

#### Public Hearing FY15 Proposed Non-Prop 218 Rates, Charges & Regulations

June 10, 2014







- FY15 Adopted Prop 218 Rates, Fees June 11, 2013 & Charges
- FY15 GM Report on Recommended Non-Prop 218 Rates, Fees, & Charges
- Public Hearing

- May 13, 2014
- June 10, 2014



- Update Water and Wastewater capacity fee calculations
- Update of Miscellaneous fees
  - Updated Public Records Act fee
  - Trail Day Permit (increase from \$2.50 to \$3.00)
  - Updated Resource Recovery fees
- Minor change in regulation for facilities for new developments



### Water System Capacity Charges (SCC)

### Water SCC Recommendation



- Updated unit costs for the system-wide and regional buy-in components
  - Followed methodology from 2007 SCC study
  - Updated inventory of District's fixed assets
  - Adjusted value for inflation (2.72%)
- Updated unit costs Future Water Supply (FWS) component
  - Updated FWS project costs and definitions per Water System Master Plan 2040

### System-Wide and Regional Facilities Buy-in



Region	System-Wide Buy-In Unit Cost \$/100gpd		Regional Buy-In Unit Cost \$/100gpd	
	Current	Proposed	Current	Proposed
1	\$1,857	\$1,926	\$1,864	\$1,921
2	\$1,857	\$1,926	\$3,784	\$3,900
3	\$1,857	\$1,926	\$2,240	\$2,309
3C	\$1,857	\$1,926	\$1,681	\$1,733
3D	\$1,857	\$1,926	\$1,681	\$1,733

**Future Water System proposed increase from:** 

\$1,845/100 gpd to \$1,904/100 gpd



	Water Consumption		Unit Costs	Capacity Charge	
Region	Residential 3/4" (gpd)	Non Res 5/8" (gpd)	\$/100 gpd	Residential 3/4" \$ (% incr)	Non Res 5/8" \$ (% incr)
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Region 1	280	400	\$5,751	\$16,100 (3.3%)	\$23,000 (3.3%)
Region 2	360	535	\$7,730	\$27,830 (3.3%)	\$41,360 (3.3%)
Region 3	580	625	\$6,139	\$35,610 (3.3%)	\$38,370 (3.3%)
Region 3C	775	775	\$10,437	\$80,890 (3.9%)	See Note 1
Region 3D	775	775	\$11,763	\$91,170 (3.9%)	\$91,170 ( <b>3.9%</b> )

Note 1: Calculated based on a 1993 Agreement with HCV & Associates Ltd., Wiedemann Ranch, Inc., and Sue Christensen.



### Wastewater Capacity Fee (WCF)

### Wastewater Capacity Fee Recommendation



- Update unit costs for the WCF for 2015
  - Follow buy-in methodology from 2013 WCF study and SCC study with a reduction of build out capacity to 85 MGD
  - Second year of the board-approved 5 year phase-in of 2013 methodology
  - Updated inventory of District's fixed assets
  - Adjusted value for inflation (2.72%)

## Wastewater Capacity Fee Unit Charges



Unit Capacity Rate	Current	FY15 PHASED-IN YR 2	% Incr
Flow /Ccf/ Month	\$106.98	\$121.97	14.0%
CODf / Ibs/ Month	\$ 23.18	\$ 30.34	30.9%
TSS / Ibs/ Month	\$ 43.00	\$ 48.77	13.4%

Single Family Connection Charge	\$1,385	\$1,607	16.0%
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Survey of Comparable Agencies -

includes connection charge for sewer collection from SD-1 satellite agencies

EBMUD incl Collection	SFPUC	DSRSD	CCCSD	Union SD
\$3,032	\$3,514	\$16,129	\$5,930	\$5,329

### Wastewater Resource Recovery Fees (Schedule B)



Revised Resource Recovery fees based on operating cost experience and knowledge of customer waste streams

- Consolidate waste categories (groundwater, process water) and sub-categories (protein material, gray water)
- Reduced fees for fats, oils and greases (3¢ per gallon) and sludge (0.5¢ per gallon)
- Increased fee for process water, gray water and liquid organic materials (1¢ to 2¢ per gallon)
- Increased permit fee from \$200 to \$300

# **Rates & Charges Timeline**



Milestone	Date
Public Hearing on Non-Prop 218 Rates & Charges	June 10
Board consideration and adoption of Non-Prop 218 Rates & Charges	June 10
Water & WW Rates take effect	July 1
Water & WW SCCs take effect	August 11
Recreation Fees take effect	January 1

### Summary of Proposed Board Actions



Item 10 - Adopt FY15 Non-Prop 218 Rates & Charges

• Held public hearing on rates & charges

Item 11 - Affirm Water and Wastewater FY15 Budget

• No changes proposed

Item 12 - Adopt the FY15 Position Resolution

- No new positions added
- Deletes one position already approved as part of FY14-15 adopted budget
- Adds two new classifications

Item 13 - Adopt July 2014 Strategic Plan

• Incorporated revisions from Board workshop







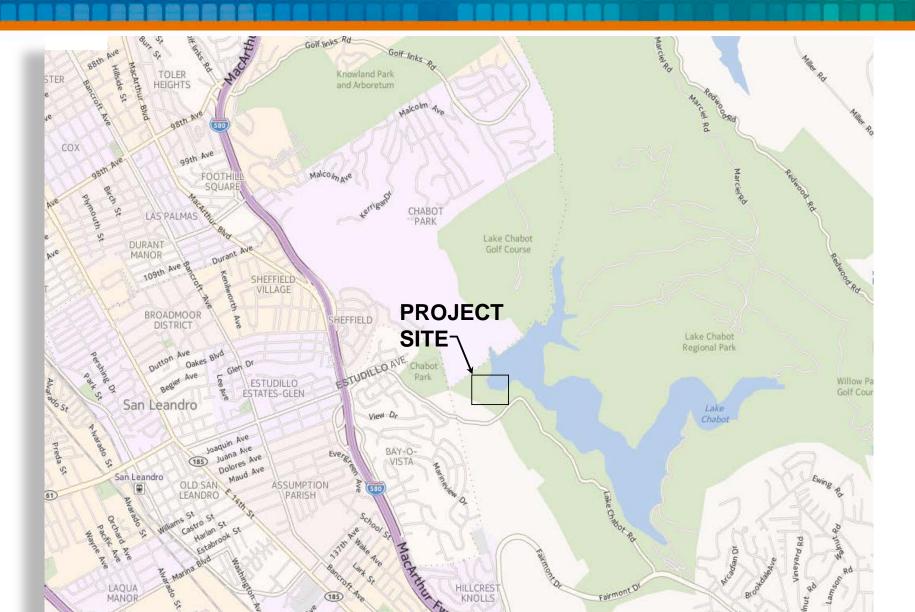
#### Chabot Dam Seismic Upgrade Project



Board Meeting June 10, 2014

#### **Project Location**





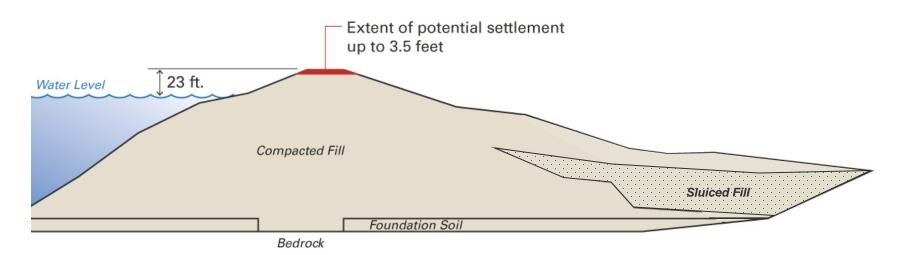
#### Project Need





#### 2005 Analysis

- Estimated Dam Crest Settlement
  1.5 to 3.5 Feet
- Tower failure, potentially damaging the outlet piping
- DSOD requires upgrade to dam and outlet



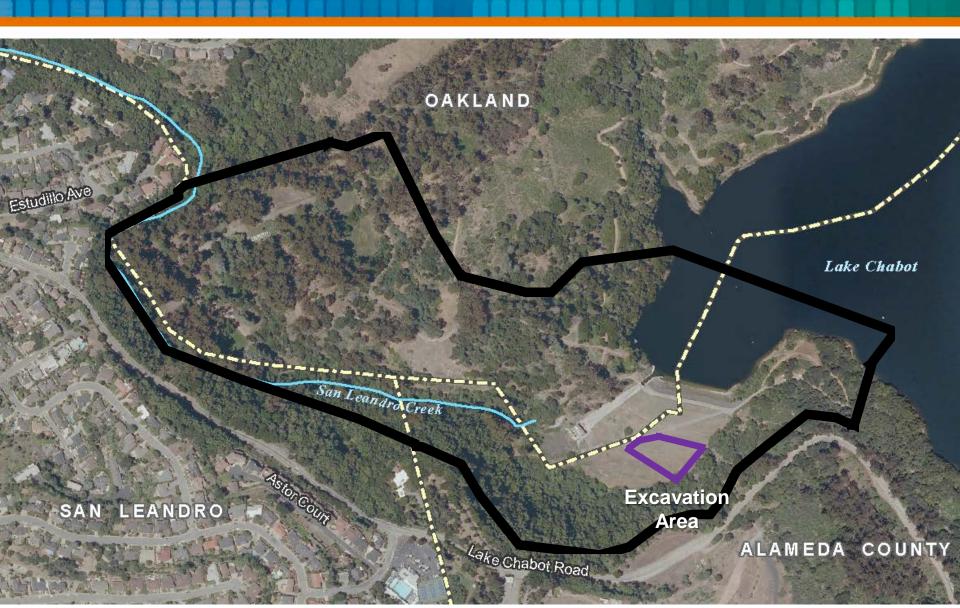




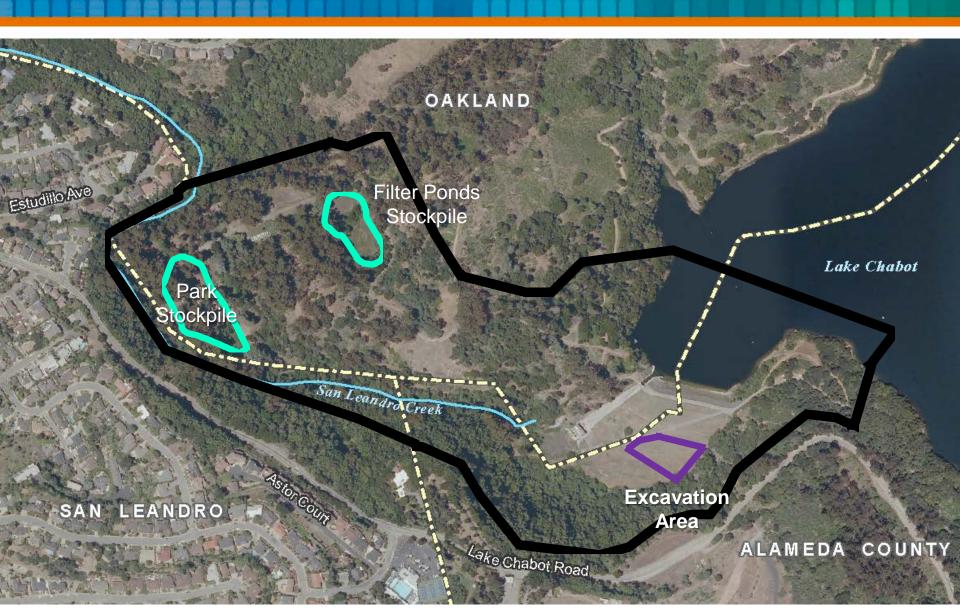




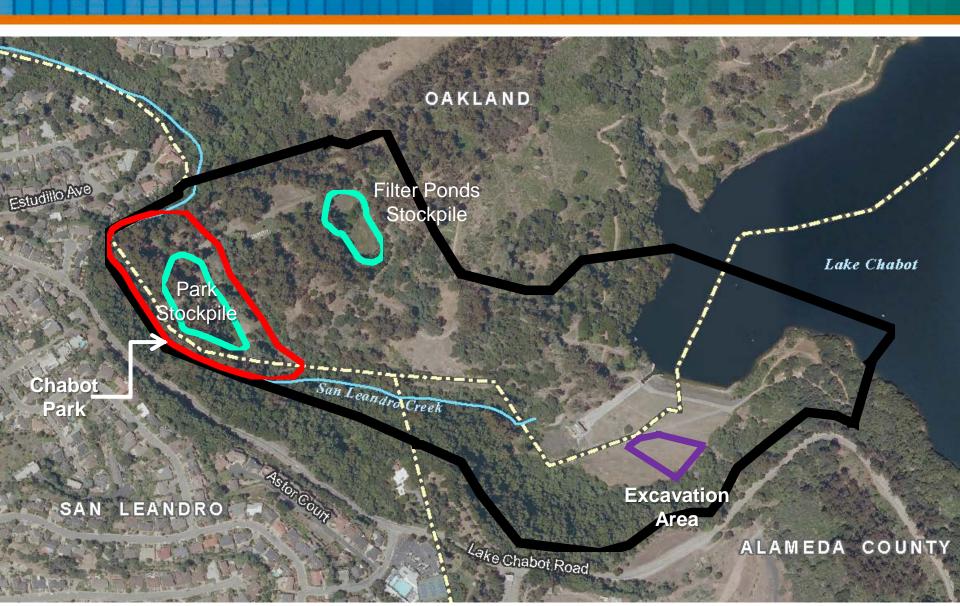




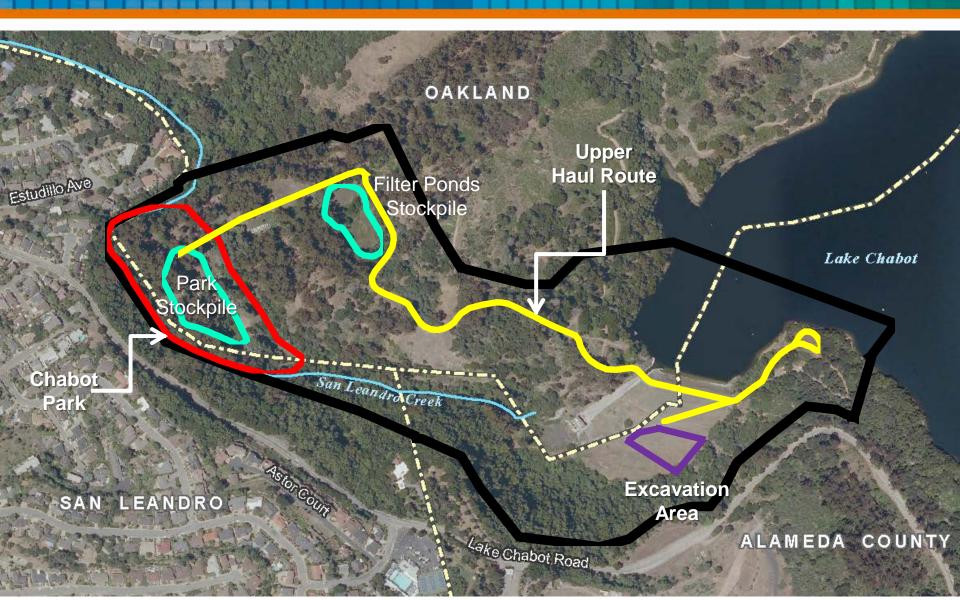




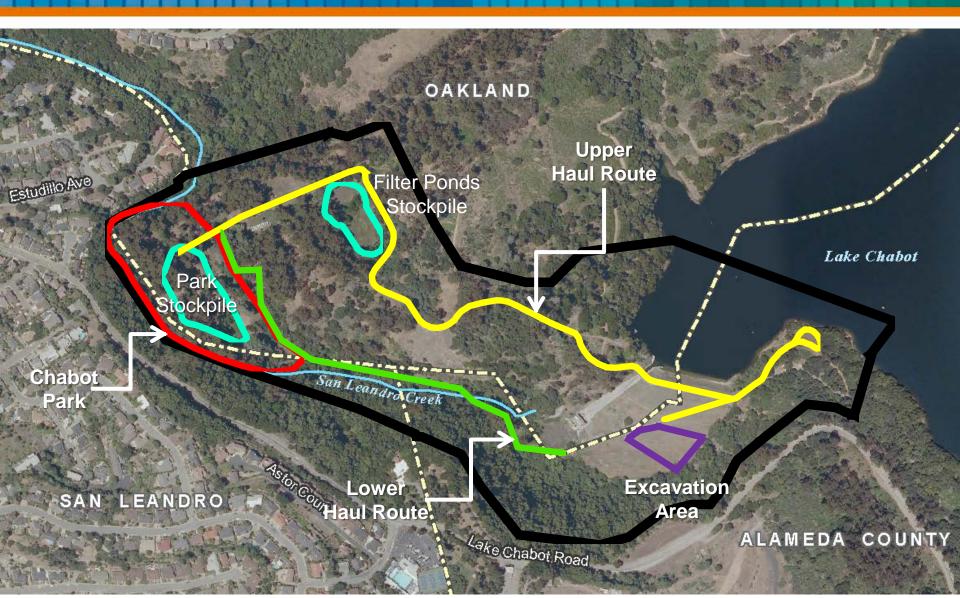




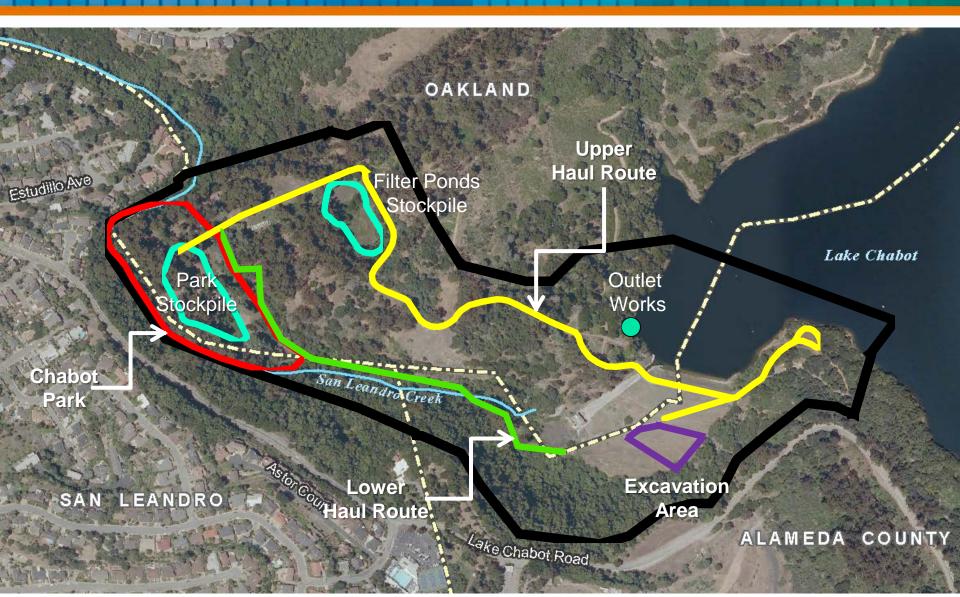




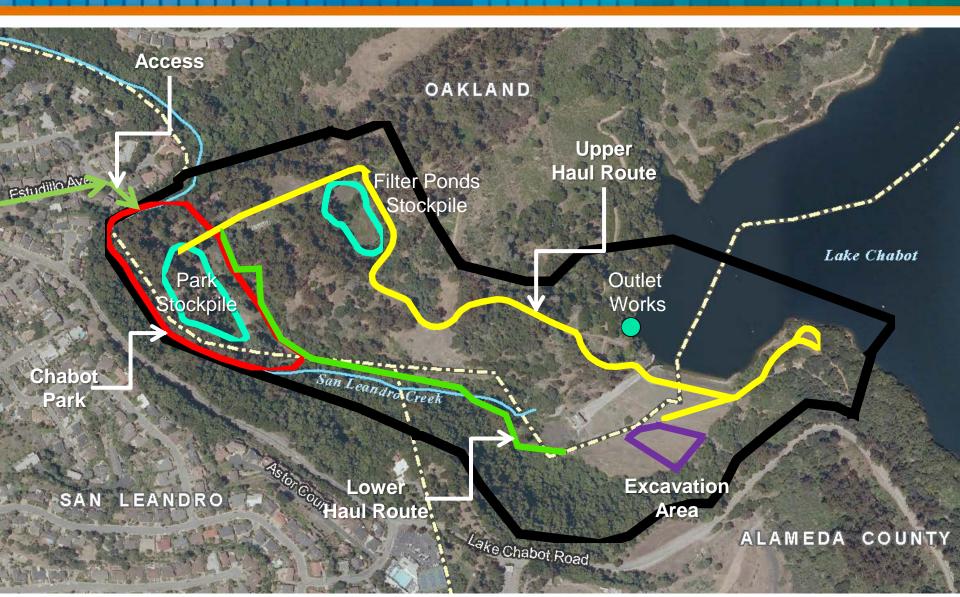






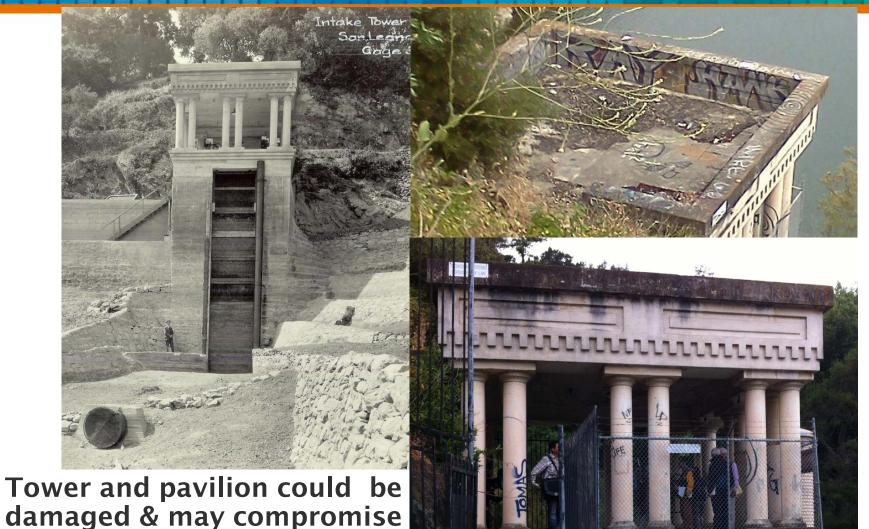






#### **Outlet Tower Retrofit**





damaged & may compromise outlet in a seismic event

#### **Public Outreach**





- 15 public agency meetings
- 3 public meetings
- Posted in Oakland Tribune
- About 800 notices mailed
- 8 letters/emails received

### Issues from Public Comment



- Potential Impacts to San Leandro Creek
- San Leandro Creek
  Flows
- Lake Water Level
- Trail Closures

- Removal of Pavilion and Tower
- Chabot Park Restoration
- Traffic, Noise and Air Quality

**Project Schedule and Cost** 



EIR Certification June 2014

Design Spring 2014 - Fall 2015

Construction Spring 2016 – end of 2016

**Total Project Cost Estimate - \$19 million** 



- Certify the adequacy of the Final EIR for the Chabot Dam Seismic Upgrade Project.
- Adopt Findings and Statement of Overriding Considerations in accordance with CEQA.
- Authorize implementation of the Project <u>using Cement Deep Soil Mixing</u> and adopt the Mitigation, Monitoring, and Reporting Program.









#### Review of Retirement Board Activities Calendar Year 2013 to March 2014

#### Board of Directors Meeting June 10, 2014







- $\cdot$  Administration
- Investment Management
- Liability Management

#### Administration



- Elections and appointments
- Cost of living adjustment
- Low income adjustments
- Rate of interest
- Financial statements

#### Investment Management



#### Investment Performance for 2013

- Q1 6.3% (January March 2013)
- Q2 1.3% (April June 2013)
- Q3 5.9% (July September 2013)
- Q4 7.0% (September December 2013)
- 2013 Annual Return 22.0% (Median Public Fund had 15.8% Return)
- EBMUD Portfolio Value as of December 31, 2013 was approximately \$1.3 billion, which was an increase of \$223.2 million in calendar year 2013.

#### Investment Management



#### · Asset Liability Study (ALS)

- March 2013 Decision on type of ALS
- May 2013 Education on potential new asset classes to be introduced in ALS
- July 2013 Primer on how to use the ALS
- September 2013 Review of ALS and determination of updated Asset Allocation Strategy

# **Asset Allocation Policy**



ASSET CLASS	FORMER POLICY TARGET	NEW POLICY TARGET	
Domestic Equity	50%	40%	
International Equity	20%	15%	
Fixed Income	25%		
Core Fixed Income		10%	
Non-Core Fixed Income		10%	
Real Estate	5%	5%	
Covered Calls		20%	
TOTAL	100%	100%	

#### Investment Management



#### Implementing Asset Allocation Changes

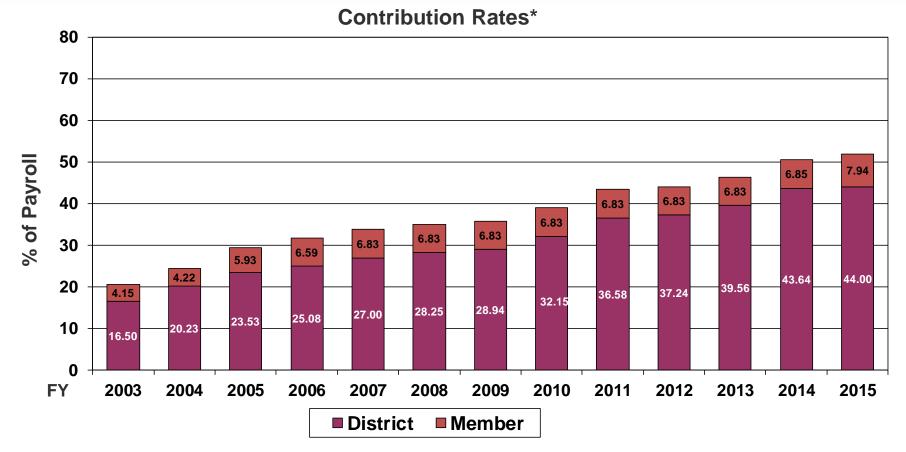
- November 2013 Selected two investment managers to implement new Covered Calls strategy
- January 2014 Selected current fixed income manager to also implement new Non-Core Fixed Income strategy

## **Liability Management**



- Actuarial Valuations Fiscal Year End 2013
  - Market Value
  - Ratio of Market Value of Assets to Projected Benefit Obligations
  - 1980 Plan and 2013 Plan Tiers Contribution Rates

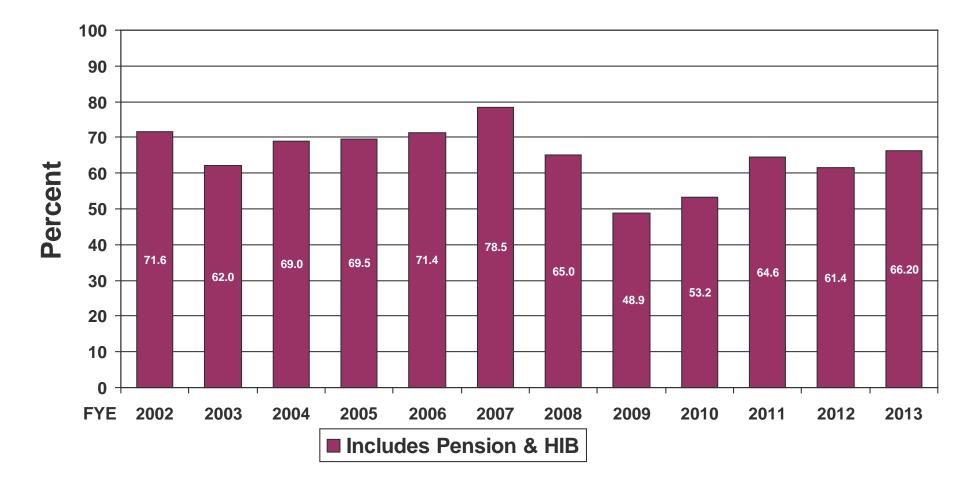
#### Retirement System Contribution Rates (Includes Pension & HIB)



#### \* 2014 and 2015 Combine 1980 Plan and 2013 Plan Tiers

Source: Actuarial Valuation and Review of Pension Plan and Health Insurance Benefit Plan as of June 30, 2013 Supplemental Exhibits, Exhibit A

# Market Value of Assets As Percent of Projected Benefit Obligations



Source: Actuarial Valuation and Review of Pension Plan and Health Insurance Benefit Plan as of June 30, 2013 Supplemental Exhibits, Exhibit B





- Busy year for Retirement Board
- Challenging investment environment
- Improved Funding Status
- $\cdot$  Increasing contribution rates

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# Water Supply Update and Drought Management Update

# Water Operations Department June 10, 2014

#### Water Year 2014 Runoff



#### Actual Runoff Received 250 TAF + Projected Runoff To-Come 10 to 20 TAF

#### Total WY 2014 Runoff 260 to 270 TAF





# Water Year 2014 Storage





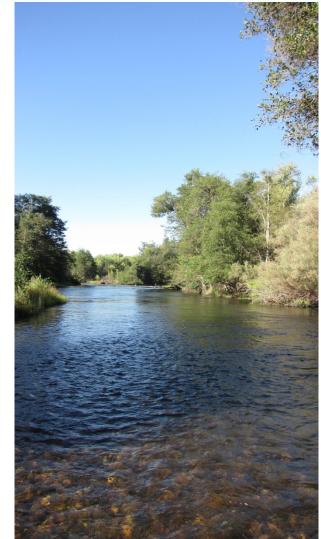
Runoff	Total System Storage* (no May and June supplemental supply)	Total System Storage* (with May and June supplemental supply)	
260 to 270 TAF	420 to 425 TAF	435 to 440 TAF	

\*Projected storage on September 30, 2014

# **Mokelumne River Curtailment**



- State Water Resources Control Board letter received June 2, 2014
- Immediate curtailment of diversions from Sacramento and San Joaquin River watersheds
- Affects post-1914 appropriative rights
- Expected storage reduced by up to 5,000 acre-feet



#### Freeport Regional Water Project Supplemental Supply





Month	Volume (AF)	Purpose
April	6,600	Fish Monitoring and System Testing
May	6,800	Supplemental Supply
June (projected)	6,400	Supplemental Supply
July (projected)	2,800	Supplemental Supply
	~22,600 acre-feet	

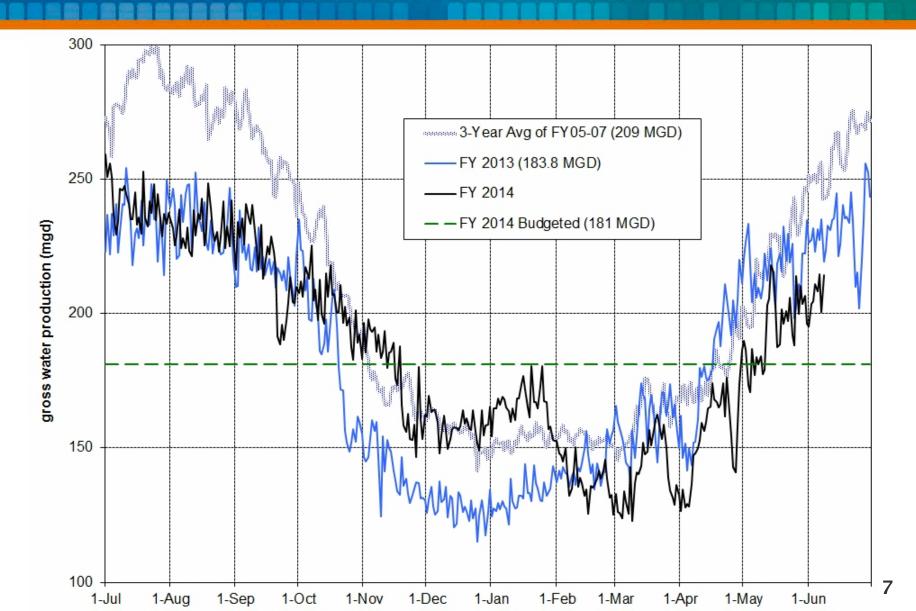
#### Water Year 2014 Review



- Rainfall Year 2014 is the 2<sup>nd</sup> driest year in the Mokelumne River watershed
- 1% of the precipitation accumulation season remains
- Received about 250,000 acre-feet of runoff to date
- Projected end of September storage is 435,000 to 440,000 acre-feet



# **Current Gross Water Production**



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# Drought Management Update





	Feb	March	April	May	June
Avg Demand - 2013	146	159	181	217	228
Avg Demand - 2014	136	141	155	194	207
Savings Goal	15	16	18	22	23
Actual Savings	10	18	26	23	21
Actual Savings Rate	7%	11%	14%	11%	9%

\*Values in million gallons per day

# **Drought Planning**





Supplemental Supply

Customer Conservation

# A Community Effort to Manage the Drought!,



### Water Shortage Action Plan

#### June 10, 2014





- Conducting conservation outreach to sustain, at minimum, a 10% use reduction.
- Report to the state on the water use reductions achieved.
- Continue actions to prepare for prolonged drought.

#### **Public Outreach Goals**



- Thank routine conservers
- Support and encourage customers to continue their voluntary cutbacks
- Give specific information to customer classes about what they can do
- Offer free devices and technical assistance to help customers conserve

# Water Shortage Key Topics and Tools



# Topics

- Seasonal tips
- · Leak repair
- Drought-tolerant landscaping
- Landscape conversions

- Bill messages
- Pipeline stories

Tools

- Web updates
- Facility posters
- Bumper stickers



- Continuing outreach on leaks and summer outdoor water use
- Distributing drought tent cards, stickers, field signs about flushing, etc.
- Refreshing website information as needed
- Conducting conservation workshops

# **Current Conservation Priorities**



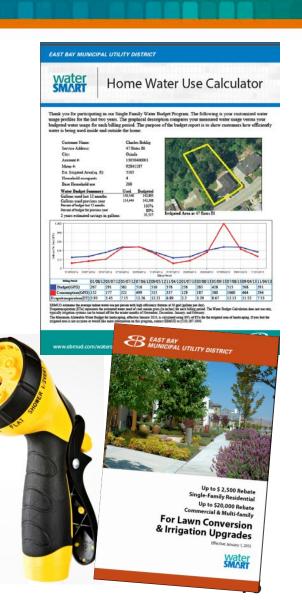


- HOA and multi-family units outreach
- WaterSmart business outreach
- Workshops, events and speaking engagements

# **Ongoing Conservation Services**



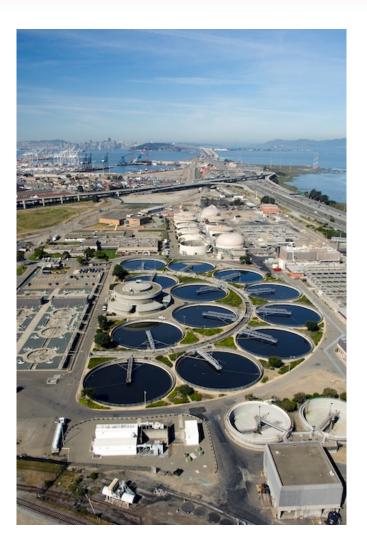
- $\cdot$  Web and print information
- Free home survey kits
- Free water saving devices
- Commercial and residential landscape water budgets
- Conservation rebate offers



### **Conservation by EBMUD**



- Follow-up on District facility audits
- Continue outreach to employees
- Expand leak detection



## Preparing for a Prolonged Drought, If Necessary



- Board discussions of budget and rate implications of prolonged drought
- More conservation
- More supplies via Freeport facilities

