# Walnut Creek Water Treatment Plant Pretreatment Project



Welcome! We will begin shortly...

#### **Call Information**

Meeting ID: 856 0677 2397

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#### EAST BAY MUNICIPAL UTILITY DISTRICT

Walnut Creek
Water Treatment Plant
Pretreatment Project



Virtual Public Scoping Meeting March 16, 2022

# Purpose of Meeting



- Discuss need for project
- Describe project
- Explain public review process
- Receive community input

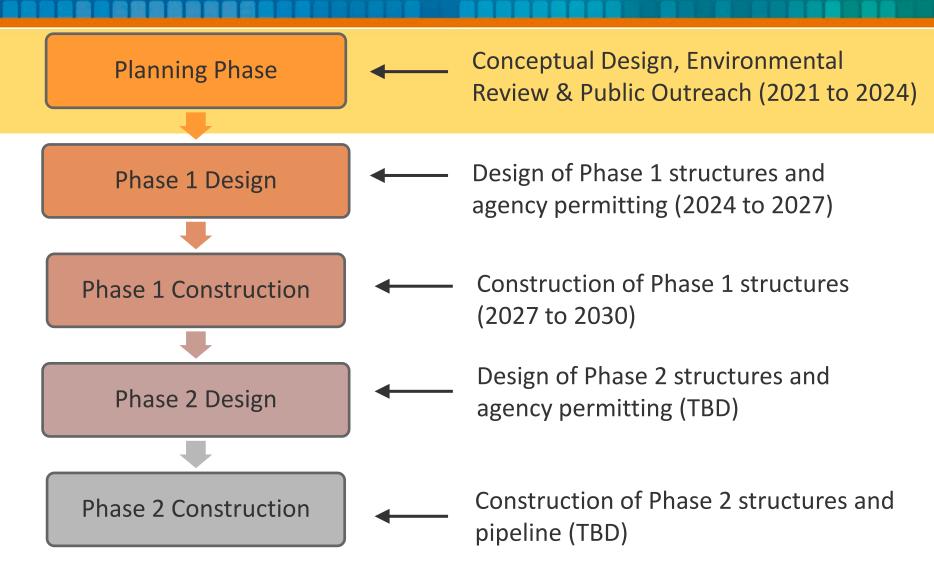
### Meeting Agenda



- Project Phases and Team
- EBMUD Water Supply
- Need for Project
- Project Description
- Aesthetic and Landscape Design
- Environmental Review Process and Schedule
- Questions and Comments

#### **Project Phases and Schedule**





### Planning Phase Project Team



#### EBMUD

- Tom Boardman, Project Manager
- Bill Maggiore, Senior Civil Engineer
- David Rehnstrom, Division Manager
- Kathryn Horn, Community Affairs

#### Consultants

- Woodard & Curran Engineering
- Siegel & Strain/Burks Toma Architects
- RHAA Landscape Architects

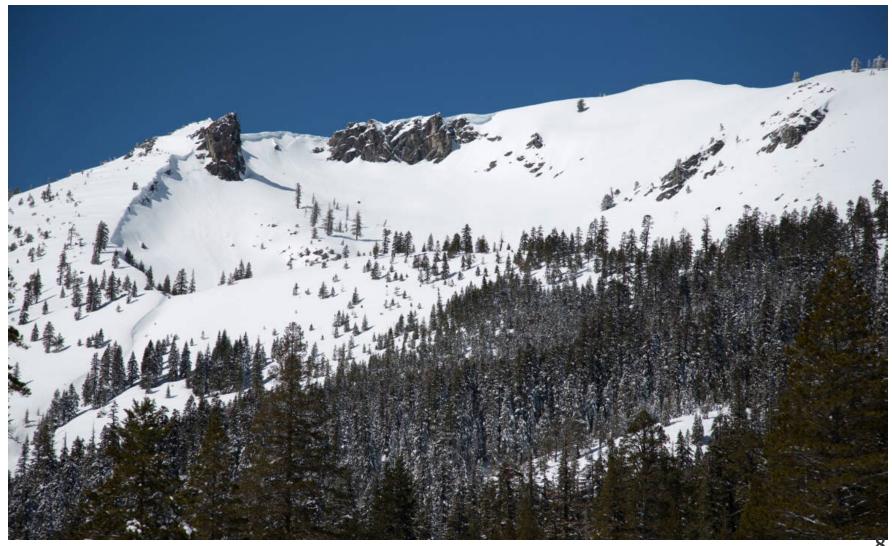
#### **WCWTP Pretreatment Project**



#### **EBMUD Water Supply**

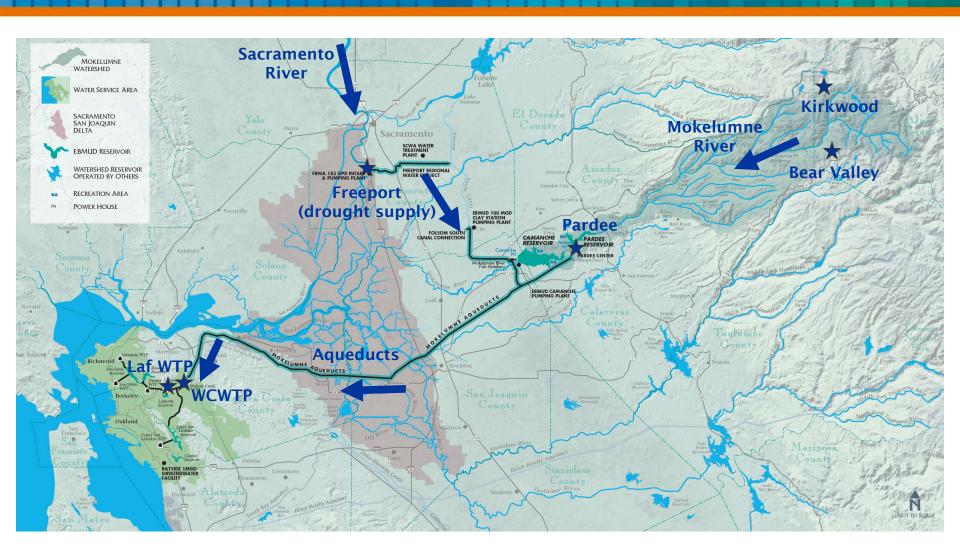
# Water Supply - Sierra Snowpack





# **EBMUD Water Supply System**





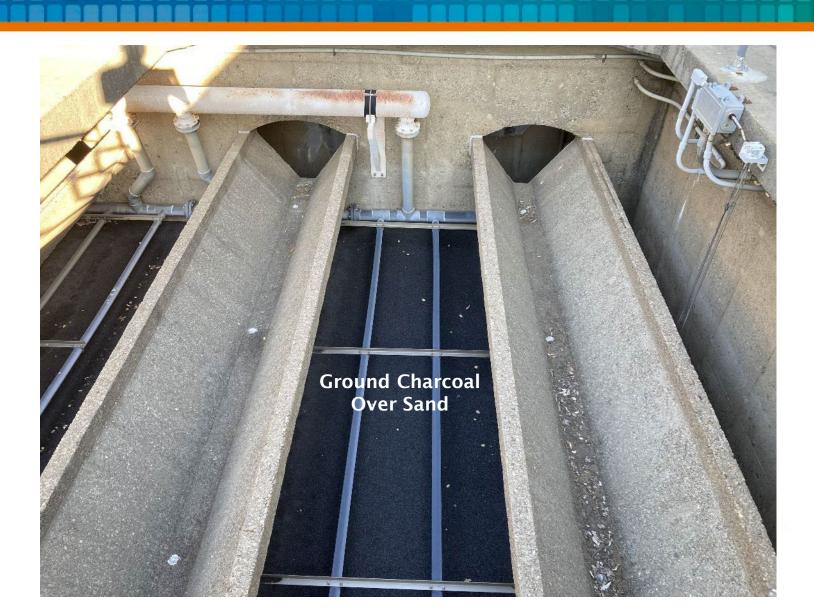
### Walnut Creek WTP





# Gravity Filters (dry)





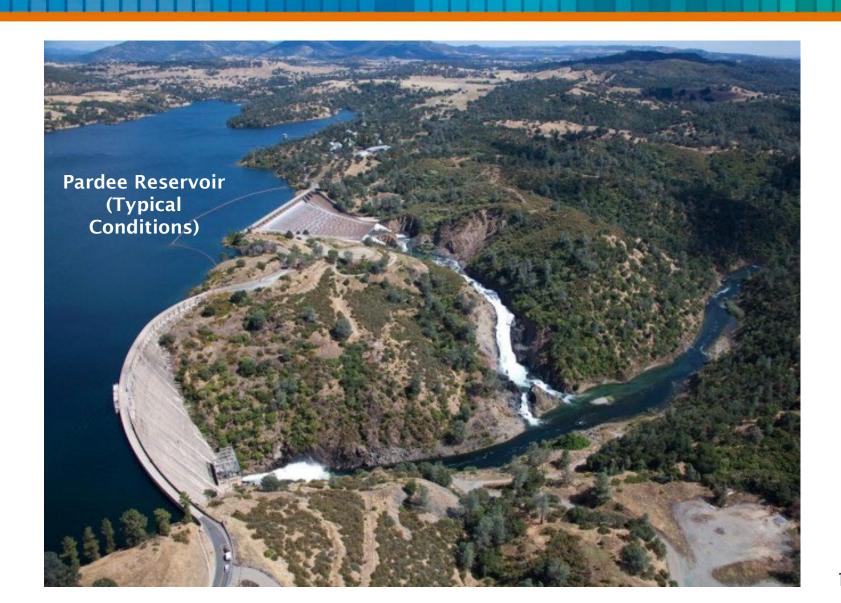
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#### Need for Project

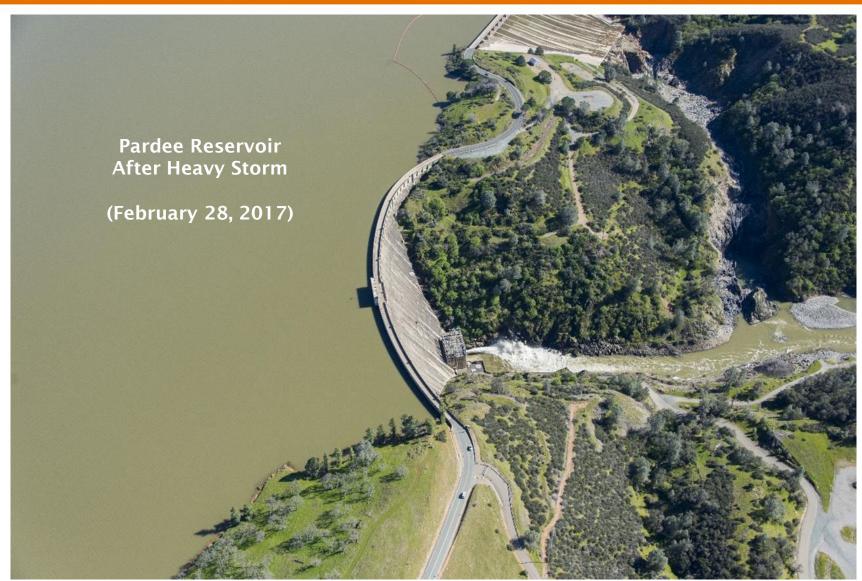
# **Runoff from Melting Snow**





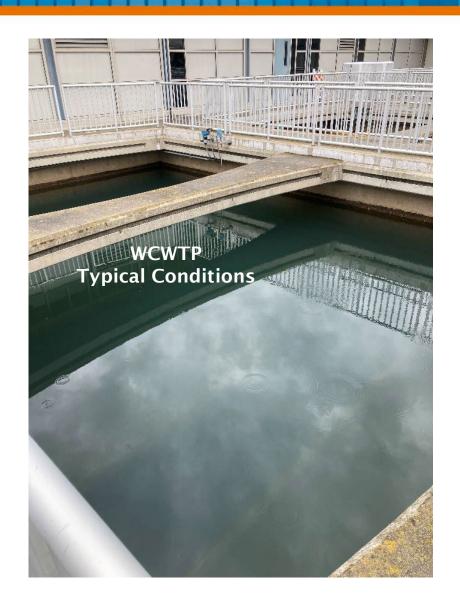
# Runoff from Heavy Storms

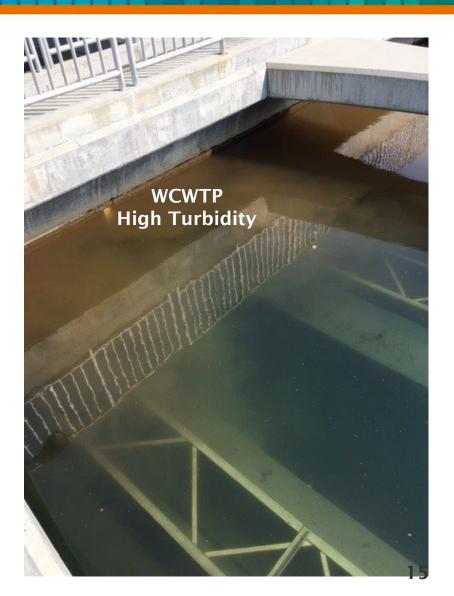




# **High Turbidity Slows Filtration**







# Runoff from Wildfire Burn Areas





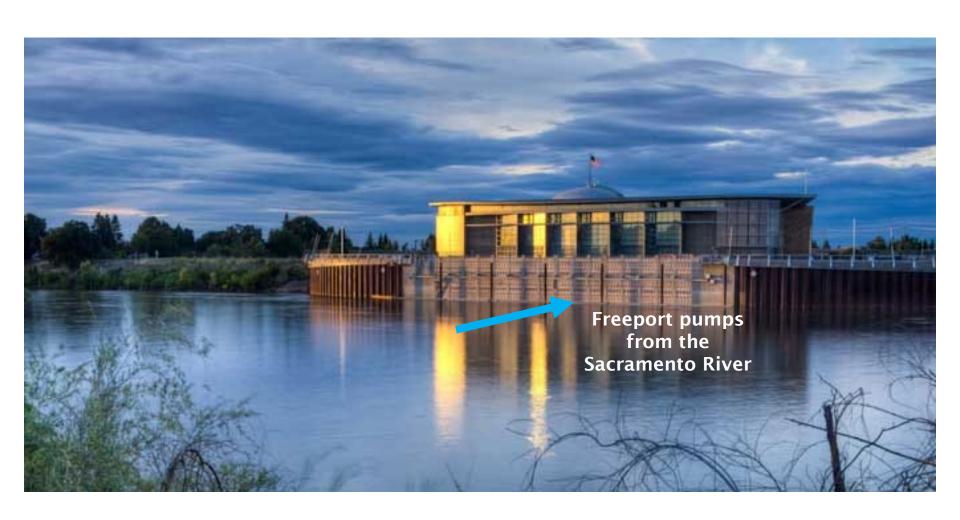
# Algae Blooms





### Drought Supply - Freeport Sacramento River





#### **Project Need Summary**



- · The Walnut Creek WTP was designed to treat relatively high quality, Sierra snowmelt runoff
- Climate change has led to more frequent water quality events that slow down filtration
- This project will allow EBMUD to more reliably treat a broader range of water quality from its existing water supply
- · Will make us more resilient against climate change in the future

### **WCWTP Pretreatment Project**



#### **Project Description**

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- Add pretreatment facilities at Walnut Creek WTP to reduce turbidity prior to gravity filters;
- Add ozone treatment disinfectant to improve water taste and odor; and
- Modify weir structures at Lafayette WTP to improve hydraulics at Walnut Creek WTP.
- Phase 1 will allow EBMUD to treat a broader range of water quality up to 125 MGD; Phase 2 up to planned capacity of 160 MGD.

### Walnut Creek WTP Location

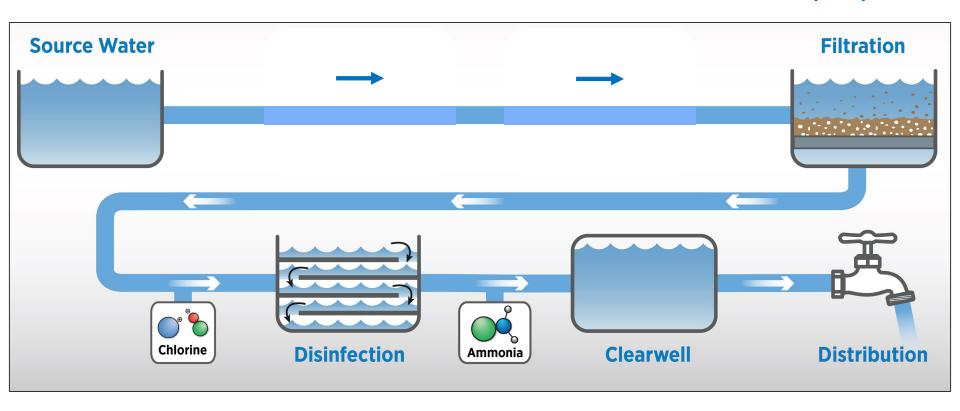




# Walnut Creek WTP (current)

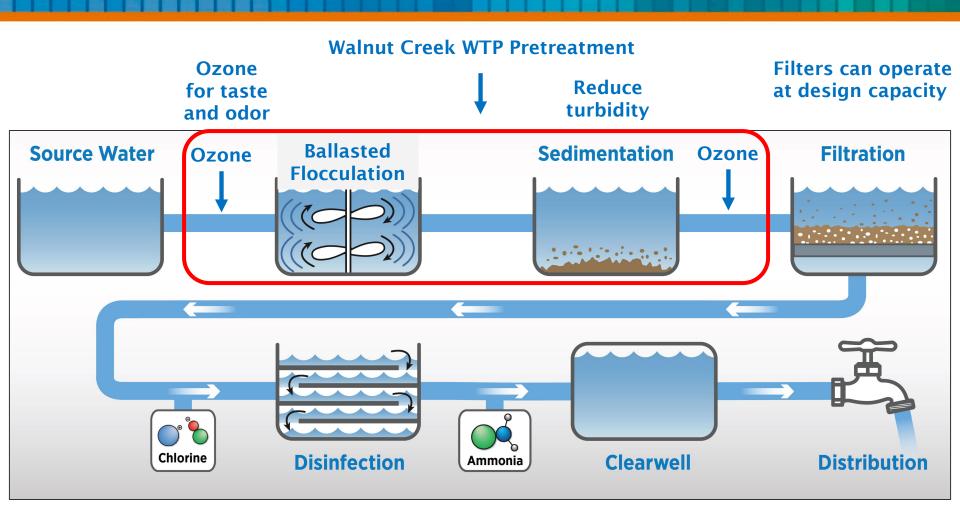


High turbidity slows down filtration, with reduced treatment capacity



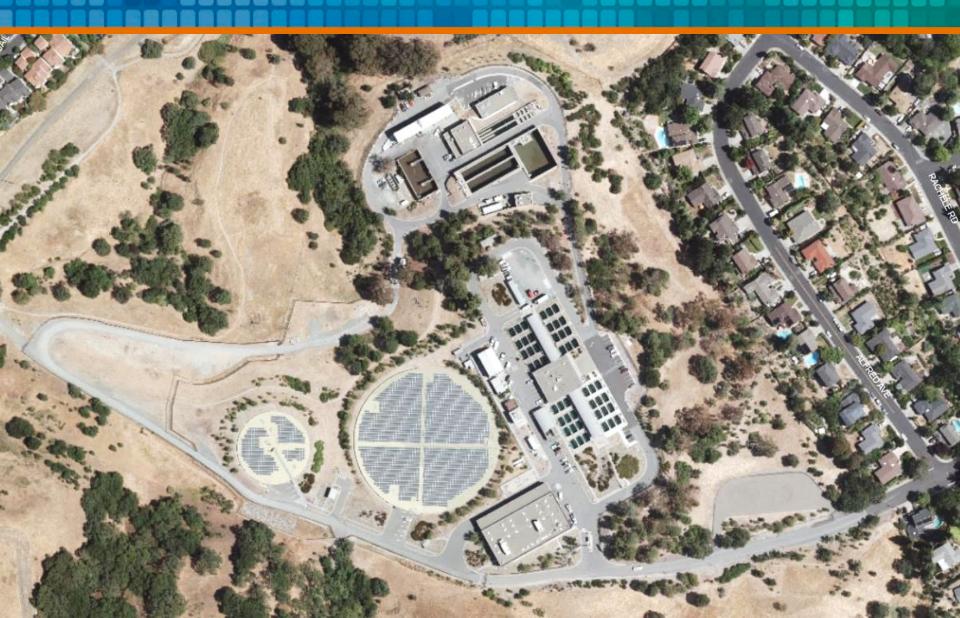
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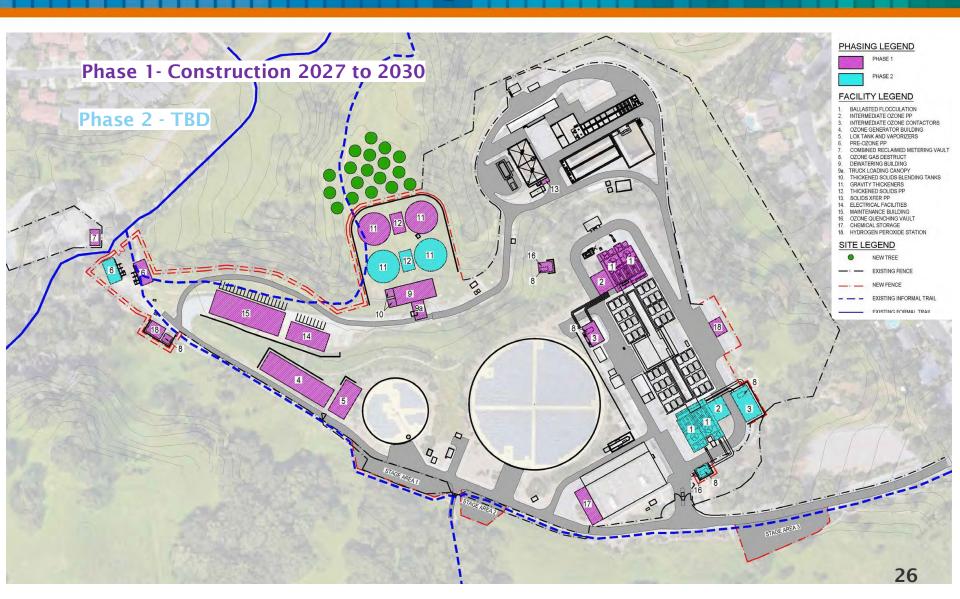
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#### **WCWTP Pretreatment Project**



#### **Work at Lafayette WTP**

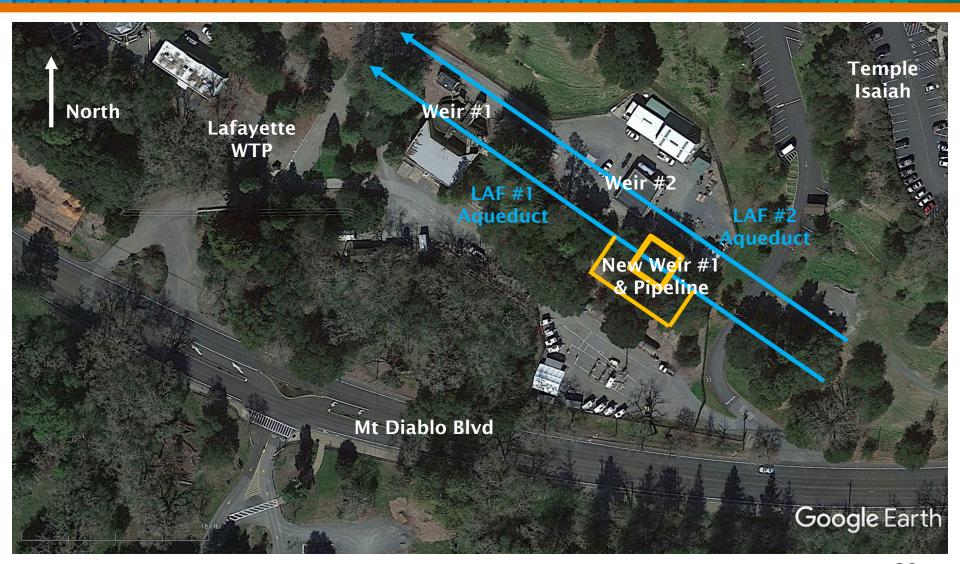
### Lafayette WTP Location





# Lafayette WTP (current)





# Lafayette WTP Work





#### **WCWTP Pretreatment Project**



#### **Aesthetic & Landscape Design**



EBMUD WCWTP | CONCEPTUAL AESTHETIC PLAN EASTBAYMUNICIPAL UTILITY DISTRICT SITE CONTEXT: AERIAL MARCH 16, 2022









Curved with Eave Louvers Metal Canopy at Chemical Building







Flat with Parapet Metal Roll-Up Door Door Canopy and Window

EBMUD WCWTP | CONCEPTUAL AESTHETIC PLAN EASTBAYMUNICIPAL UTILITY DISTRICT

SITE CONTEXT: EXISTING PLANT CHARACTER

MARCH 16, 2022





EBMUD WCWTP | CONCEPTUAL AESTHETIC PLAN EASTBAYMUNICIPAL UTILITY DISTRICT DESIGN: SITE PLAN MARCH 16, 2022





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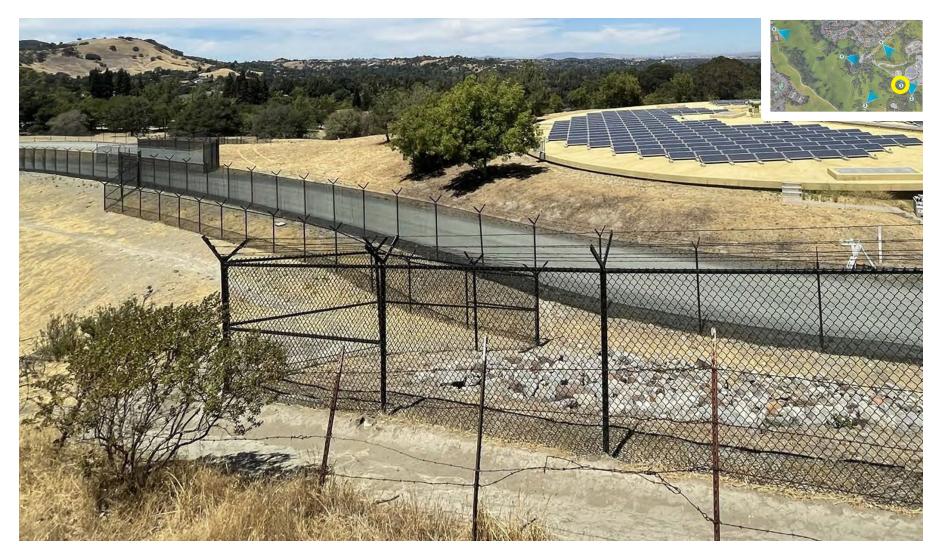




**EBMUD WCWTP** | CONCEPTUAL AESTHETIC PLAN EASTBAY MUNICIPAL UTILITY DISTRICT

DESIGN: OZONE GENERATOR BUILDING AND LOX TANK AND VAPORIZERS
MARCH 16, 2022





EBMUD WCWTP | CONCEPTUAL AESTHETIC PLAN EASTBAYMUNICIPAL UTILITY DISTRICT DESIGN: WEW1: INFORMAL TRAIL\_BEFORE MARCH 16, 2022





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DESIGN: WEW1: INFORMAL TRAIL\_AFTER MARCH 16, 2022



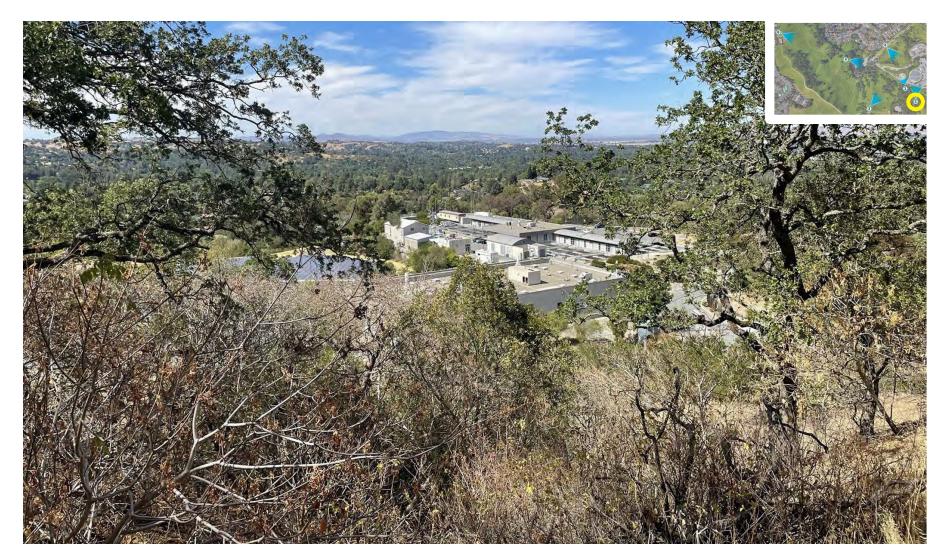




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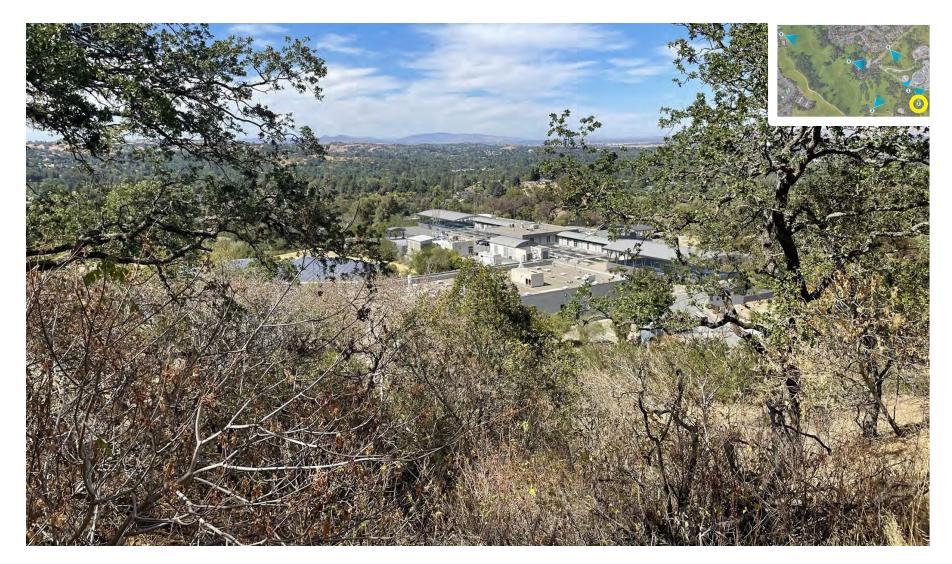




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DESIGN: WEW4: YARROWTR AIL\_BEFORE MARCH 18, 2022





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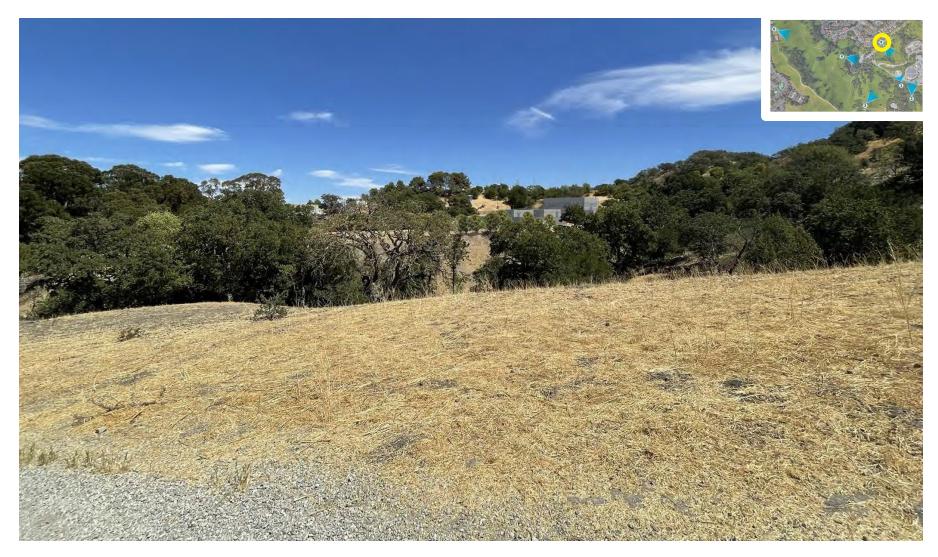
DESIGN: GRAVITY THICKENERS, THICKENED SOLIDS PP, AND DEWATERING BUILDING MARCH 16, 2022





EBMUD WCWTP | CONCEPTUAL AESTHETIC PLAN EASTBAYMUNICIPAL UTILITY DISTRICT DESIGN: VIEW 5: BRIONES MT. DIABLO TRAIL\_BEFORE MARCH 16, 2022





EBMUD WCWTP | CONCEPTUAL AESTHETIC PLAN EASTBAYMUNICIPAL UTILITY DISTRICT DESIGN: WEW5: BRIONES MT. DIABLOTRAIL\_AFTER MARCH 16, 2022





EBMUD WCWTP | CONCEPTUAL ARSTHETIC PLAN EASTBAY/MUNICIPAL UTILITY DISTRICT

DESIGN: WEW6: GREENVALLEY DRIVE\_BEFORE MARCH 16, 2022





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# Walnut Creek Pretreatment Project



**Environmental Review Process and Schedule** 

#### What is an EIR?



- Environmental Impact Report (EIR)
- · Purpose:

To inform the public of potential environmental consequences of projects

• EIR is required under CEQA:

When there is potential that a project may have significant environmental impacts

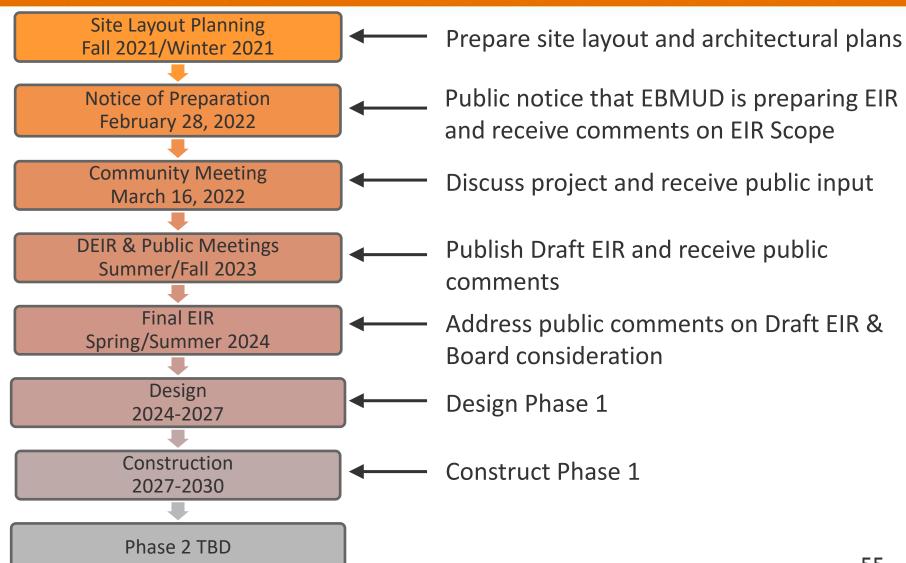
## EIR Analysis of Impacts



Environmental Resource Category	Less than Significant	Less than Significant with Mitigation	Significant and Unavoidable
Aesthetics			
Air Quality			
Biological Resources			
Cultural Resources		Tobe	
Energy			
Geology	al	nalyzed the EIR	
Greenhouse Gases			
Hazardous Materials	in	the EIR	
Hydrology/Water Quality			
Noise			
Recreation			
Traffic			
Tribal Cultural Resources			
Wildfire			4

#### **Environmental Review Schedule**





## **Next Steps**



- Continue to perform environmental studies in support of the EIR
- · Continue outreach with stakeholder agencies
- Consider NOP feedback for scoping the project
- Start preparing the Draft Environmental Impact Report to be released ~ Summer/Fall 2023

## Thank you for your participation!



More information and tonight's presentation can be found at the **Project Website:** 

www.ebmud.com/wcwtppretreatment

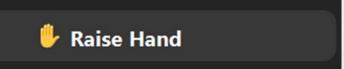
wcwtp.pretreatment@ebmud.com Or by mail: Tom Boardman, Project Manager East Bay Municipal Utility District 375 Eleventh Street, MS 701 Oakland, CA 94607-4240 Send written NOP comments by March 30, 2022 **Contact for General EBMUD Questions:** 

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## **Questions and Comments**



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