



## SFID Total Usage Characteristics

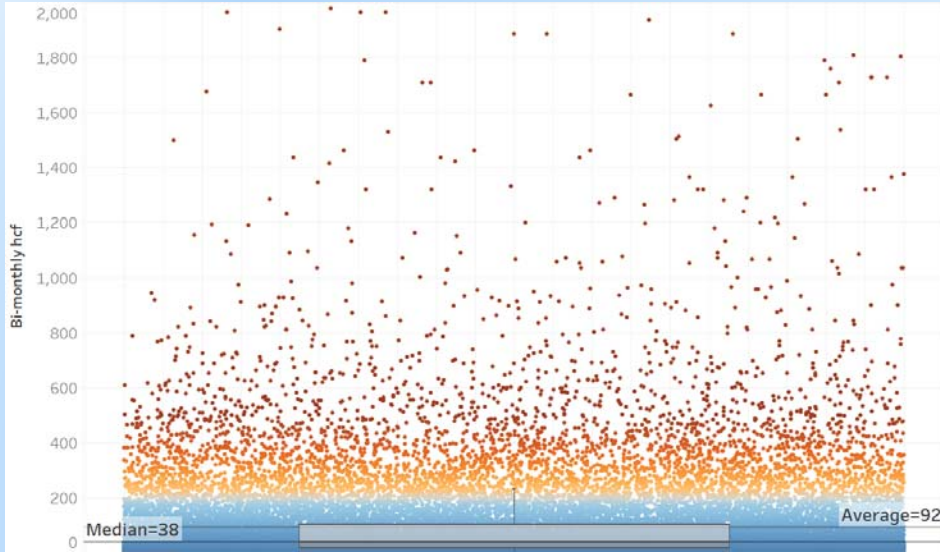
- **Comments on May Data Presentation**

- Previous difficulty with service areas / census-designations / zip code(s) overlay that can impact data presented

- **Cost-of-Service review**

- Presented information does not change previous recommendations for rate structure or potential outcome
- Information presented by community does not impact cost-of-service review, only SFID total use characteristics
- GPCD analysis is not useful for cost-of-service
- HCF analysis is how cost-of-service is accomplished & how ratepayers are billed for usage

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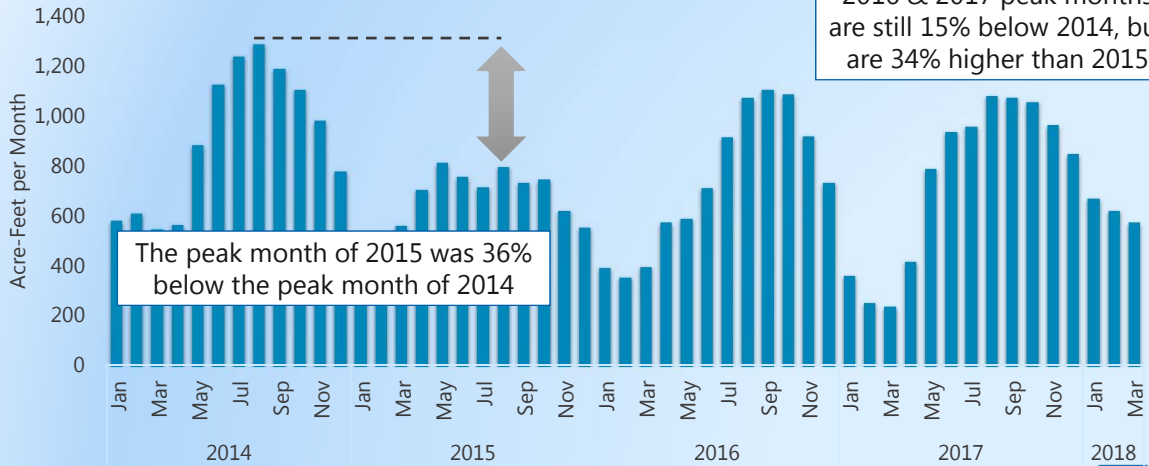


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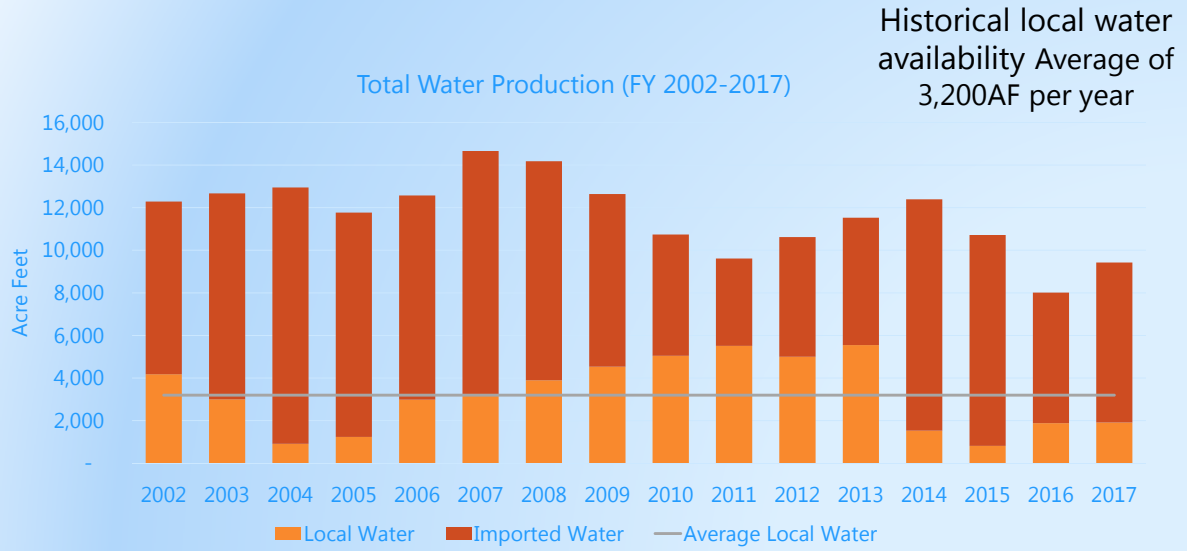
### SFID Usage Characteristic Info

- Monthly water consumption is seasonal and shows a strong ability to conserve



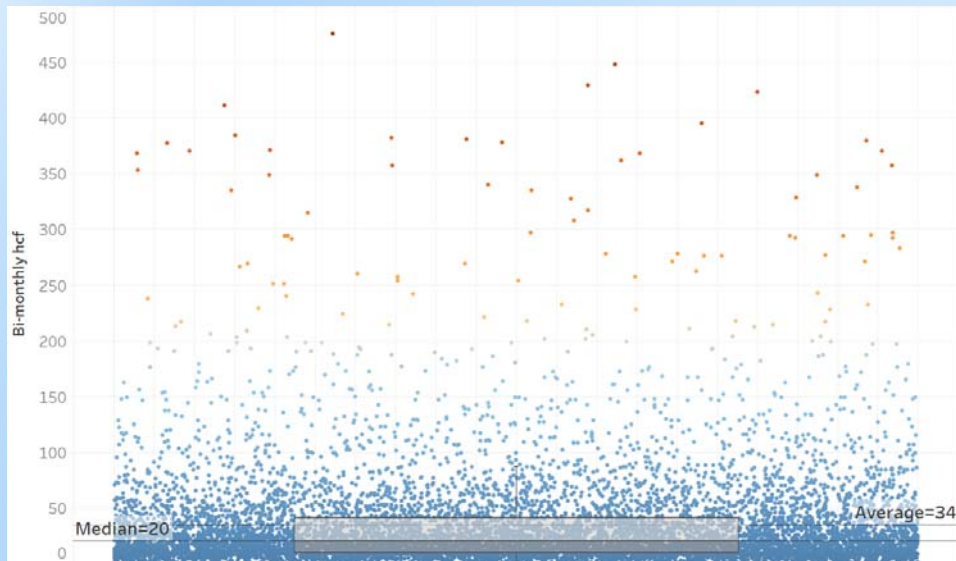
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### SFID Usage Characteristic Info



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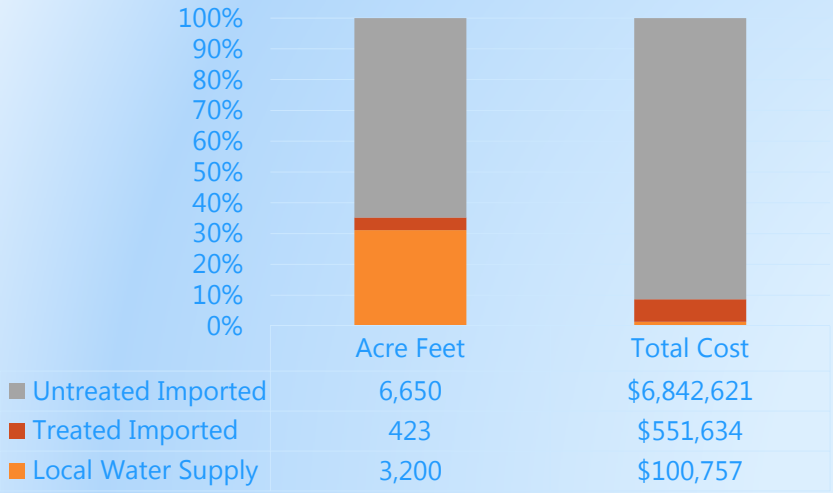
### SFID Winter Use Characteristics\*\*



\* FY 2017 Usage Data, SFR only, all meter sizes  
\*\* January - March reads

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## Forecasted CY 2019 Water Supply Costs



- Over 5X cheaper than peak imported water costs

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## Add'l SFID Usage Characteristic Info

		Average Local Water Level	FY19 Adopted Budget
A	Local Water - AF	3,200	1,720
B	Connections *	6,618	6,618
C=A/B	Local Water Per Connection - AF	0.5	0.3
D	HCF Per AF	435	435
E=C*D	HCF Per Connection	210	113
F=E/6	HCF Per Bi-Monthly Period	35	19

\* Not including fire or recycle, as of June 20, 2018

- Local water availability averages 27% of annual demand
- HCF per bi-monthly period w/ average local water is sufficient to provide SFR average winter use levels

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## Rate Structure Review

- **May 29, 2018 Workshop & Carollo Review:**

- Board of Directors interest in reviewing following structures:

- 1. Unitary Rate:**

- Revenue nexus would not adequately align with how and why higher cost water is incurred
- Higher levels of consumption are directly correlated with increased supply costs

- 2. Inclining Tier Rate:**

- Allows revenue structure to better align with SFID characteristic of local water availability

- 3. Meter Based Rate:**

- Equity and reasonableness concerns with SFID characteristics & meter inventory

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## Rate Structure Preliminary Finding

### **Two Volumetric Tiers:**

- Local Water & Treated Water Purchases (for annual plant maintenance)
- Imported (Untreated) Water

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# Fixed Meter Charge

- **Fixed cost recovery percentage:**
  - Revenue generation is important for financial stability to agency
  - Impacts on ratepayers based on various levels of volumetric consumption
  - Level of fixed charge will have a converse impact on volumetric rate structure

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# SFID Characteristics

Single Family Customers		HCF			
Meter Size	# Accounts	1st Quartile	2nd Quartile (Median)	Average	3rd Quartile
0.75	3,381	12	23	37	42
1.00	1,624	36	84	121	167
1.50	641	58	147	226	320

- Review of fixed costs for SFID and other local agencies for single-family residential based on usage

\* Does not include 75 meters of 5/8, 2, & 3"

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## Fixed Rate Comparison – 3/4" Meters

3/4" Meter	0 HCF	1Quartile (12HCF)	2Quartile (23HCF)	Average (37HCF)	3Quartile (42HCF)	100HCF
Carlsbad	\$ 66.72	\$ 113.16	\$ 158.19	\$ 265.72	\$ 261.16	\$ 667.16
% Fixed	100.0%	59.0%	42.2%	25.1%	25.5%	10.0%
Del Mar	\$ 89.46	\$ 142.86	\$ 191.81	\$ 265.72	\$ 294.42	\$ 627.34
% Fixed	100.0%	62.6%	46.6%	33.7%	30.4%	14.3%
Helix	\$ 47.87	\$ 103.67	\$ 156.65	\$ 242.54	\$ 276.49	\$ 670.31
% Fixed	100.0%	46.2%	30.6%	19.7%	17.3%	7.1%
Poway	\$ 39.33	\$ 109.89	\$ 168.69	\$ 256.89	\$ 286.29	\$ 627.33
% Fixed	100.0%	35.8%	23.3%	15.3%	13.7%	6.3%
Santa Fe Irrigation District	\$ 85.08	\$ 113.88	\$ 141.52	\$ 185.32	\$ 212.67	\$ 529.93
% Fixed	100.0%	74.7%	60.1%	45.9%	40.0%	16.1%

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## Fixed Rate Comparison – 1" Meters

1" Meter	0 HCF	1Quartile (36HCF)	2Quartile (84HCF)	Average (121HCF)	3Quartile (167HCF)	200HCF
Carlsbad	\$ 202.48	\$ 248.92	\$ 293.95	\$ 325.36	\$ 396.92	\$ 802.92
% Fixed	100.0%	81.3%	68.9%	62.2%	51.0%	25.2%
Del Mar	\$ 149.10	\$ 202.50	\$ 251.45	\$ 325.36	\$ 354.06	\$ 686.98
% Fixed	100.0%	73.6%	59.3%	45.8%	42.1%	21.7%
Helix	\$ 69.95	\$ 125.75	\$ 178.73	\$ 264.62	\$ 298.57	\$ 692.39
% Fixed	100.0%	55.6%	39.1%	26.4%	23.4%	10.1%
Poway	\$ 63.12	\$ 133.68	\$ 192.48	\$ 280.68	\$ 310.08	\$ 651.12
% Fixed	100.0%	47.2%	32.8%	22.5%	20.4%	9.7%
Santa Fe Irrigation District	\$ 136.32	\$ 165.12	\$ 192.76	\$ 236.56	\$ 263.91	\$ 581.17
% Fixed	100.0%	82.6%	70.7%	57.6%	51.7%	23.5%

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## SDCWA Fixed Charges

Rate Component	SDCWA Apportionment Methodology	Current Collection Methodology	CY 2019 Cost	CY 2019 Bill Impact
Supply Reliability Charge	5-yr Rolling Average (usage)	Meter Equivalents	\$572,916	\$8.88
Storage Charge	3-yr Rolling Average (usage)	Meter Equivalents	1,261,500	\$19.55
Customer Service	3-yr Rolling Average (usage)	Meter Equivalents	456,804	\$7.08
MWD CRC	5-yr Rolling Average (Peak)	Meter Equivalents	183,064	\$2.84
MWD RTS	10-yr Rolling Average (usage)	Meter Equivalents	281,340	\$4.36
Infrastructure Access	Meter Equivalents	Meter Equivalents	377,676	\$6.02
			<b>\$3,133,300</b>	<b>\$48.72/MEU</b>

Notes: 10,757 Forecasted MEUs. IAC based on Proposed CY 2019 CWA Rates and Charges.

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## SDCWA Recovery Preliminary Findings

Rate Component	Apportionment Methodology	Proposed Collection Methodology	Unit Rate (\$/CCF)
Supply Reliability Charge	5-yr Rolling Average (usage)	Billed Usage	\$0.13
Storage Charge	3-yr Rolling Average (usage)	Billed Usage	0.09
Customer Service	3-yr Rolling Average (usage)	Billed Usage	0.10
MWD CRC	5-yr Rolling Average (Peak)	Billed Usage	0.29
MWD RTS	10-yr Rolling Average (usage)	Billed Usage	0.04
			<b>\$0.65</b>
Infrastructure Access	Meter Equivalents	Meter Equivalents	\$6.02/MEU

Notes: Current forecasted usage of 4,408,890 CCF. IAC based on Proposed CY 2019 CWA Rates and Charges.

Recommended change in collection methodology more closely aligns with how the cost is incurred.

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## Fixed Charge Preliminary Finding(s)

- Fixed cost charge can be adjusted or maintained
- Though Demand Management Rates should be considered, reduction in fixed charges would further necessitate adoption to ensure revenue sufficiency with declining consumption
- SDCWA primary recovery though fixed charge shifted to volumetric component & potential "backfill" with other fixed costs

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# COST-OF-SERVICE ADDITIONAL INPUTS & DISCUSSION

Board of Directors  
June 27, 2018



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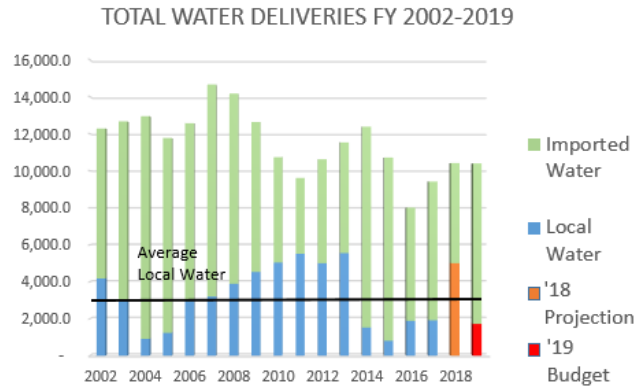
## Additional Inputs for Discussion

- **Length of cost-of-service period**
  - Three year rate study
- **Local water availability during cost-of-service period**
  - Reserve utilization
- **Operation and maintenance expenditures**
- **Debt financing for capital improvement program**
  - Details of financing timeline & additional items



## Local Water Availability

- **Level of water to be available from Lake Hodges**
  - One of the most critical inputs into SFID rate study



## Local Water Availability

- **Cost-of-Service Year 1:** 1,720 AF
- **Cost-of-Service Year 2:** 2,490 AF
- **Cost-of-Service Year 3:** 3,200 AF
- **? Utilization of long-run average or more conservative figure**
  - Rate change impacts
- **? Utilization of rate stabilization to “smooth” local water amount**
  - Maintain long-run average, while recognizing low current availability
  - Impact from FY 2018 financial outcome / local water use
- **? Separate reserve fund**



## O&M & Cost-of-Service Inputs

	FY 2019	FY 2020	FY 2021	FY 2022
Account Growth	-	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Water Demand Change <sup>1</sup>	-	0.5%	0.5%	0.5%
<b>Water Sales (Acre Feet) <sup>2</sup></b>				
Potable	10,400	10,450	10,500	10,550
Recycle	500	500	500	500
<b>Water Purchases (Acre Feet)</b>				
Imported Treated	500	500	500	500
Imported Raw	7,698	7,360	6,638	6,301
Local Water (Acre Feet)	1,720	2,105	2,875	3,260
<b>Other Revenue Assumptions</b>				
Capacity Fees <sup>3</sup>	Budget	\$ 75,000	\$ 75,000	\$ 75,000
Other Revenues <sup>3</sup>	Budget	\$ 200,000	\$ 200,000	\$ 200,000
<b>Expense Escalation Assumptions</b>				
General	Budget	3.0%	3.0%	3.0%
Salary	Budget	3.0%	3.0%	3.0%
Benefits	Budget	4.0%	4.0%	4.0%
Benefits - Medical	Budget	10.0%	10.0%	10.0%
Benefits - CalPERS	Budget	5.0%	5.0%	5.0%
Chemicals	Budget	4.0%	4.0%	4.0%
Utilities	Budget	5.0%	5.0%	5.0%
Capital	Budget	3.0%	3.0%	3.0%

1 - Based on UWMP 2020-2040 growth rate

2 - Assumed 2% non-revenue water, FY 2018 YE projection of 10,350AF sales. 2015 UWMP projected 10,478AF of potable and raw water in 2020.

3 - Based on long-run revenue average

## Debt Financing for Capital Program

- **Debt Issuance Positive Impacts:**
  - Intergenerational repayment for long-term asset(s)
  - Reduced need for pay-go / rate impacts
  
- **Debt Issuance Considerations:**
  - Covenant requirements
  - Maintenance of quality credit / rate impacts
  - Debt capacity limits / large capital projects
  - Potential tax implications
  - Rising interest rate environment
  - Complexity on securitizing improvements of joint facilities (two bond issuances ?)



## Debt Financing for Capital Program

- **Debt issuance approximate timeline:**
  - January 2019: Development of RFP for Financial Advisor and financing syndicate
  - March 2019: Financial Advisor award / begin development of preliminary official statement
  - May 2019: Financial structure & preliminary official statement development
  - Aug. 2019: Final disclosure review / official statement completion / credit rating review
  - Sept./Oct. 2019: Marketing / pricing / sale of bonds
- **Proceeds not to be expected for capital program until fall 2019**
- **Reimbursement resolution possible, with increase in complexity**



## Debt Financing for Capital Program

<i>\$ in thousands - inflated @ 3.1%</i>	FY 2019	FY 2020	FY 2021	FY 2022
SFID Total Projects	\$ 5,736.7	\$ 5,647.2	\$ 5,525.7	\$ 5,768.4
Joint Facilities Projects - SFID Share	\$ 3,357.5	\$ 3,318.1	\$ 2,076.6	\$ 2,312.6
<b>TOTAL CIP</b>	<b>\$ 9,094.2</b>	<b>\$ 8,965.3</b>	<b>\$ 7,602.3</b>	<b>\$ 8,081.0</b>

- **Cash flow generation through rates**
  - District reserve levels & cash on hand balance
  - Greater return on capital with alternative use than pay-go (i.e. CalPERS)
- **Significant impact on rates not anticipated in current cost-of-service timeframe**
  - Greater impact on rates over long-term capital borrowing program



# Questions?

