

# Water Storage Investment Program Update



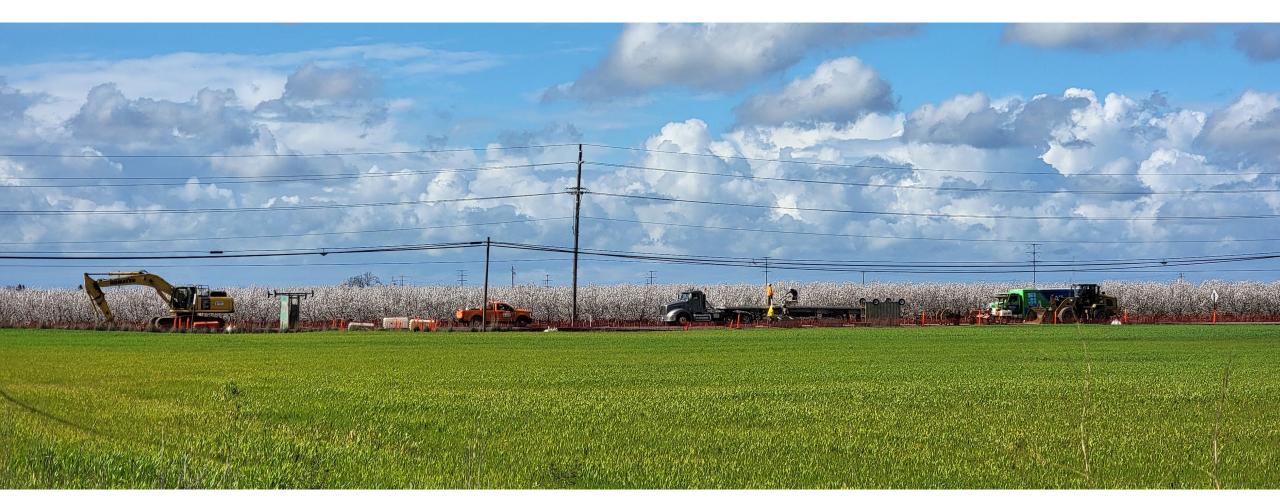
#### Harvest Water Program

**Funding Recipient: SacSewer** 

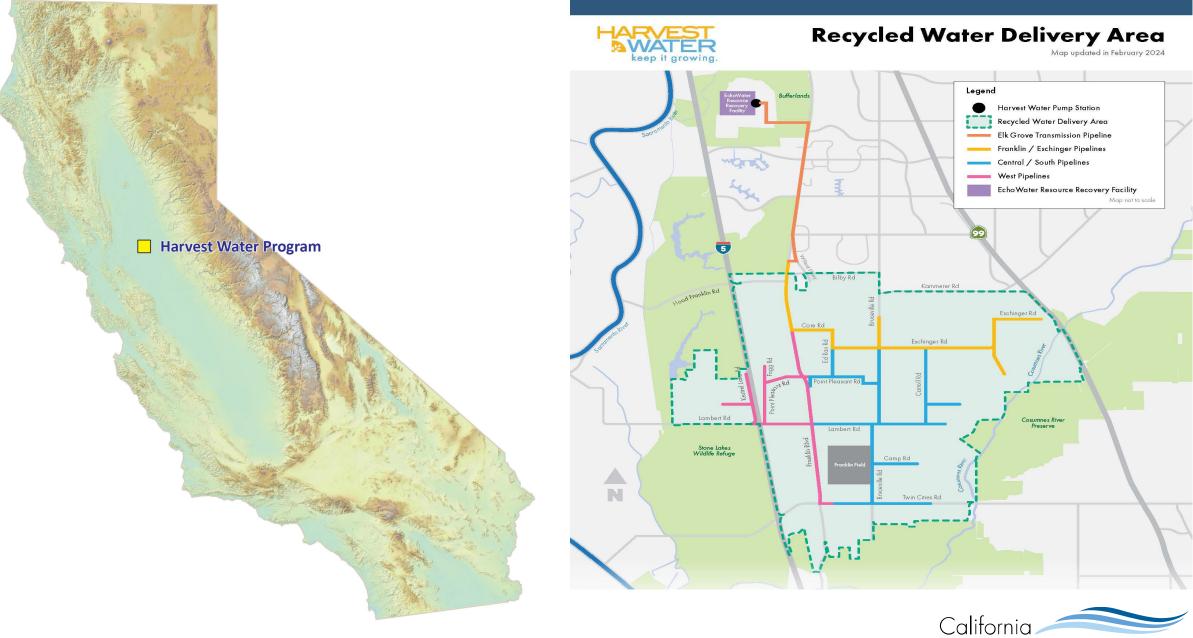
Recent Activity	<ul> <li>Funding agreement executed</li> <li>Began construction activities</li> </ul>
Critical Next Steps/Milestones	<ul> <li>Continue construction</li> <li>Annual reports for public benefits contracts due end of April</li> </ul>
Estimated Final Award Date	<ul> <li>Project received final award June 2023</li> </ul>
Last Presentation to Commission	<ul> <li>June 2023 final award hearing</li> </ul>



#### **Harvest Water Program Construction**







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# **Los Vaqueros Reservoir Expansion**

**Applicant: Contra Costa Water District** 

<b>Recent Activity</b>	<ul> <li>Early funding expended</li> </ul>
Critical Next Steps/Milestones	<ul> <li>Transfer of applicant to Los Vaqueros Joint Powers Authority (JPA) this quarter</li> <li>Draft public benefits contracts July 2024</li> <li>Non-public benefit cost share September 2024</li> </ul>
Estimated Final Award Date	• November 2024
Last Presentation Next Presentation	<ul> <li>May 2022 additional early funding request</li> <li>July 2024 draft CAPBs</li> </ul>



# **Willow Springs Water Bank**

**Applicant: Southern California Water Bank Authority** 

Recent Activity	<ul> <li>Early Funding: 38% expended; existing agreement expired. New early funding agreement work to start after existing agreement closed-out.</li> <li>Draft EIR Pulse flow projects (incl. Chino and Kern Fan)</li> </ul>
Critical Next Steps/Milestones	<ul> <li>Partnership agreement with AVEK: end of 2<sup>nd</sup> quarter 2024</li> <li>Staff estimates public benefits contracts in 2025</li> </ul>
Estimated Final Award Date	• June 2025
Last Presentation Next Presentation	<ul><li>January 2024 project update</li><li>None scheduled</li></ul>



# **Chino Basin Program**

**Applicant: Inland Empire Utilities Agency (IEUA)** 

<b>Recent Activity</b>	<ul> <li>Commission awarded additional early funding Nov 2023</li> <li>83% expended</li> </ul>
Critical Next Steps/Milestones	<ul> <li>Completing preliminary design reports which will indicate permit pathway and schedule</li> <li>Project-level EIR in 2025</li> </ul>
Estimated Final Award Date	Mid- to late-2025
Last Presentation Next Presentation	<ul> <li>November 2023 increase in early funding</li> <li>None scheduled</li> </ul>



#### **Sites Reservoir**

**Applicant: Sites Reservoir Authority** 

<b>Recent Activities</b>	<ul> <li>Early funding expended</li> </ul>
Critical Next Steps/Milestones	<ul> <li>Federal Record of Decision (ROD) July 2024</li> <li>Non-public benefit cost share June 2024</li> <li>Water rights estimated early 2025</li> <li>Public benefits contracts early 2025</li> </ul>
Estimated Final Award Date	• Mid-2025
Last Presentation Next Presentation	<ul> <li>May 2023 increase in early funding</li> <li>None scheduled</li> </ul>



#### **Kern Fan Project**

**Applicant: Groundwater Banking Joint Powers Authority** 

<b>Recent Activities</b>	<ul> <li>Began construction of Phase 1 in early 2024</li> </ul>
Critical Next Steps/Milestones	<ul> <li>Turn-out location determined by end of 2024</li> <li>Public benefit contracts December 2025</li> <li>Permits late 2026</li> </ul>
Estimated Final Award Date	• Early 2027
Last Presentation Next Presentation	<ul><li>August 2021</li><li>April 2024</li></ul>



# **Pacheco Reservoir Expansion**

**Applicant: Valley Water** 

<b>Recent Activity</b>	<ul> <li>Early funding expended</li> </ul>
Critical Next Steps/Milestones	<ul> <li>Draft Recirculated EIR/EIS July 2025; Final July 2026</li> <li>Permits September 2027</li> </ul>
Estimated Final Award Date	• 2027
Last Presentation Next Presentation	<ul> <li>October 2023</li> <li>April 2024</li> </ul>



# **Quarterly Report Template**

- Staff made changes quarterly report template:
  - Brief project and public benefit descriptions
  - Current total project cost
  - Non-public benefit cost share: status and sources of funding
  - Permits/agreements status including list of expected permits needed to begin construction
- Next quarterly report due April 30, 2024
  - Will cover Jan-March 2024

