

Recycled Water Feasibility Study & Treated Wastewater Discharge Reduction Project

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Project Overview

- Background
- Objectives



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Agenda

- Factors Driving the Project
- Overview of Recycled Water
- Overview of Advanced Purified Water

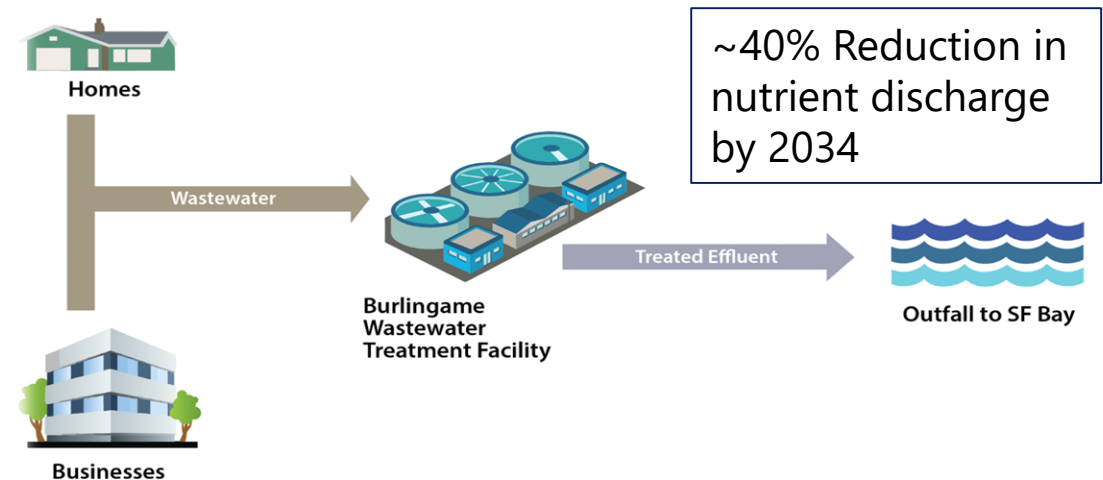


Push Factors

Drought

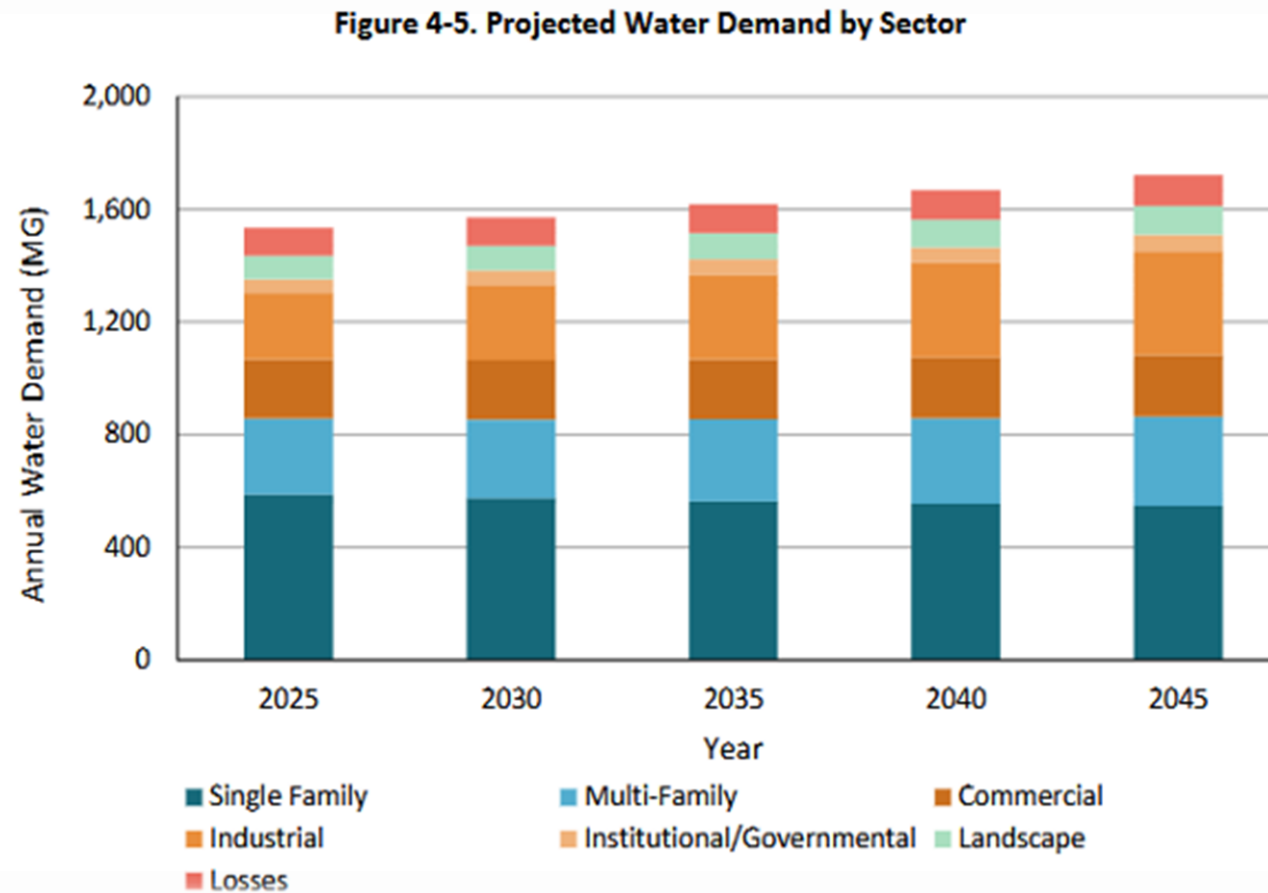


Wastewater Discharge Reduction Requirement



Pull Factor

Growth in Water Demand



Feasibility Study Outcomes

1. Identify project alternatives
 - Perform stakeholder outreach
2. Evaluate feasibility
3. Define preferred alternative



Project Workplan

Phase A

Alternatives
Development
and Screening

City selects three
alternatives for
evaluation

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Phase B

Alternatives
Evaluation

City selects
preferred
alternative

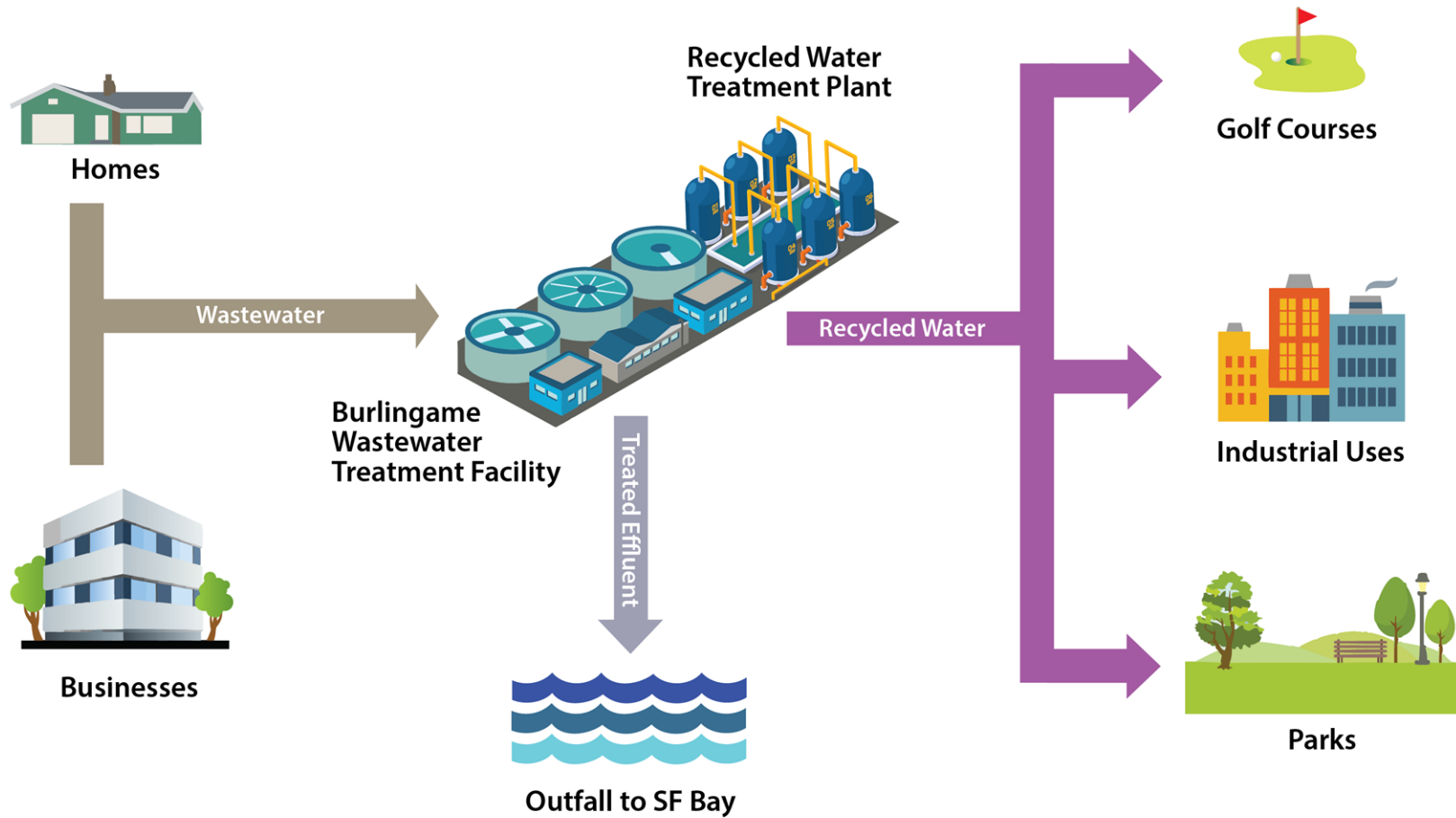
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Phase C

Project
Implementation



Recycled Water Overview





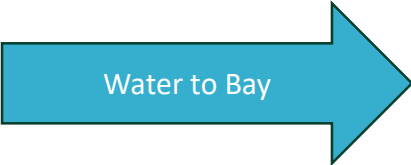
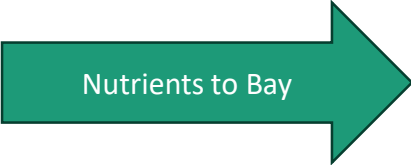
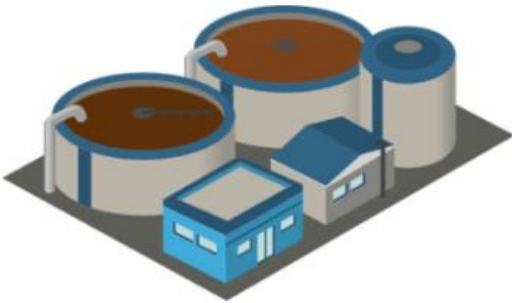
Non-Potable (Purple Pipe)

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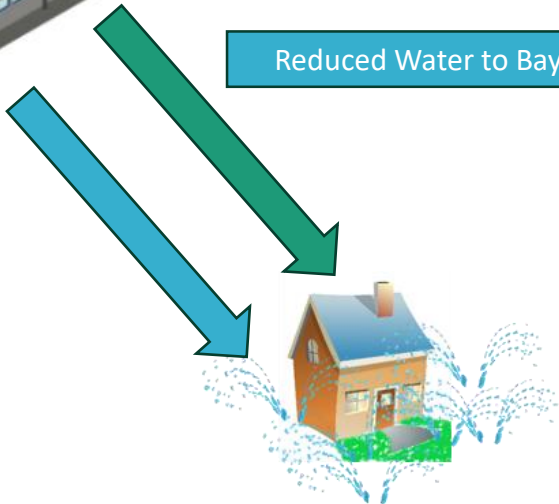


Nutrients, Water Supply, and Types of Water Reuse

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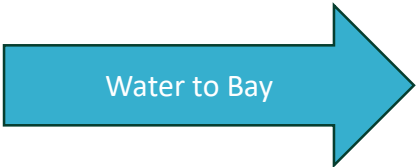
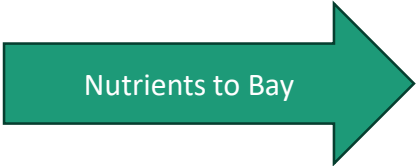
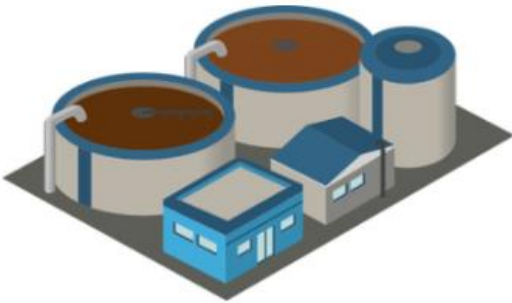


Non-Potable Reuse
Solves Some
Nutrients and Some
Water

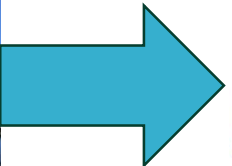
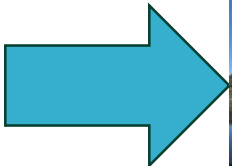
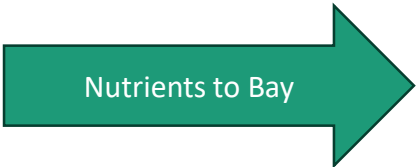


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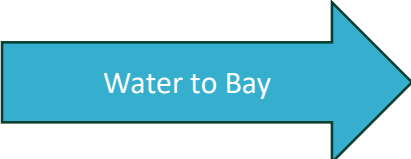
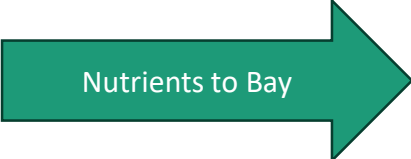
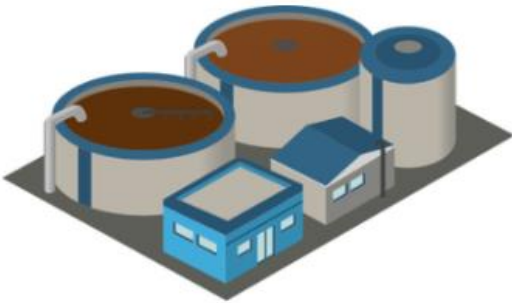


Potable Reuse
Solves Water

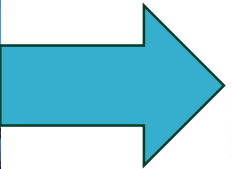
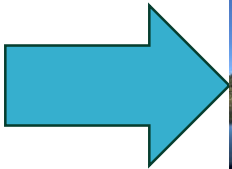
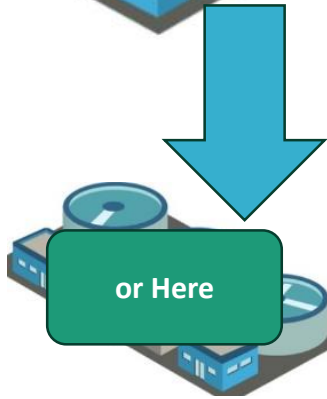


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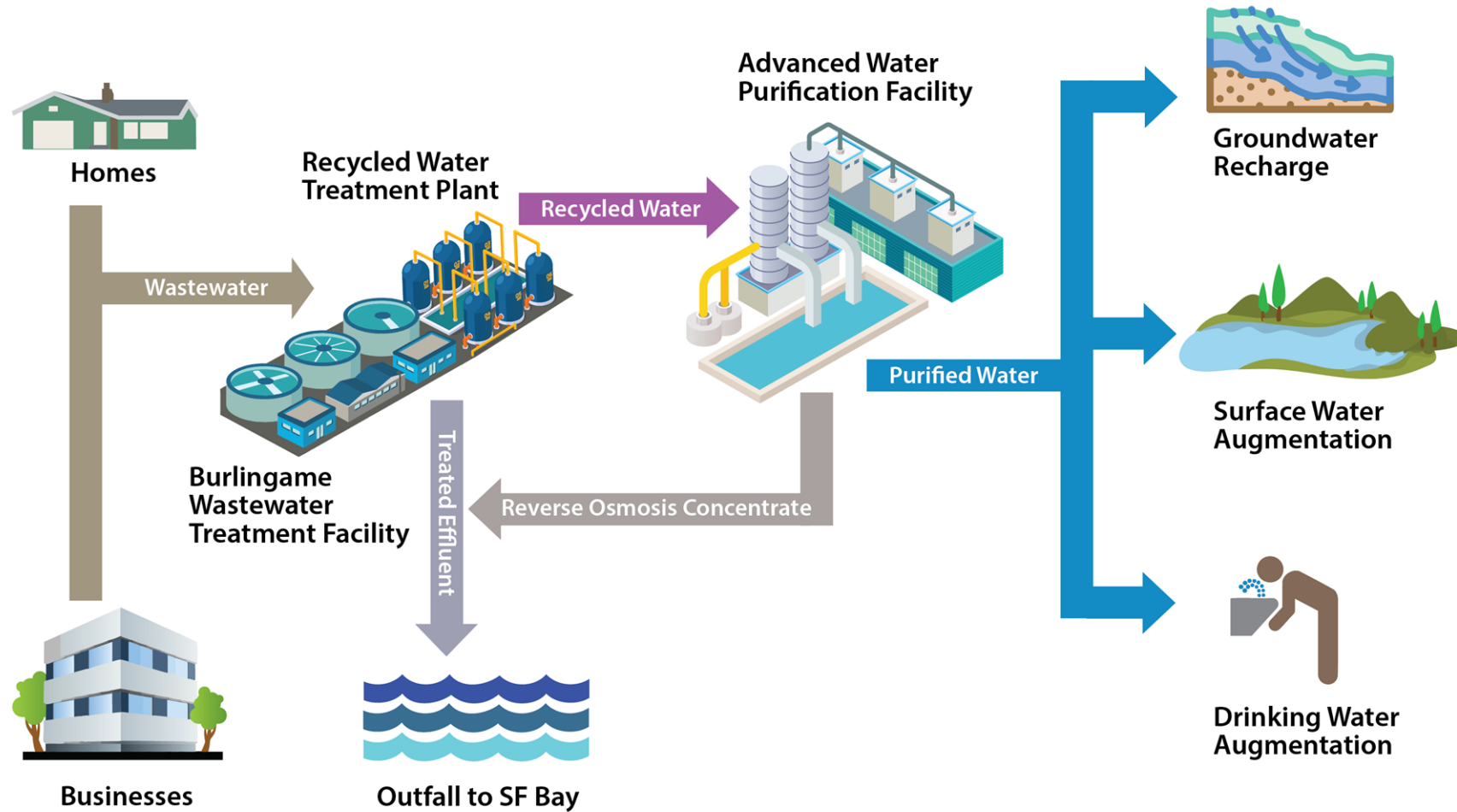
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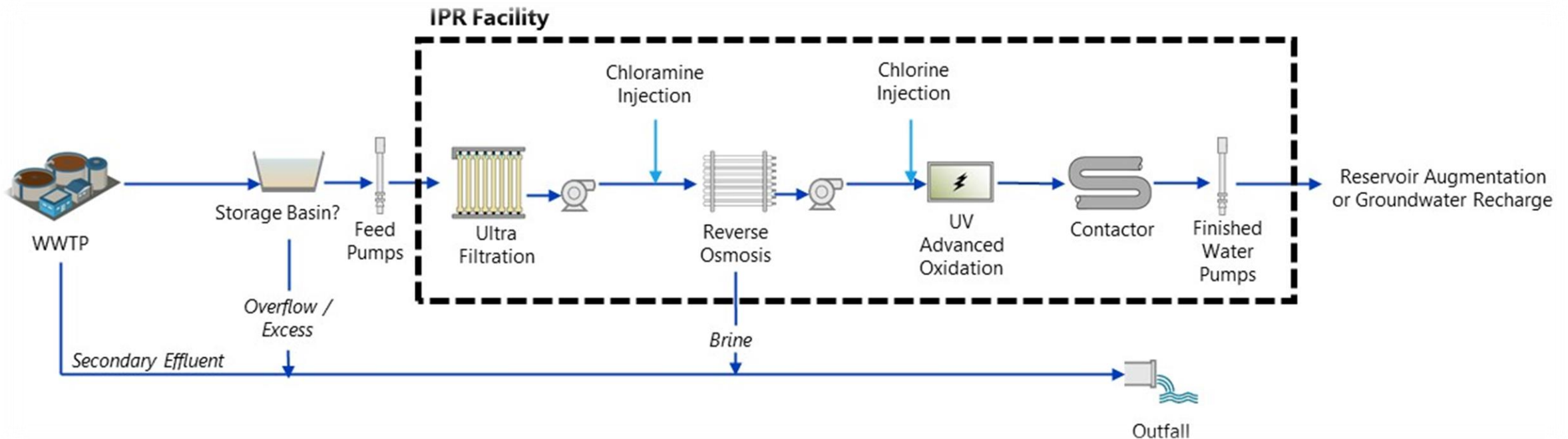
Nutrient Removal &
Potable Reuse
Solves Both



Potable Reuse Overview

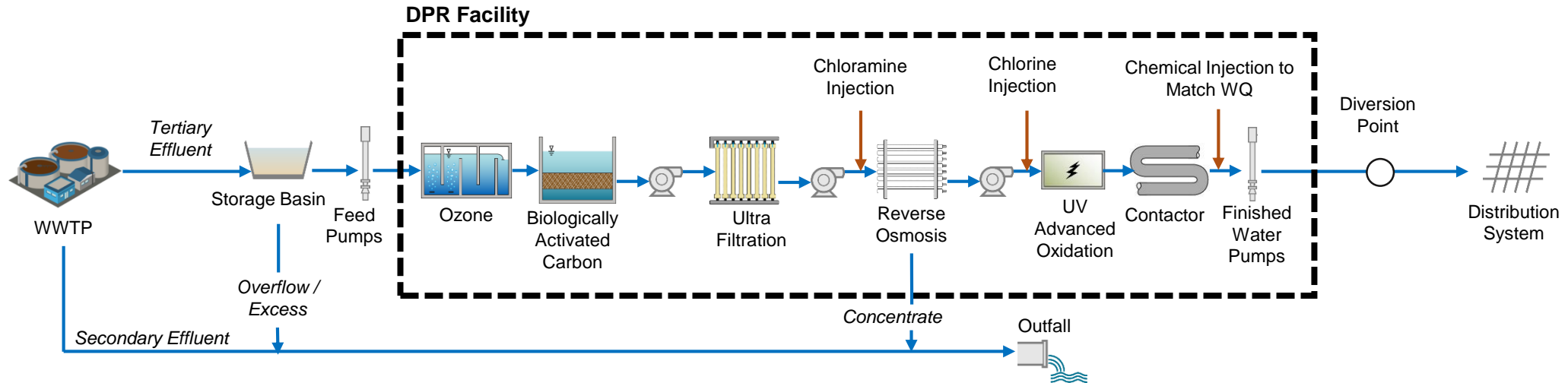


Example: Indirect Potable Reuse (IPR) Facility Treatment Train



Multiple Barrier Process for Robust Removal of Chemicals and Microorganisms

Example: Direct Potable Reuse (DPR) Facility Treatment Train



Additional Barriers in Place per State of California Requirements

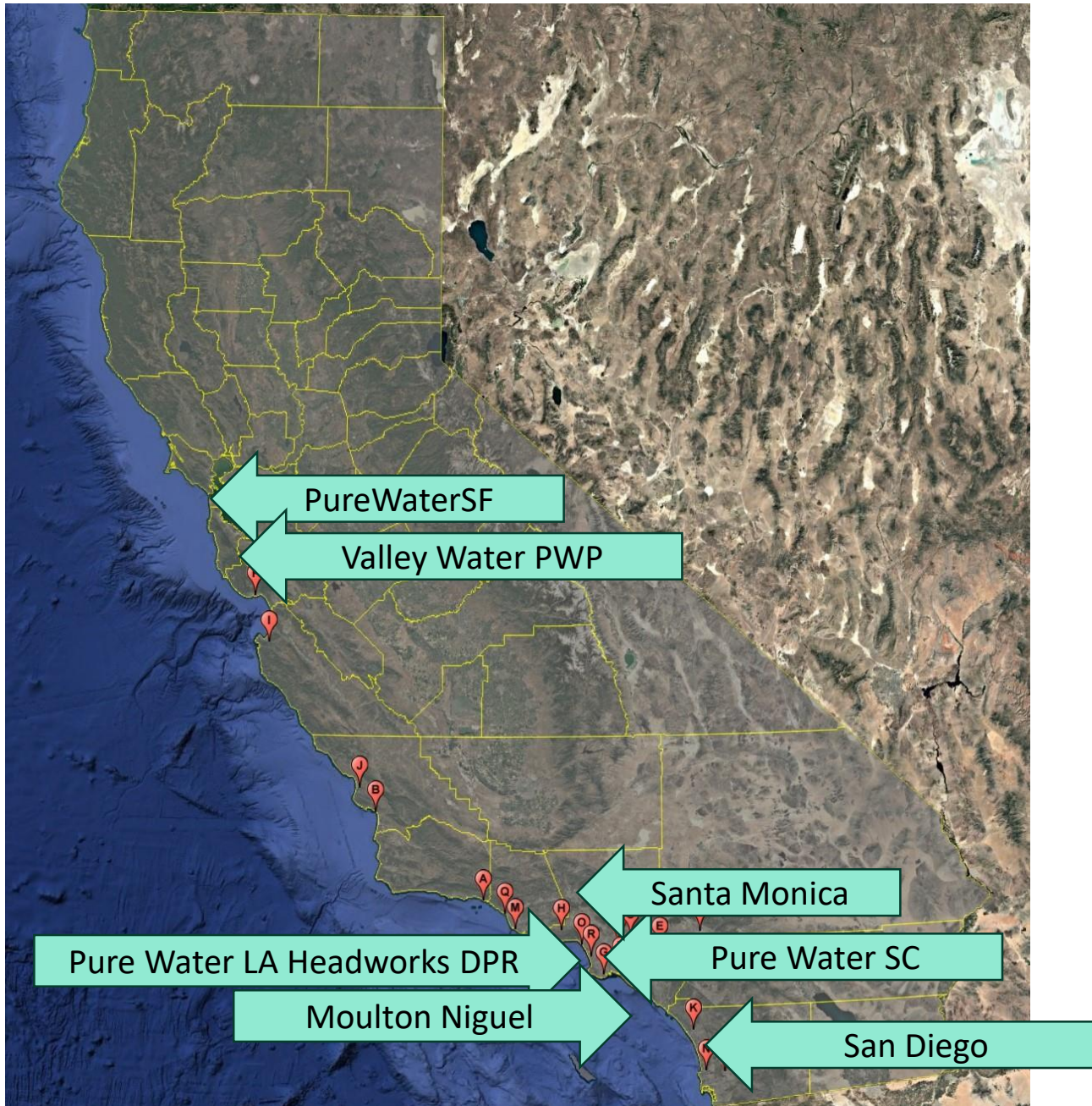
IPR Projects in California



- A. Carpinteria APP – 100% Design
- B. Central Coast Blue – 90% Design
- C. East County AWP - Construction
- D. East Valley SNRC - **Operating**
- E. IEUA Spreading - **Operating**
- E. IEUA Injection - Construction
- F. LACSD Montebello Forebay - **Operating**
- G. Terminal Island WRP - **Operating**
- H. Las Virgenes Triunfo JPA - Construction
- I. Pure Water Monterey - **Operating**
- J. Morro Bay WRF - **Operational**
- K. Oceanside AWP - **Operational**
- L. OCWD - **Operating**
- M. Oxnard AWP - **Operational**
- N. San Diego Pure Water - Construction
- O. Santa Monica SWIP - **Operating**
- P. Pure Water Soquel - **Operational**
- Q. VenturaWaterPure - Design
- R. ECLWRF West Basin - **Operating**
- S. WRD ARC - **Operating**
- T. WRD LVL - **Operating**



Developing DPR Projects in CA



Next Steps

In-Depth Stakeholder Interviews

Continue Phase A Alternative Development

Project Alternatives Screening Workshop

Agency Outreach

- City of Millbrae
- BAWSCA
- SFPUC
- City of San Mateo
- SFO
- OneShoreline



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Thank You



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