**Dealing with Disruption:** Operationalizing Resilience in the Water Sector

# PART 4 Managing Challenges Through Resilience Thinking



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**Resilience Webinar: Part 4** 

# Managing Challenges Through Resilience Thinking

#### Moderator



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# Featured Speakers



#### **Charles Stevens**

Water Utility Officer KC Water Kansas City, MO



#### **Stephen MacCarthy**

Manager Corporate Security, Risk & Assurance Water Corporation Australia



#### **Jim Wollbrinck**

Director Emergency Management and Business Resiliency San Jose Water Company San Jose, CA NACWA/AMWA Resilience Webinar Series – Webinar 4 – Managing Challenges Through Resilience Thinking June 3, 2020 KC Water's Journey To Improve Its Resiliency Actions

2012

October 4, 1998

U.S. Drought Monitor





951 Flood

# KC Water - Resiliency Journey Overview

- ClimateLOOK Customized Report For KC Regional Climate Changes
- Stormwater Utility Weather Station Soil Moisture
  Instrumentation
- The Water Research Foundation Multi Funded Research Project #04863 – "Sources and Fate of Taste and Odor Causing Compounds In The Missouri River"
- Source Water Protection Opportunities 2018 Farm Bill
- Source Water Supply Resiliency Raw Water Collector Wells
- Water Reuse Feasibility Study



# KC Water efforts with ClimateLOOK

- Water Services moved into Climate Resiliency efforts thanks to a Mid-American Regional Council (MARC) Climate Conference and post conference discussion of needs with Dr. Dan Walker with ClimateLOOK and Dr. Chris Anderson from Iowa State University.
- This lead to 6 months of critical Research, discussion and development that evolved into the \$799 dollar ClimateLOOK Report for KC Water.
- This has proven very valuable to KC Water as the beta tester for the product and has led to todays presentation on Climate Resiliency as a whole and our need for further development of ClimateLOOK.



#### The eight National Climate Assessment (NCA) model scenarios are Regionalized into Divisions We are in Division 1 of Missouri



significantly reduce these risks.



# The National Climate Assessment (NCA) Divisions are <u>Too</u> Regional. We need <u>Local</u> Climate Impacts.

- Universities have created new Statistical methods to do this using local historic data to calibrate the eight NCA Divisional model scenarios for regional Climate Change impacts to within 25 miles of our local records.
- We used 40 years of Historic Temperature and rain data from the Downtown Wheeler airport to localize Division 1 of Missouri to us.

Understanding Long-Term Climate Changes for Kansas City, Missouri



Figure 1: Location of the Global Historical Climatology Network Station [USW00013988] that provided historical observations used in the NCA and reported in this report. (Google Maps)



# Statistically localizing two NCA climate model scenarios to historic site data found:

- 1.) Heat/Temperature is Kansas City, Missouri's most dangerous impact.
- 2.) Rainfall frequency and severity both increase with negative impacts on infrastructure and public safety throughout the City.
- 3.) We found more extreme **<u>seasonality</u>**; wetter springs, drier summers/falls
- 4.) These increased extremes further impact local resources and systems.
- 5.) A clear trend of increased stress emerges with metro-wide economic and human impacts
- 6.) This will allow us to further develop and identify the impacts in order to plan and prepare.



# Increased Heat drives all other impacts, <u>including rain</u> with significant Human and Economic impacts. Heat = Energy

- Electrical demand may increase 8% to 19% with a 5% chance of increasing over 23%.
- <u>All Labor Productivity</u> in the metro at large could decrease by 2.9% with a 5% chance of a 3.7% decrease in annual productivity just due to heat and humidity.
- An increase in violent crime of up to 5.3% is possible due solely to hotter temperatures.
- 3 to 24 <u>additional</u> deaths due to heat per 100,000 people. With higher electrical demand and expenses, more will be unable to afford air conditioning with more days above 95 and 105 with high humidity. For <u>Kansas City, MO</u> this is saying we will <u>increase</u> deaths by: <u>17 to 139 more every year from heat</u>. Above the losses we already sustain.
- FEMA's Benefit/Cost Software estimates the lifetime loss to families and community from the death of 17 to 139 persons at: <u>140 to 1,100 million dollars.</u> - BCA version 5.2.1



There are levels of heat and humidity that you cannot cool down from. KCMO has **<u>never</u>** seen this but may see it 10 times per year by 2100.

# Our Standards, Design and Construction are based on our <u>Historic record.</u>

 If that record is changing and growing more severe and frequent then our standards are being shifted by nature. What once worked now fails in the future.

Rainfall Historic	c Record								
Year	mount	# of Years with Record (1889 to 2006)			118	(Sample	Size)		
1889	38.33	Average (Sample)			36.78	Inches			
1890	31.82	Standard Deviation (118 records)			7.96	Inches	+/-		
1891	37.05								
1892	43.47		Min.	Max.					
1893	32.13	95% Certainty	20.86	52.70	Inches				
1894	35.4								
1895	41.22	95.45% of Annual Rainfall will fall within +/- 2σ (Standard Deviations) of the Average above							
1896	33.64								
1897	30.21								
1898	50.25	Percent of Prob	Covered						
1899	32.52	σ	68.268	39492137%					
1900	35.78	2σ	95.449	99736104%					
1901	24.76	3σ	99.730	00203937%					
1902	40.52	4σ	99.993	36657516%					
1903	39.22	5σ	99.999	99426697%					
1904	47.73	6σ	99.999	99998027%	1				
1905	42.55	7σ	99.999	99999997%	1				
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#### Rainfall Depth Table Kansas City Area

This table contains rainfall depths in inches (values do not account for gage undercatch)

Duration	Return Period (T <sub>PDS</sub> )								
(HH:MM)	1-year	2-year	5-year	10-year	25-year	50-year	100-year	500-year	
24:00	2.86	3.55	4.50	5.25	6.28	7.10	7.94	10.0	



# Drought, expect more and expect worse

- ClimateLOOK shows an increase in Days without rain from 30 to up to 43. It also shows temperatures increase by up to 14% annually. This is a recipe for more frequent drought.
- Without agricultural adaptation the Midwest could see corn and wheat losses of 11% to 69%. - Heat in the Heartland, 2015

U.S. Drought Monitor

August 28, 2012 Valid 7 a.m. EST

#### Missouri

	Drought Conditions (Percent Area)							
	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4		
Current	0.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	97.44	35.29		
Last Week (08/21/2012 map)	0.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	99.29	35.72		
3 Months Ago (05/29/2012 map)	44.73	55.27	19.40	2.52	0.00	0.00		
Start of Calendar Year (12/27/2011 map)	95.48	4.52	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00		
Start of Water Year (09/27/2011 map)	55.19	44.81	22.45	8.65	0.00	0.00		
One Year Ago (08/23/2011 map)	44.91	55.09	16.87	4.28	0.00	0.00		



The Drought Monitor focuses on broad-scale conditions. Local conditions may vary. See accompanying text summary for forecast statements.

#### http://droughtmonitor.unl.edu

<u> Missouri Drought Monitor - August 28</u>



Released Thursday, August 30, 2012 Brian Fuchs, National Drought Mitigation Center

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More work on Drought will be done in our future planning efforts

# **Utility Preparedness vs. Drought**

- Let's use Kansas City, MO's Water Utility as an example.
- More droughts create more demand, pressure and shrinking soils which creates an exponential increase in water main breaks.
- Our Water Treatment Plant can treat 240 million gpd. or 7.2 billion per month. July 2012 demanded 5.2 billion. What might a dust bowl demand?
- Can our pipeline system deliver 7.2 billion gallons if drought demands it?



# KC Water Stormwater Utility Weather and Flood Warning Sites

- KC Water service area is 319 square miles
- Weather sites track temperature, wind and relative humidity.
- Flood warning sites track rain and stage.





#### **KC Water Stormwater Utility Soil Moisture Sites**

- Study of nine (9) KC Water metro weather & flood warning sites that are representative of different parcel types, i.e. forested, residential lawn and tall grass.
- Addition of Soil Moisture sensor's which will monitor soil moisture to a total depth of 1.31 ft. at depths of 2", 4", 8" and 15".
- Enable KC Water to build the data record for weather and soil moisture to correlate water consumption patterns of our customer's based on various parcel types and soil moisture conditions across the KC Water metro.
- Assist in predicting increases and decreases in water main breaks and potential to utilize this data in our current water main replacement program model for determining which water mains to replace first.





# KC Water - Source Water Resiliency Efforts



The water utilities along the Missouri River have experienced recurring seasonal taste and odor challenges in their source water for many decades. A 1960 investigated the sources of T&O in Missouri River water (Erdei, 1963).

More than 50 years after the publication of that study, it can be argued that the same contributing sources continue to cause T&O issues along the Missouri River.



# KC Water Source Water Resiliency Efforts

- One of the most significant T&O episodes in the Missouri River was experienced in early 2014.
- An intense and prolonged T&O event was experienced over a stretch of 400 miles in the lower Missouri River between February and March 2014.
- This event was atypical and extraordinary in multiple ways:
  - □ Timing: late winter/early spring (February/March) versus summer and fall (July through October)
  - □ Intensity: recorded raw water threshold odor numbers (TONs) were as high as 25
  - Duration: lasted almost 4 weeks between first detection in the Kansas City area to when high odor was detected in the St. Louis area



# KC Water Source Water Resiliency Efforts

- The event triggered four (4) of the largest water utilities along the Missouri River (St. Louis Water Division; Water District No. 1 of Johnson County [WaterOne]; Kansas City, MO Water Department [KC Water]; and Missouri American Water) to co-sponsor this multi-funded WRF research project #04683
- **\*** The specific objectives for this study were:
  - To identify and summarize knowledge and information to improve the understanding of the sources, fate, and transport of T&O-causing compounds in the Missouri River between Gavin's Point Dam, Nebraska, and St. Louis, Missouri
  - To develop the foundation for the development of an early warning monitoring system that will help water utilities that draw source water from this target region of the Missouri River to predict the potential for occurrence of T&O events, prepare for T&O challenges, and manage operations to mitigate T&O in the treated water



# KC Water Source Water Resiliency Efforts

> The Near-Term Recommendations Are:

- Early warning system implementation
- Implement and standardize sensory analyses of T&O at each WTP
- Optimize PAC treatment for T&O control
- > The Long-Term Recommendations Are:
  - Acquire and train designated lead agency personnel on ICWater model
  - Expand GIS-based database to incorporate publicly available water quantity, water quality, and geospatial data
  - ✤ Investigate remote sensing as a T&O early warning tool



# 2018 Farm Bill – Conservation Programs Focus On Source Water Protection

# Why should a Utility get involved with the agricultural community?

- Help shape how conservation dollars are spent, focusing them on the greatest benefits to source water protection (Serve on State NRCS Technical Committee).
- Foster mutual trust and understanding between water systems and producers, encouraging constructive problem-solving.
- Make progress on specific source water concerns by focusing on practices that will best address them.
- Save on treatment costs or delay or avoid installing additional treatment.
- Reduce risks to their water supplies.
- Increase public confidence in both sectors.
- Leverage every dollar they contribute (whether cash or in-kind) through NRCS and other partners. For example, in the Beaver Water District case study, about \$8.50 is being spent on implementing best management practices (BMPs) for every \$1 contributed by the utility.



#### KC Water - Focus On Source Water Protection

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Missouri River at Kansas City - Nitrate



# 2018 Farm Bill – Conservation Programs Focus On Source Water Protection

- How do we incentivize producers to adopt source water protection practices?
  - Specifically authorize source water protection as an eligible activity
  - \* "(B) offer to producers increased incentives and higher payment rates than are otherwise statutorily authorized through conservation programs administered by the Secretary for practices that result in significant environmental benefits that the Secretary determines— "(i) relate to water quality or water quantity; and "(ii) occur primarily outside of the land on which the practices are implemented.
  - ✤ Increase mandatory funding for the program



# 2018 Farm Bill – Conservation Programs Focus On Source Water Protection

- How do we incentivize producers to adopt source water protection practices?
  - Io% of Natural Resources Conservation Service conservation funding directed toward source water protection, an incredible \$4 billion over the next ten years;
  - Authorizes water utilities to work with State technical committees in identifying priority areas in each state; and
  - Additional incentives for farmers who employ practices that benefit source waters.
  - Regional Conservation Partnership Program (RCPP) funded at \$300 million/yr.



## Source Water Protection - Source Water Diversification

- Design and Installation of Alluvial Collector Wells
  - Currently 80% of KC Water Utility's raw water is from the Missouri River and 20% from 14 vertical wells in the MO. River alluvium (Approx. 40 MGD)
  - Missouri River bed has been lowering for several decades which has caused issues' at the KC Water River Intake
  - To provide more reliability and resiliency KC Water has up to three (3) collector wells being designed in FY 22 with construction beginning in FY 23 and FY 24
  - Increase the well capacity to 100+ MGD





#### Source Water Protection - Source Water Diversification KC Water - Water Reuse Feasibility



Study

#### **Project Objectives**

- Evaluate feasibility of supplying reuse water
  - From Six Wastewater Treatment Plants (WWTP)
- Evaluate potential customers
  - Identify top water users with proximity to WWTPs
  - Survey to gauge interest
- Estimate project costs

Various site flows depending on customer needs



# **Feasibility of Providing Reuse Water**





### Source Water Diversification – Water Reuse



#### WSD Potable Water Treatment Capacity

- Water Production facility is conventional coagulation plant
- Limited footprint for expansion
- Peak Day Capacity forecast to be 250 to 290 mgd in 2040
- Expansion Peak Day Demand at WTP - \$191 million
- Long-Term Source Water Concerns



#### Source Water Diversification – Water Reuse

#### **KC Water Reuse Drivers**

**Customer Water Demands** 

Estimated BNR For WWTP's – Approximately \$650M

Water Quality – Can A Reduction In Discharge of Nutrients Be Developed into a Economic Advantage

**Effluent Trading** 

Provides sustainability & resiliency for Water and Wastewater Utilities and the customers' it would serve





Source Water Diversification – Water Reuse Water Quality • Irrigation Requirements



- Process Water
- Cooling and or Steam
- Potable Water



#### Source Water Diversification – Reuse Water Supply

#### **Examine Water users**



- Evaluate large water users to identify reuse opportunities
- WSD provided data

Drive toward sustainable solution



Source Water Diversification - Distribution of Reuse Water – Force Main Options from BR Secondary WWTP





#### Source Water Diversification – Water Reuse Treatment Alternatives

#### **Typical Reuse Treatment**



All Alternatives have High Level Disinfection

**Chemical: Chlorine Physical: UV, Ozone** 

Filtration MBR Filtration + MF/RO MBR + RO









#### Source Water Diversification – Cost of Service

#### **Reuse Cost of Service Range**

Description	Average Cost of Service /Ccf
Blue River Primary – 2.5 MGD	\$4.98
Blue River Primary – 5 MGD	\$4.63
Blue River Primary – 10 MGD	\$4.25
Blue River Secondary – 2.5 MGD	\$3.45
Blue River Secondary – 5 MGD	\$3.16
Blue River Secondary – 10 MGD	\$2.92

Assumes that all new debt and O&M related to Reuse Facility are recovered in rate annually.

Assumes Reclaimed water sold only to new reuse customers

Current Average Water Rate is \$4.48/ccf



#### Source Water Diversification – Water Reuse Status

Results indicated Economic Cent\$ and could provide a sustainable solution

- **Presented initial findings to Industrial** Users
- **Improvement in Envision Score**

**Continue to work with Industrial Users** and customers

**Examining Pilot testing** 

**Refining CAPEX/OPEX costs** 











#### **Organisational Resilience: "Security through diversity" Desalination & Reuse - our journey**

**Stephen MacCarthy RFD** 

May 2020


#### **Perspectives - Australia**







#### Western Australia



- **2.6 million kilometers<sup>2</sup>** (approx. 1.6 million miles<sup>2</sup>)
- 2.6 million people

Perth: worlds most remote capital city





#### Water Corporation



- Principal supplier of water, wastewater and drainage services in Western Australia.
- State Government owned accountable to the *Minister for Water*.
- Purpose is to provide sustainable water services to make Western Australian a great place to live and invest.
- Our Vision:
  - Water Forever
  - o Great Place
  - o Zero Footprint





#### Culture



**WESTERN AUSTRALIA** is remote – unconnected to any other team in Australia Independent culture born of remoteness & harsh environment

- ".. if it breaks there is no one else to help us .."
- A strong history of engineering with mining, oil, gas and Government infrastructure engineering to span long distances *(roads, railways, harbours)*
- Gold rush .. people came from around the world
- Post WWII immigration and the 1960's-70's Pilbara mining boom, continued into the 1980's with Oil & Gas

#### INTERNAL CULTURE:

- Corporatisation(1995) recruiting a new team
- Single focus challenge .. everyone *knew what was important* and were all working towards project delivery .. a *"sense of urgency"*
- we were "a builder"

Our People focus was "a great place to work" ..



#### Water Corporation – Statewide



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#### "Water Forever"

### Case study Our journey to Desalination and Reuse



**Climate projections – Australia** 



Warming will change general climatic patterns and there will be greater climatic variability







Annual rainfall change (%)





#### **Climate variability: inflow decrease up to 2001**



# Declining streamflows - below average rainfall





Inflow is simulated based on Perth dams in 2001 i.e. excluding Stirling, Samson & Wokalup

**Influence consumer behaviour Pre-2001** 



- 1977 Rising block tariff structure introduced
- 1990 Mandatory dual flush cisterns introduced
- 1991 All houses metered
- 1995 Waterwise schools
- 1996 Daytime sprinkler ban



- 1999 Waterwise commercial partners introduced
- 1998 2001 Domestic water use study conducted



*The 2001 Key Challenge "to balance supply and demand to achieve a 45GL new source to avoid restrictions"* 

#### "Water forever"

- in an even drier climate
- with twice as many people
- with less environmental impact







#### **Other challenges**





Climate change and its impact on supply & demand



Continuing to improve efficiency to deliver savings to the Government



**Continuing to meet regulatory requirements** 



Ageing assets across the State



**Understanding changing customer expectations** 



#### **Resilience model**





Kay R and Goldspink C, 2012, *CEO Perspectives on Organisational Resilience - — Research Paper 1*, Commonwealth of Australia.





#### Maintaining our ability to 'Shape the Future"

#### **Situational awareness**

- Knowledge, Research & Development

#### **Recognition of vulnerability**

- No action = no future + no trust
- No options with just keeping on doing the same thing...

#### **Agility & Adaptability**

- Governance and our relationships with *Community, Industry, Government.*
- Leadership
- "Water Forever" thinking







#### **Desalination**



- Climate independent source 45 GL
- The biggest and most complex water pump station the Water Corporation had built
- Ability to <u>bank water</u> in the Dams with flexible operating capability
- Economical & environmentally friendly
- Emission offsets specified (wind farm)



#### Leadership



In 2006 Jim Gill was recognised as Australia's Civil Engineer of the Year for his drought response

October 21, 2009 - Water Corporation CEO Jim Gill wins international prize 'WA Water Corporation chief Jim Gill has become the first Australian to win the world's top prize for water conservation'.

"He has had not only the foresight and intellect to articulate problems and solutions at an incredibly challenging time in water management, but also the courage and stakeholder trust required to do actually something about it ....

*Mr* Gill's strategies to deal with climate change ... he was touted as saving Perth and parts of WA from running out of water ... have been recognised as pioneering"

The south-west corner of WA is thought to have been hit earlier and harder with a drying climate than anywhere else in Australia"

Mr Mollenkopf, Australian Water Association



#### **Timeline to "Water forever"**







#### **Reuse - Replenish - Recycle**



- Recycle & Reuse:
- 80 recycling schemes 26 Billion litres of reused wastewater
- Industrial processing
- Toilet flushing/clothes washing/garden watering
- Maintaining wetlands or other environmental purposes
- Irrigation of non-food crops (e.g: trees, woodlots, turf, flowers)
- Construction/dust suppression
- Irrigation of sports grounds, golf courses and public open spaces
- Replenishing the groundwater +28 GL/year



#### Conclusion



Research showed fundamental elements of **Resilience** 

#### Leadership and Culture

 Underpinned the organisation's ability to change, adapt, and "shape the environment."

#### Trust

- Activities were identified that helped to support the development of the cultural characteristics, including the extensive use of :
  - scenarios,
  - exercises,
  - training,
  - communication and
  - strategic planning.
- **Trust** was described in terms of *'patterns of prediction'* that were **shared** across the organisation and **extended to suppliers and customers**.



#### But wait there's more!! ... Hydrogen..





#### WW Biogas to Hydrogen & Graphite



#### **Questions?**



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### Power Resilience and AMWA/NACWA Resilience Webinar

**Overall Resilience and Emergency Preparedness Strategies** 

#### June 3, 2020

A Presentation by: Jim Wollbrinck

### **External Risk-Interdependencies**





California Water



## Internal Risk Dependencies & Threats



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## AWIA: Phase I

### **Risk and Resilience Assessment Requirements**

Each community water system serving a population of greater than 3,300 persons shall assess the risks to, and resilience of, its system. Such an assessment shall include:

- 1. the risk to the system from malevolent acts and natural hazards;
- the resilience of the pipes and constructed conveyances, physical barriers, source water, water collection and intake, pretreatment, treatment, storage and distribution facilities, electronic, computer, or other automated systems (including the security of such systems) which are utilized by the system;
- 3. the monitoring practices of the system;
- 4. the financial infrastructure of the system;
- 5. the use, storage, or handling of various chemicals by the system; and
- 6. the operation and maintenance of the system.

The assessment may include an evaluation of capital and operational needs for risk and resilience management for the system.

No later than August 1, 2019, EPA will release a baseline threat document to provide community water systems with additional information concerning risk assessment requirements.

### AWIA Requirements & SJW Response

#### **AWIA Requirement**

1. Risk & Resilience Assessment (RRA) March 31, 2020

2. Risk Reduction Program a.Emergency Response Plan (ERP) September 30, 2020

b. Risk Mitigation Plan (RMP) TBD

#### SJW Response

- 1. Risk & Resilience Assessment
  - Asset inventory & ranking on mission criticality
  - Identification of internal & external threats that could most damage critical assets
  - Definition & ranking of <u>most critical</u>, <u>existential</u> threat-asset pairs (TAPs)

#### 2.a. *Emergency Response Plan* – near term

- Operational enhancements to security
- Increase resilience & improve response
- 2.b. Risk Mitigation Plan longer term
  - <u>Current</u> baseline risk, each TAP
  - Risk with mitigation options
  - Net benefits & life-cycle costs of options
  - Options ranked by net benefits for decisions
  - Implementation/operations plan of accepted options

## Good to Great; SJWC Resiliency

#### **Level 5 Leadership**

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### Great by Choice



SMaC = Specific, Methodical, and Consistent

20 Mile March!



### **Fire Bullets then Cannon Balls!**

### The Case for Risk Management



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## Race to the South Pole



## Ultimately The Difference!!

- Amundsen
  - First to Arrive at South Pole
  - Every Member Returned
  - Ultimate Success
- Scott
  - Second to South Pole
  - Every Member of the Team Perished

## **Productive Paranoia**

Productive Paranoia Paranoid behavior is enormously functional if fear is channeled into extensive **preparation** and **calm**, **clear headed action**. ~Jim Collins, Great by Choice

> Productive Paranoia - Collins categorized successful leaders as "paranoid, neurotic freaks." They are always preparing for when, not if, the next big disruption is going to happen. They may be preparing for the worst -- one company he studied prided itself on predicting the majority of the recessions in the past several decades -- but their pessimism pays off. ~ Kathleen Davis is an associate editor at Entrepreneur.com

### We are a Cornerstone of GBC Companies!



Uncertainty, Chaos, and Luck— Why Some Thrive Despite Them All


# Right-To-Travel (RTT)



California Water / Wastewater Agency Response Network Verifiable Right-to-Travel (RTT) Authorization Letter

Tier 2 Essential Staff / Contractors

### California Water / Wastewater Utilities

This document certifies that San Jose Water has been granted permission to issue this authorization letter to James Wollbrinck, Director - Emergency Mgmt & Bus, Resiliency. This person is listed as essential personnel requiring travel on behalf of San Jose Water as defined in the San Jose Water Emergency Response Plan. This letter is based solely on the list of recognized critical and essential staff or contractors submitted and approved by San Jose Water.

In addition to possession of the RTT letter, the person this letter as shown below, as issued to, is required to have and may be required to provide appropriate agency identification and/or a valid driver's license corresponding to the number referenced below. All personnel are expected to abide by all applicable laws, rules and curfews as they are established for specific restricted areas as directed by local, state and federal officials.



To Verify: Use any QR reader to scan the code to the left. Open the URL address with any browser. The database info returned should match the information in the box shown on the left. Compare the DU/ID# to the ID provided and compare the photo to the person presenting the ID.

This RTT certificate (letter and/or placard) allows the valid bearer to travel to/from work, as well as to conduct travel on behalf of San Jose Water. Participation by San Jose Water in this cal/WARN high-to-Travel (RTT) program requires that any misuse of this RTT certificate by any person, will result in immediate confiscation by the issuing company or local authorities. Furthermore, any illegal action, deemed as a result of said insue, may also result in further actions, as deemed appropriate by the authority having juridiction.

Travel Authorization Tools provided through The Alliance for Community Solutions. To participate in CalWARN or learn more about this Travel Authorization Program, contact us at <u>CalWarn@HINFO.com</u>





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#### Registrant Questionnaire

Please answer the questions below for your organization.



### Picking up for others?



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Santa Cruz	Go to registry	Region 2
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Siskiyou	Go to registry	Region 3
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Ventura	Go to registry	Region 1
Yolo	Go to registry	Region 4
Yuba	Go to registry	Region 3

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# Data in Spatial View



# Underlying Data



# Actions (Up/Down) The Curve

San Jose Water Group Recommended Actions to Prepare for Pandemic Response by Pandemic Phase

### Pandemic recommended actions for San Jose Water Group -

#### Management

INTERPANDEMIC PERIOD	ACTIONS
WHO Phase 1- With Local Modifications           • No new virus causing illness in humans           WHO Phase 2- With Local Modifications           • No new virus causing illness in humans           • Circulating animal virus subtype poses a substantial risk of human disease	Review information available from CDC on pandemic situation     Educate staff on how they can stop the spread of germs     Post 'respiratory etiquette' posters and signs in work areas     Assess supplies needed for infection control     Provide boxes of facial tissues and trash receptacles     Provide alcohol-based hand washing gel in all vehicles
PANDEMIC ALERT PERIOD	ACTIONS
WHO Phase 3- With Local Modifications - Human cases from the new virus - No human transmission - No cases in the United States WHO Phase 4- With Local Modifications - Small clusters with limited human-to-human transmission - No cases in the United States	Review and update internal emergency response plans     Consider EOC Action Planning Session for Operational Modifications     Plan for infrastructure discuptions     Consider placing masks on all subjects with flu-like symptoms     Educate staff on infection control supplies and the current situation     For updated information, review:     US CDC, <u>https://caresiliceury.org/quick-links/2019-povel-connavirus/</u> SCC Public Health, <u>https://www.sccpw.org/guick-links/2019-povel-connavirus/</u> SCC Public Health, <u>https://www.sccpw.org/guick-links/2019-povel-connavirus/</u> SCC Public Health, <u>https://www.sccpw.org/sicks/pld/DiscaseInformation/novel-connavirus/</u>
WHO Phase 5- With Local Modifications - Large clusters of illness - Localized human-to-human transmission - Little to no cases in the United States	Activate SJWG's Department Operations Center (EOC), ERP and educate staff     Encourage safe work practices and social distancing     Bevelop plan to conduct health screening of all staff     Begin creating adjusted staffing patterns and virtual meetings     Conserve usage of supplies needed for infection control     Educate staff on the current situation     Educate staff on staffing and procedures changes
PANDEMIC PERIOD	ACTIONS
WHO Phase 5- With Local Modifications • Widespread illness in the population throughout the world • Sustained human to human transmission	Implement SJWG's Emergency Response Plan (ERP)     Implement adjusted staffing parterns     Implement essential staffing and services only     Perform health screenings of all staff     Ensure employees maintain 3 foot separation between subjects     Reassess staffing and consider redistribution of resources     Follow PH guidelines for personal protection, vaccine, and antivirals     Consider "Work at Home" where possible and as necessary
POST PANDEMIC PERIOD	ACTIONS
Return to WHO Internandemic Period • End of first pandemic wave • Next wave may occur within several months	Prepare for a possible next wave: 1. Conduct staff debriefings 2. Participate in city and community debriefings 3. Implement appropriate changes based on debriefings 4. Replenish supplies 5. Continue to monitor the health of staff



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# Generator Resource Typing: US-EPA and Water Sector at It's Best!

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### Incident Action Checklist – Power Outages

For on-the-go convenience, the actions in this checklist are divided into three "rip & run" sections and are examples of activities that drinking water and wastewater utilities can take to prepare for, respond to and recover from power outages. You can also populate the "My Contacts" sections with critical information that your utility may need during a power outage.

### **Power Outages and Water Utilities**

The loss of electric power can have profound impacts on drinking water and wastewater utilities. Sometimes the loss of power can be caused by events that can be predicted in advance such as hurricanes or ice storms. Other power outages, such as those caused by earthquakes, cyber incidents or space weather may occur with little or no notice. In California, the Public Safety Power Shutoff program allows electric companies to proactively shut off grid power to customers, including water utilities, to reduce fire ignition potential in high fire risk areas when extreme fire risk conditions present a clear and imminent danger to public safety.

The impacts of losing grid power at drinking water and wastewater utilities could result in pressure losses and boil water advisories, a reduction or cessation of water treatment, sewage back up and the discharge of untreated sewage into public right of ways, rivers and streams. The impacts on the community could be devastating:

- The loss of water pressure or service means firefighters cannot access water from hydrants.
- The loss of drinking water and wastewater services could cause local health care facilities and hospitals to evacuate patients or close.
- The loss of water services may cause restaurants and businesses to close, resulting in economic losses.
- The loss of wastewater services could create unsanitary conditions, rendering homes, businesses and healthcare facilities uninhabitable.



- Critical manufacturing and industrial plants and businesses may be forced to shut their doors, creating
  additional cascading impacts and economic hardships during a prolonged outage.
- · There could be significant public health concerns and environmental damages.

# **PSPS:** Generators

- Updated EPA Power Resiliency PDF: <u>https://www.epa.gov/commun</u> <u>itywaterresilience/power-</u> <u>resilience-guide-water-and-</u> <u>wastewater-utilities</u>
- Updated EPA Power Resiliency PDF Checklist: <u>https://www.epa.gov/waterutil</u> <u>ityresponse/incident-action-</u> <u>checklists-water-utilities</u>



# WSSP – The Concept

- Emergency Management Success for Water Issues Relies on
  - Representation at State
  - Representation at Region
  - Representation at County (Op Area)
- Liaison for all impacted water and wastewater utilities within the affected area
- Communicate and Coordinate all types of water infrastructure
  - Potable water, wastewater, recycled water, dams, and levees
- Guiding Principle
  - No longer represents their own utility
  - Standard Operating Guidance
  - Recommended priorities for response

# Utilities Helping Utilities

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# WSSP - The Process

- Collect and verify situational awareness
- Monitor, track, and coordinate resource needs
- Assess and recommend alternate drinking water resources
- Recommend priorities in concert with the water utilities, local government or Counties
- Coordinate and resolve issues arising from events
- Coordinate with State agencies as needed



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