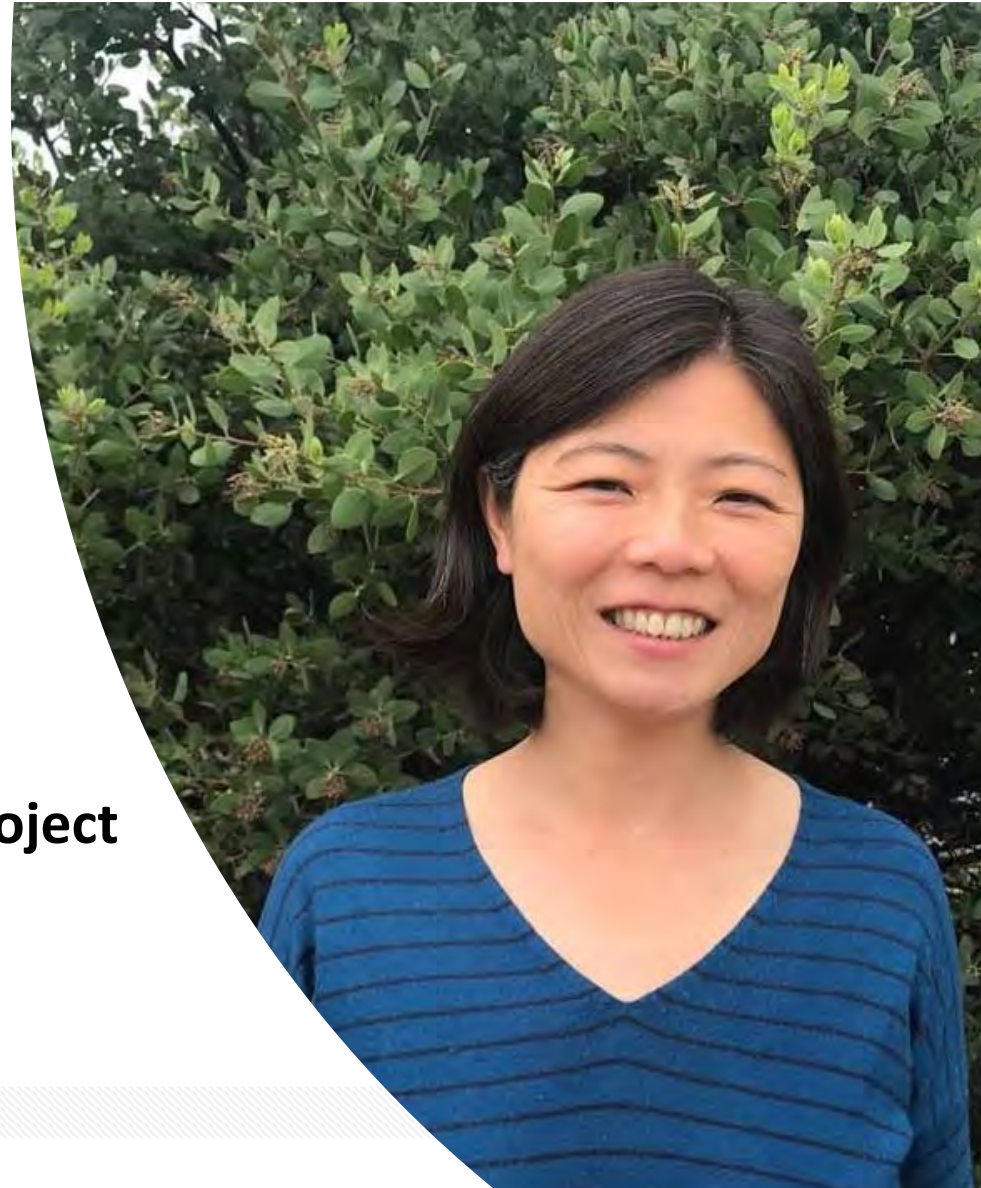
Expedited Project Timeline: Assumes project alternative selected for implementation does not require extensive permitting

Components	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Problem Definition								
Conceptual Alternatives								
Feasible Alternatives								
Planning Study Report								
Design and Permitting								
Construction								

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Permanente Creek Flood Protection Project





Permanente Creek Flood Protection Project

Water 101 Tour – May 20, 2020

Project Objectives

- Provide 1% flood protection to Mountain View and Los Altos using a natural flood protection approach
- Address deteriorating concrete channels
- Provide opportunities for environmental enhancements and recreational benefits
- Minimize long-term maintenance cost



Permanente Project Elements

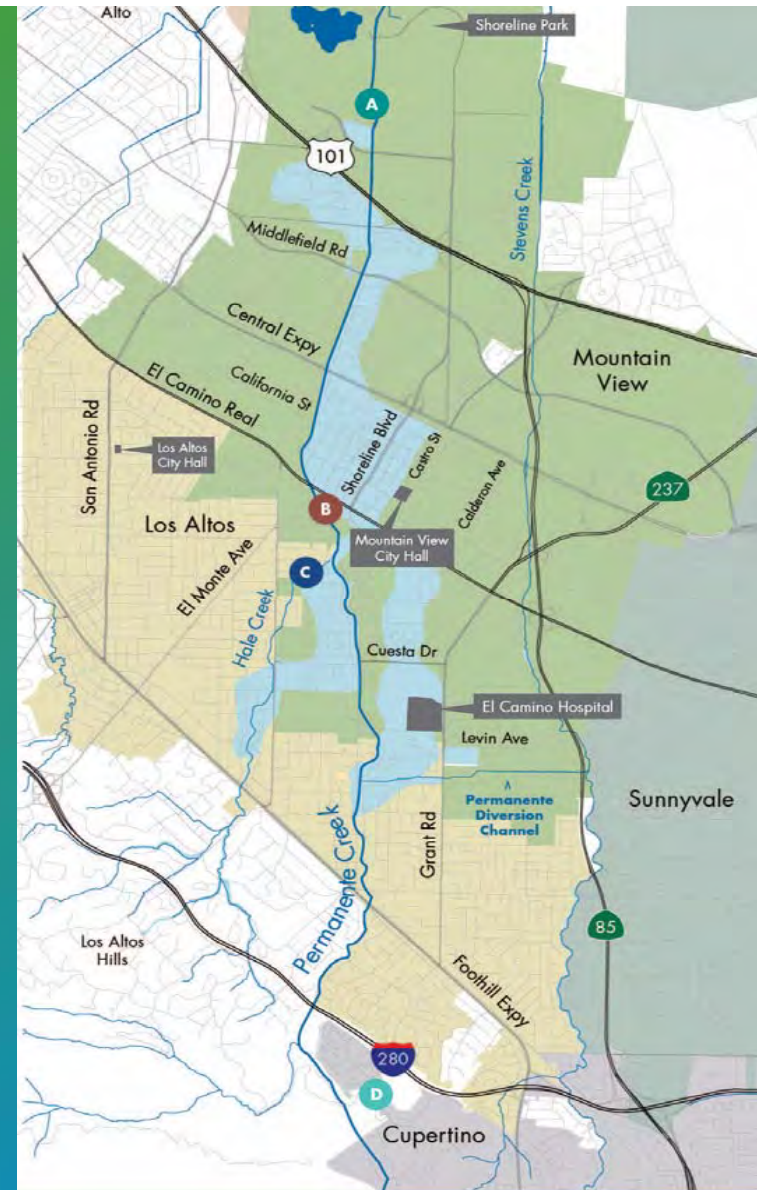
A Floodwalls

C Channel widening

Flood detention areas:

B McKelvey Park

D Rancho San Antonio
Park



Project Cost

- Planning and Design: \$13M
- Construction: \$76M
- Construction Contract Amounts
 - McKelvey Detention Basin: \$31M
 - Rancho San Antonio Detention Basin: \$19M
 - Permanente Creek Channel Improvements: \$8M
- Funding Source
 - Watershed Stream Stewardship Fund
 - Safe Clean Water Fund

Project Description

Channel Improvements

- Floodwalls
- Channel Widening



Floodwall

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Channel Widening

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Project Description

McKelvey Park

- Sunken fields
- 13 concrete retaining and soldier pile walls
- Weir & pump station
- Other park amenities



Babe Ruth Field

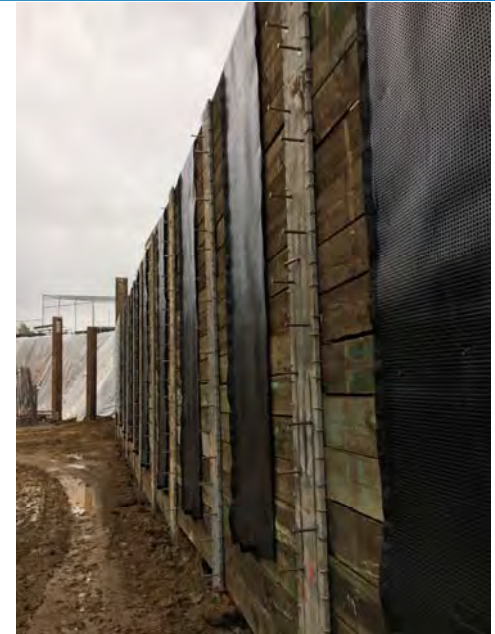


Little League Field

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Weir and Pump Station



Pedestrian Bridge

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Babe Ruth Field Building

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Little League Field Building

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Community Building

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Mini Park (Shaefer Park)

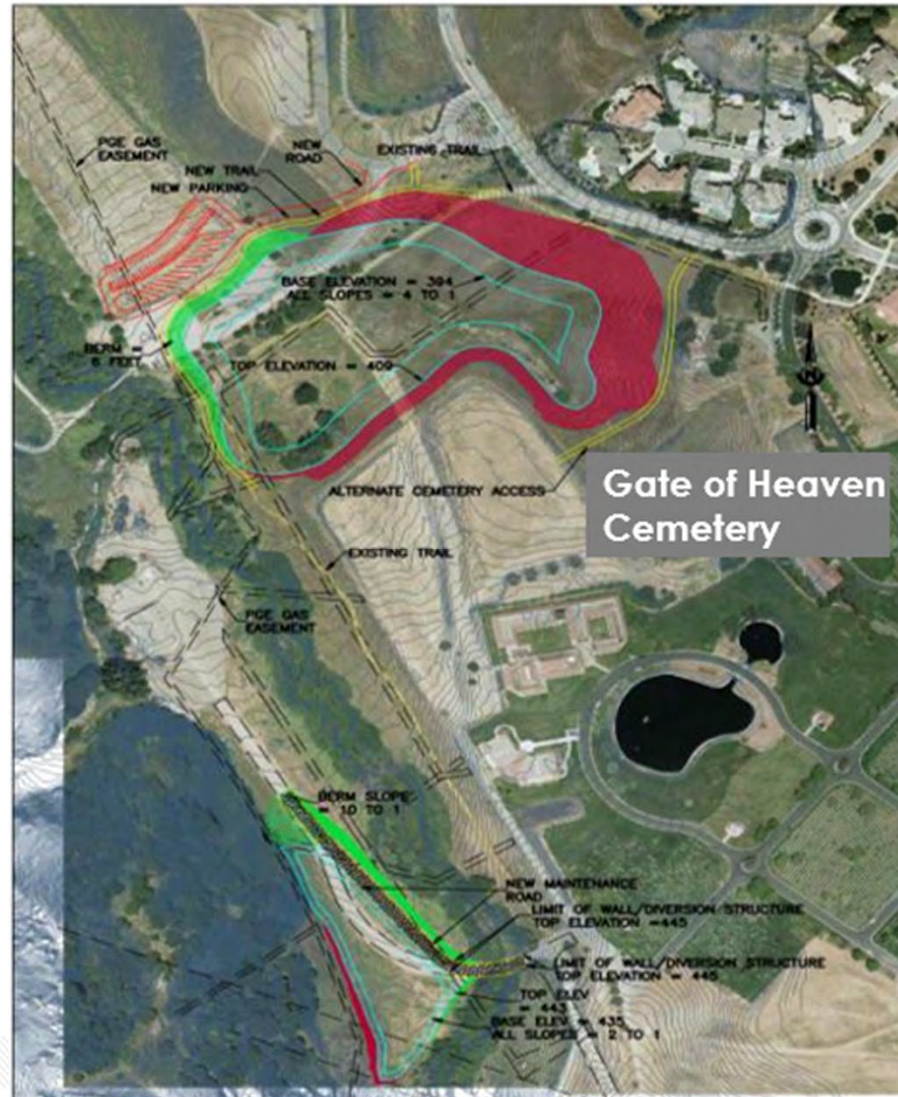




Project Description

Rancho San Antonio

- Detention Basins
- Maintenance Bridge
- Restroom/Leach Field
- Parking Lot
- Planting



Inlet Structure and South Basin

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North Basin and New Parking Lot

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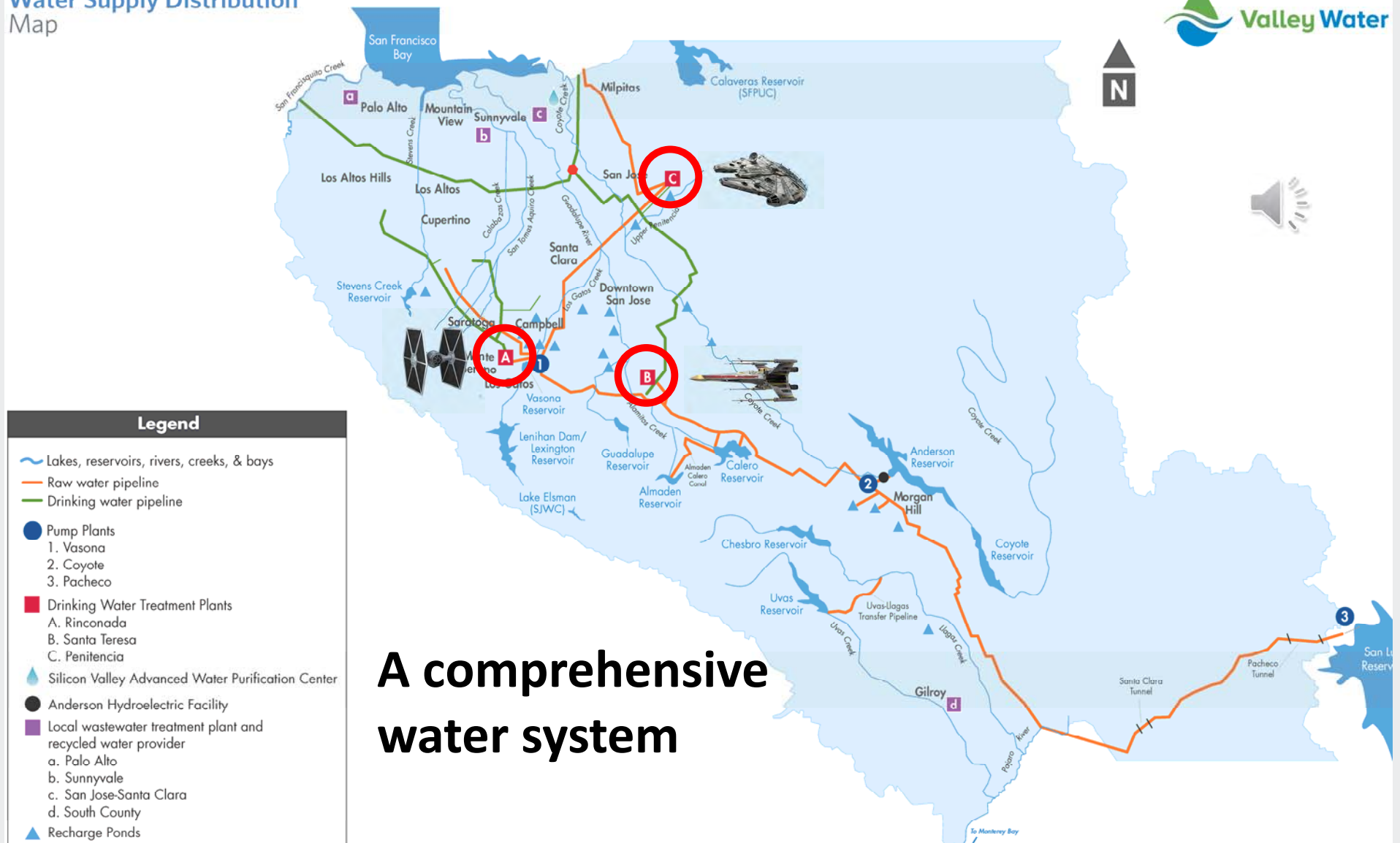
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**Safe, Clean
Water**

**Water Treatment
Plants**



Water Supply Distribution Map





**Steve Twitchell,
*Plant Supervisor***

Rinconada Water Treatment Plant





Disinfection
(Rinconada after improvements)

**Pre-Ozone
(Raw Water Ozonation)**



**Removing
particles and
other solids
from the
water**

Flocculation
Solids clump together

Sedimentation
Clumps sink and removed

Clarifier tanks

Disinfection (Santa Teresa and Penitencia)

Intermediate Ozonation

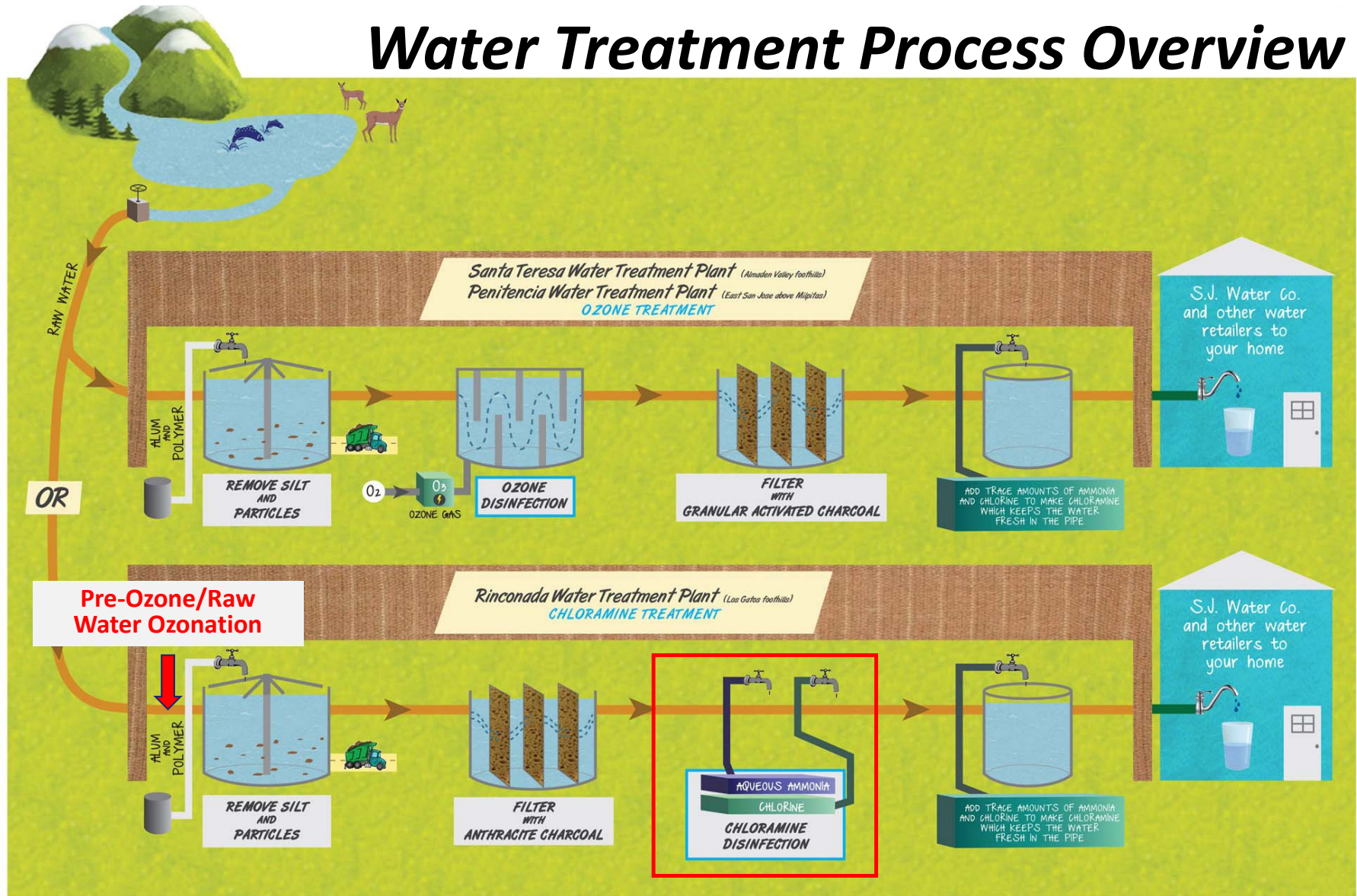


Filtration

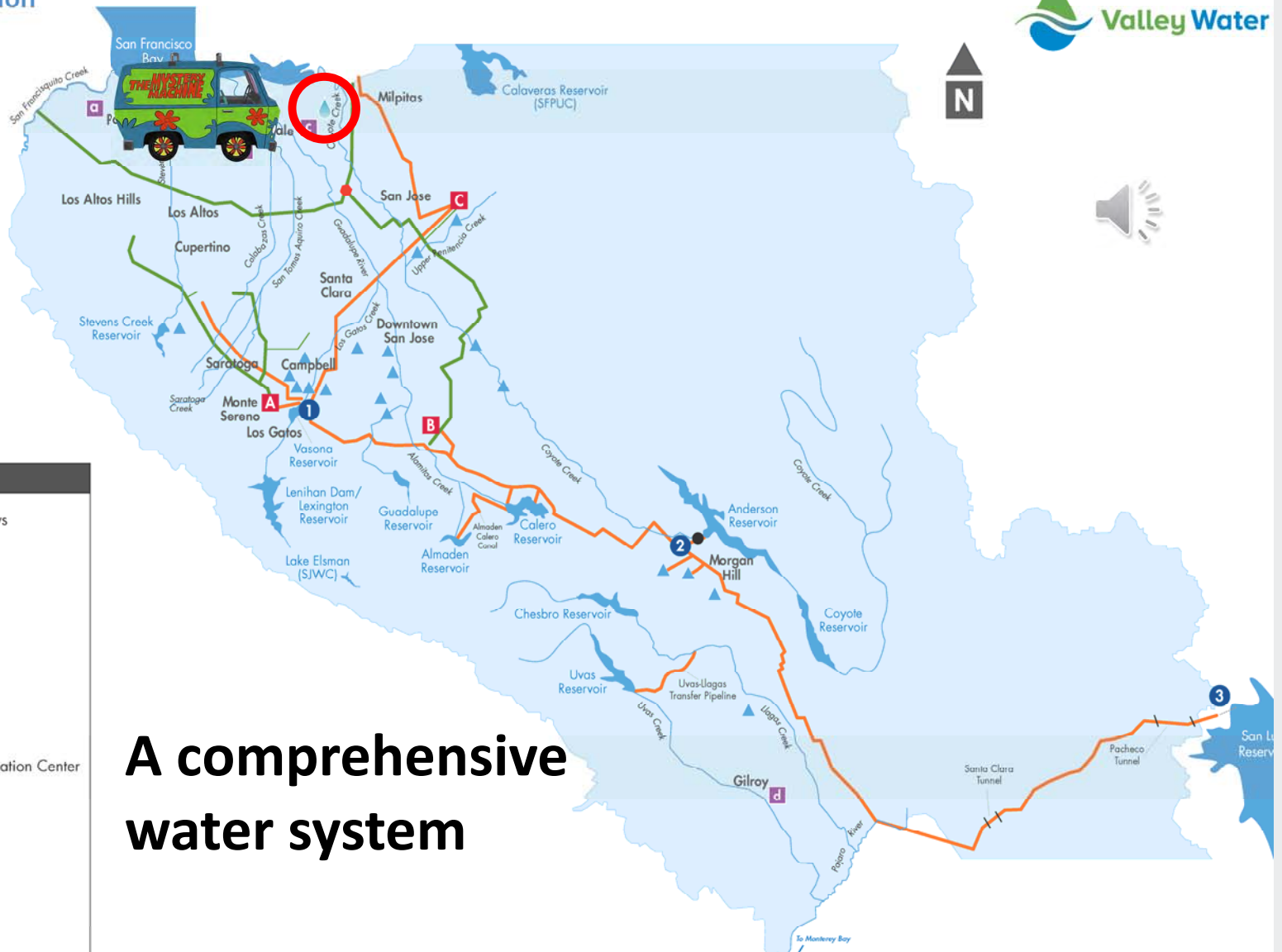
Removing
microscopic
particles



Water Treatment Process Overview



Water Supply Distribution Map



Legend

- Lakes, reservoirs, rivers, creeks, & bays
- Raw water pipeline
- Drinking water pipeline
- Pump Plants
 - 1. Vasona
 - 2. Coyote
 - 3. Pacheco
- Drinking Water Treatment Plants
 - A. Rinconada
 - B. Santa Teresa
 - C. Penitencia
- Silicon Valley Advanced Water Purification Center
- Anderson Hydroelectric Facility
- Local wastewater treatment plant and recycled water provider
 - a. Palo Alto
 - b. Sunnyvale
 - c. San Jose-Santa Clara
 - d. South County
- Recharge Ponds

A comprehensive water system



KJ Scott,
Public Information Rep.

*Silicon Valley Advanced
Water Purification Center*



Purifying Water for a Sustainable Tomorrow



Uses recycled water and is good for the environment

Provides a drought-resistant water supply

Uses state-of-the-art purification processes

Speeds up nature's process

Pre-Treatment: Intake Pumps and Autostrainer



Intake Pumps – 40 PSI



Auto-Strainers

Microfiltration



“Outside-In” membrane filtration

.1 micron pore size, or 3,000x smaller human hair

Organic and inorganic contaminants stay in vessel

Backwash removes contaminants

Inter-process Tank and RO Transfer Pumps

- 225,000 gallon tank, ½ size of Olympic pool
- Backwash water for microfiltration
- Anti-scaling agent to prevent mineral buildup



Reverse Osmosis Feed Pumps

3x450 horsepower pumps

130-140 psi

\$800,000 electricity per
year

SVAWPC electricity from
Shasta and Oroville
Hydropower

Desalination uses RO but
would need 1000-1500 psi



Reverse Osmosis



Membrane pores remove substances larger than water molecule

82% permeate/purified

18% concentrate with contaminants

- salts
- viruses and organic matter
- pharmaceuticals
- chemicals and pesticides

Bottle water and baby food production

Ultraviolet Light Disinfection



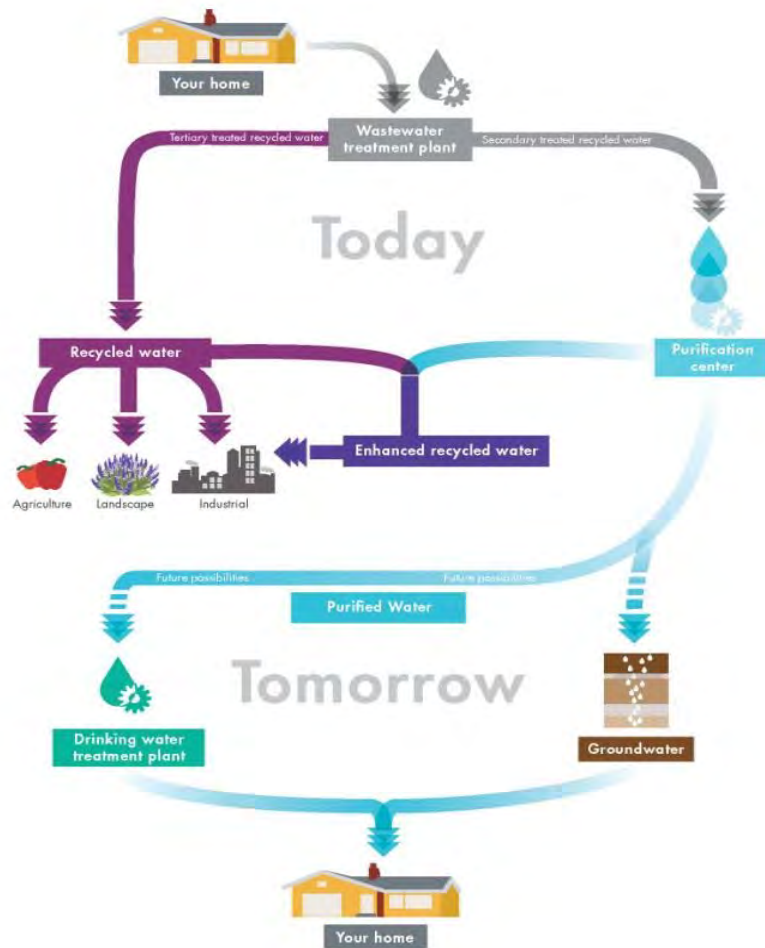
- Ultraviolet disinfection for extra layer of safety
- High intensity UV light destroys organic compounds
- 20,000x more efficient than boiling water

Finishing Tank and Enhanced Recycled Water

- 2,250,000 gallon tank
(10x inter-process tank)
- Stores advanced purified water before RWWF
- Enhanced recycled water safer for plants and better for industrial cooling systems



Future of Advanced Purification & Water Reuse



- **Countywide Water Reuse Master Plan**
- **10% water reuse, 24,000 AFY**
- **Long term 45,000 AFY**
- **Indirect potable reuse**
- **Direct potable reuse**
- **Enhanced Recycled Water**

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ADVANCED WATER PURIFICATION CENTER



- Visit: www.purewater4u.org
- Email: info@purewater4u.org
- Valley Water



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Feedback survey & other questions?

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/8DJ8MT9>





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