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- 50 Municipal Contracts
- 14 Anaerobic Digestion Contracts
- 12 Processing Contracts
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- Transitioning Fleet to Renewable Natural Gas
- 1,500 Employees
- 2.5 Million Customers Served
- 10 Solid Waste Service Centers
- 6 Transfer Stations / MRFs
- 2 Landfills
- 12 Haulaway Service Centers



ANAEROBIC DIGESTION TECHNOLOGY

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PROJECT ENGINEER





# EVOLUTION OF SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT 2010's



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Organics Receiving Facility - ORF



Anaerobic Digestion Facility - ADF



Recyclables



Organics



Trash



Residual



Recyclables

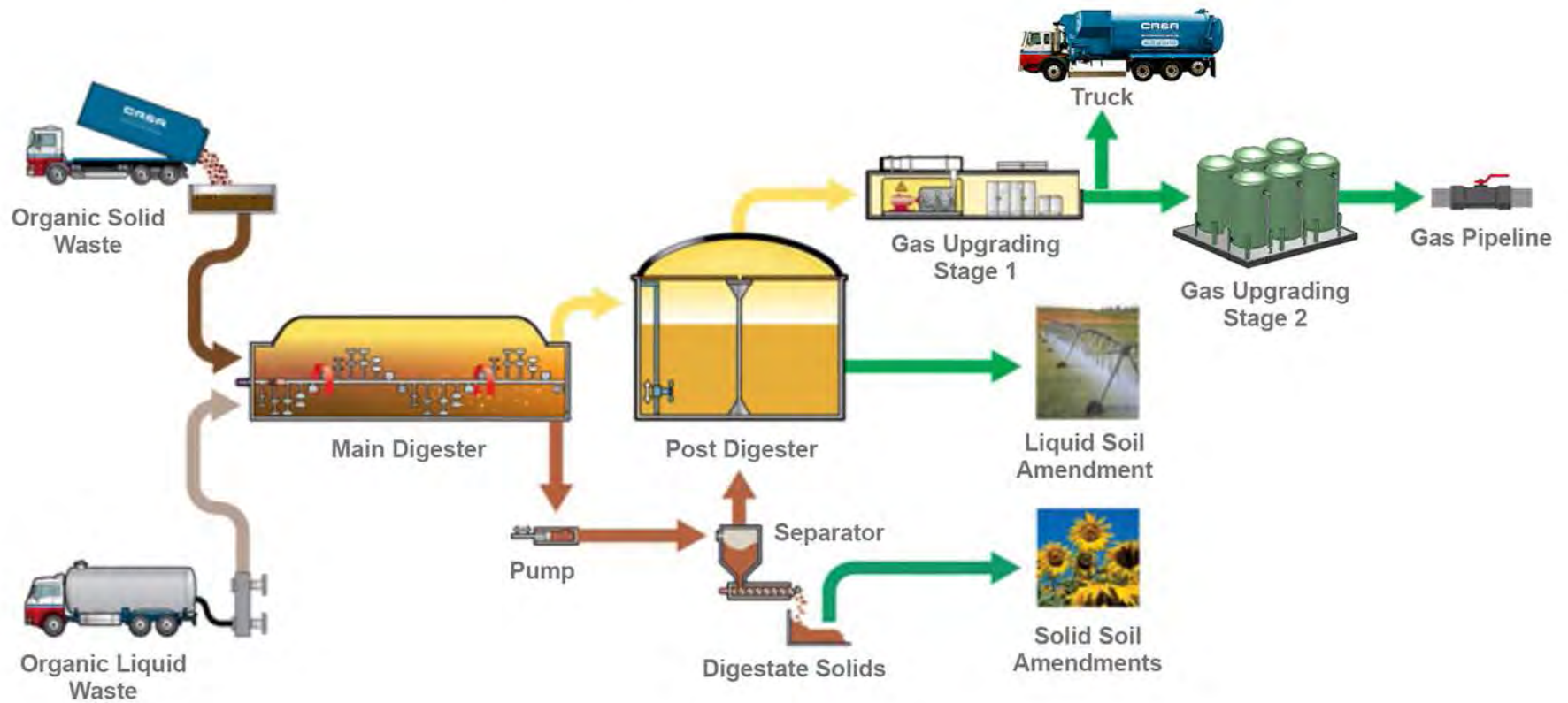


Renewable Natural Gas



Fertilizer

# ANAEROBIC DIGESTION - FLOW CHART

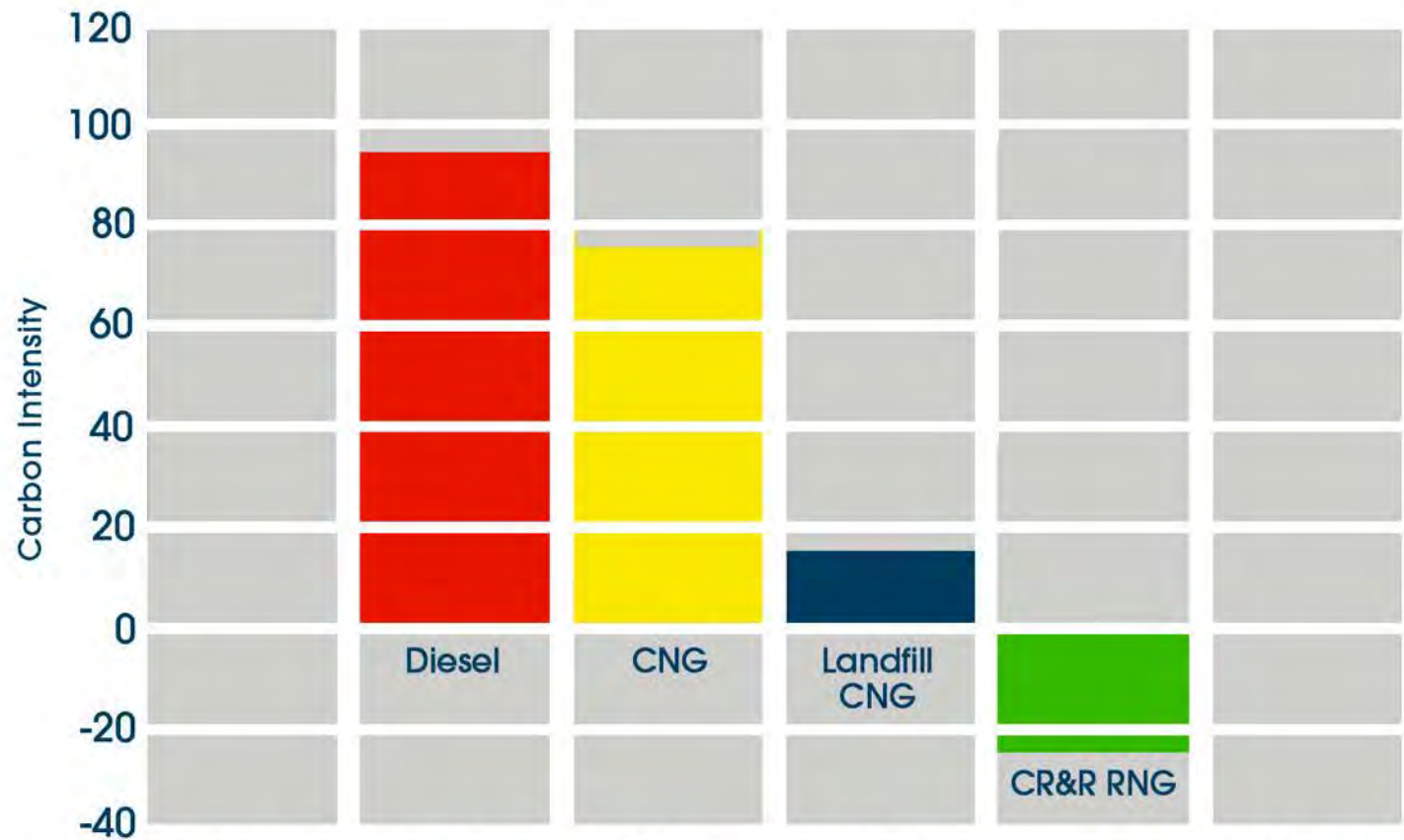




## ANAEROBIC DIGESTION FACILITY



# CARBON INTENSITY



\* Amount of carbon emitted per unit of energy consumed (California Air Resources Board)







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Drainage Overview



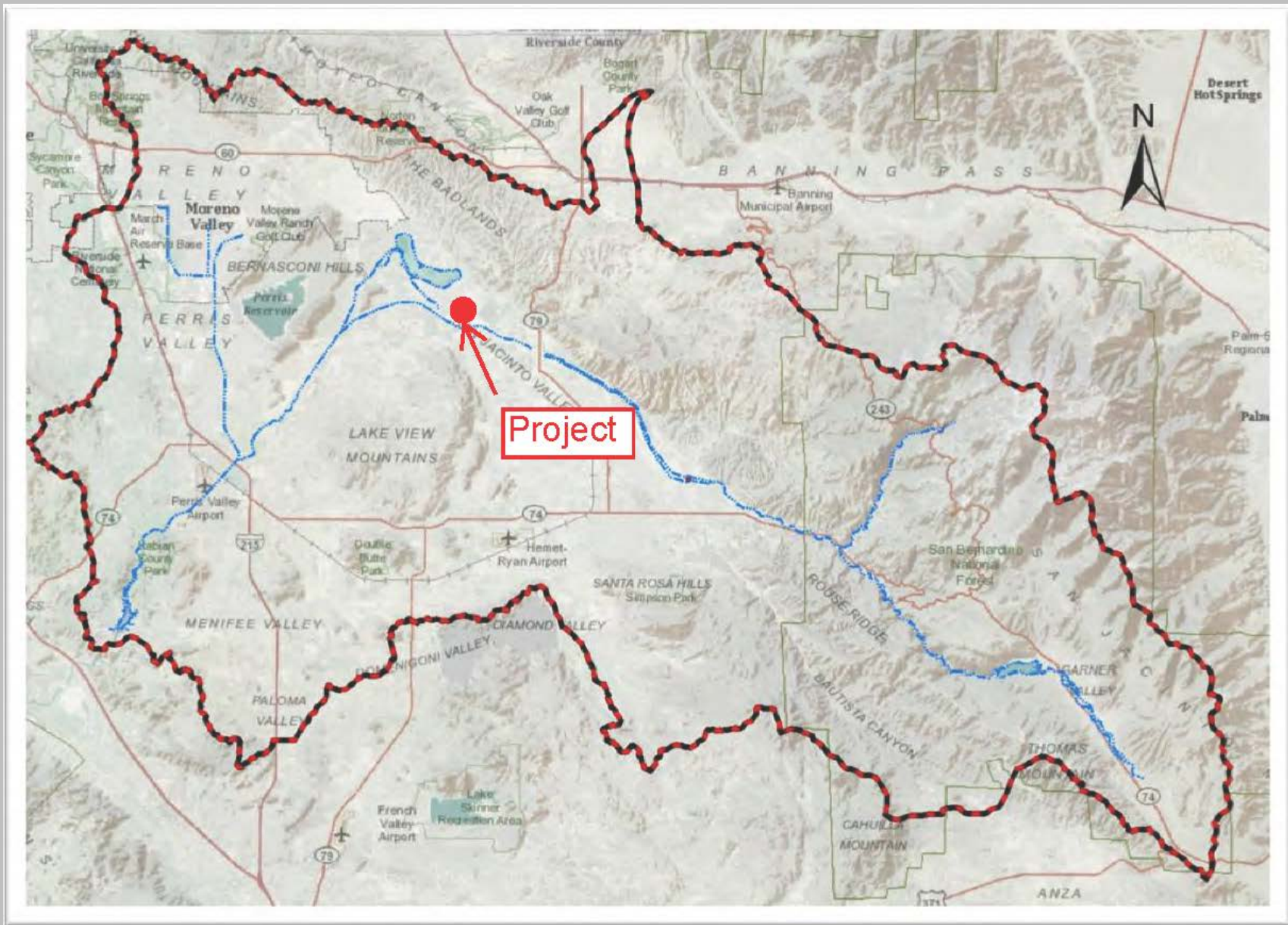


Figure 1-1 – San Jacinto River Watershed Tributary to Canyon Lake



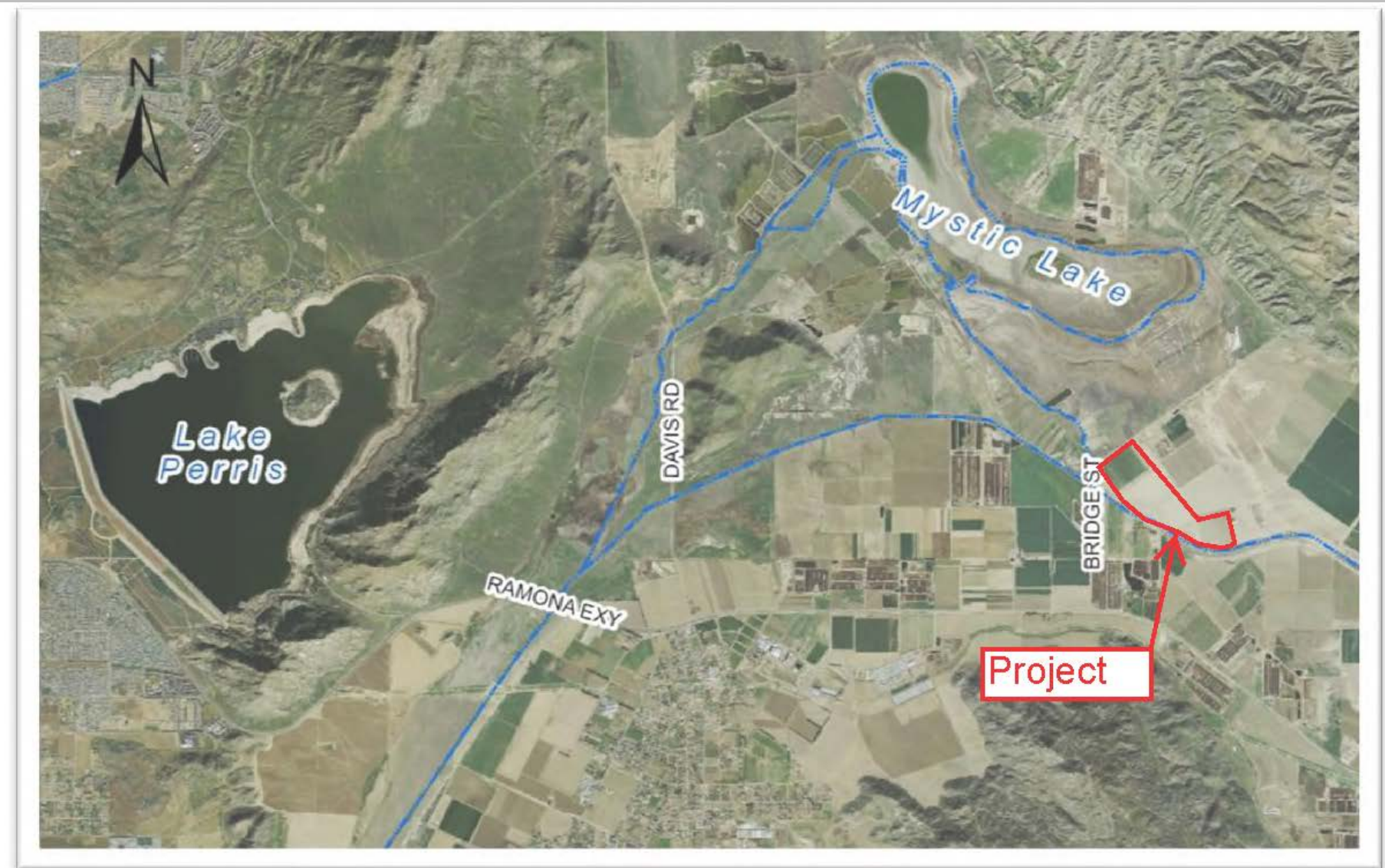
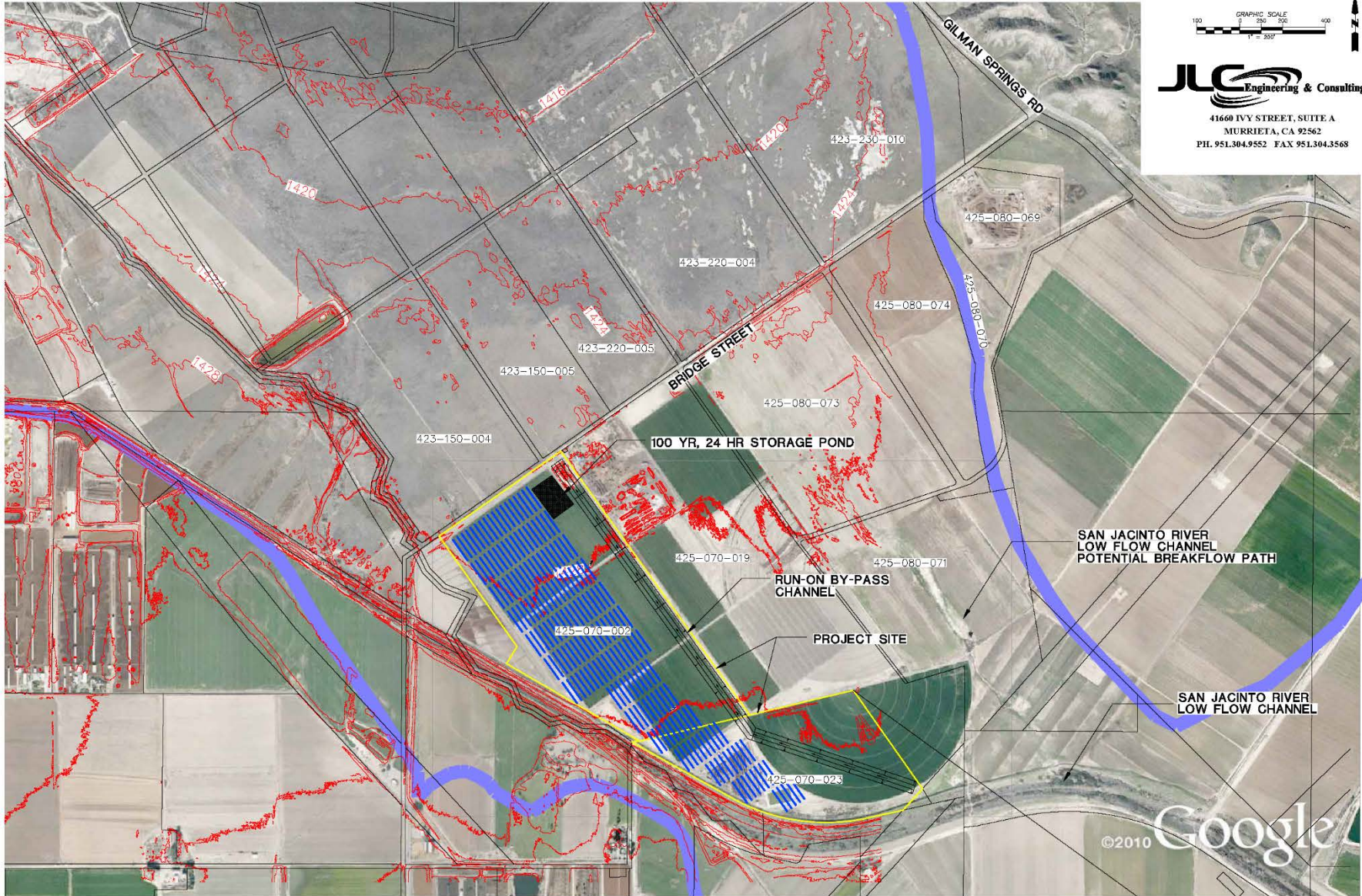


Figure 3-1 - San Jacinto River Near Mystic Lake





GRAPHIC SCALE  
1" = 200'

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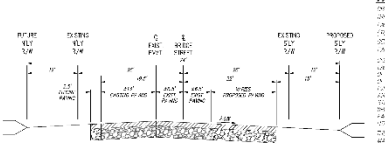
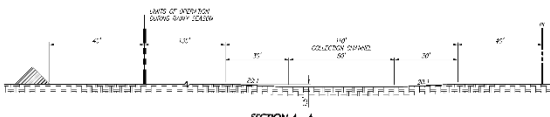
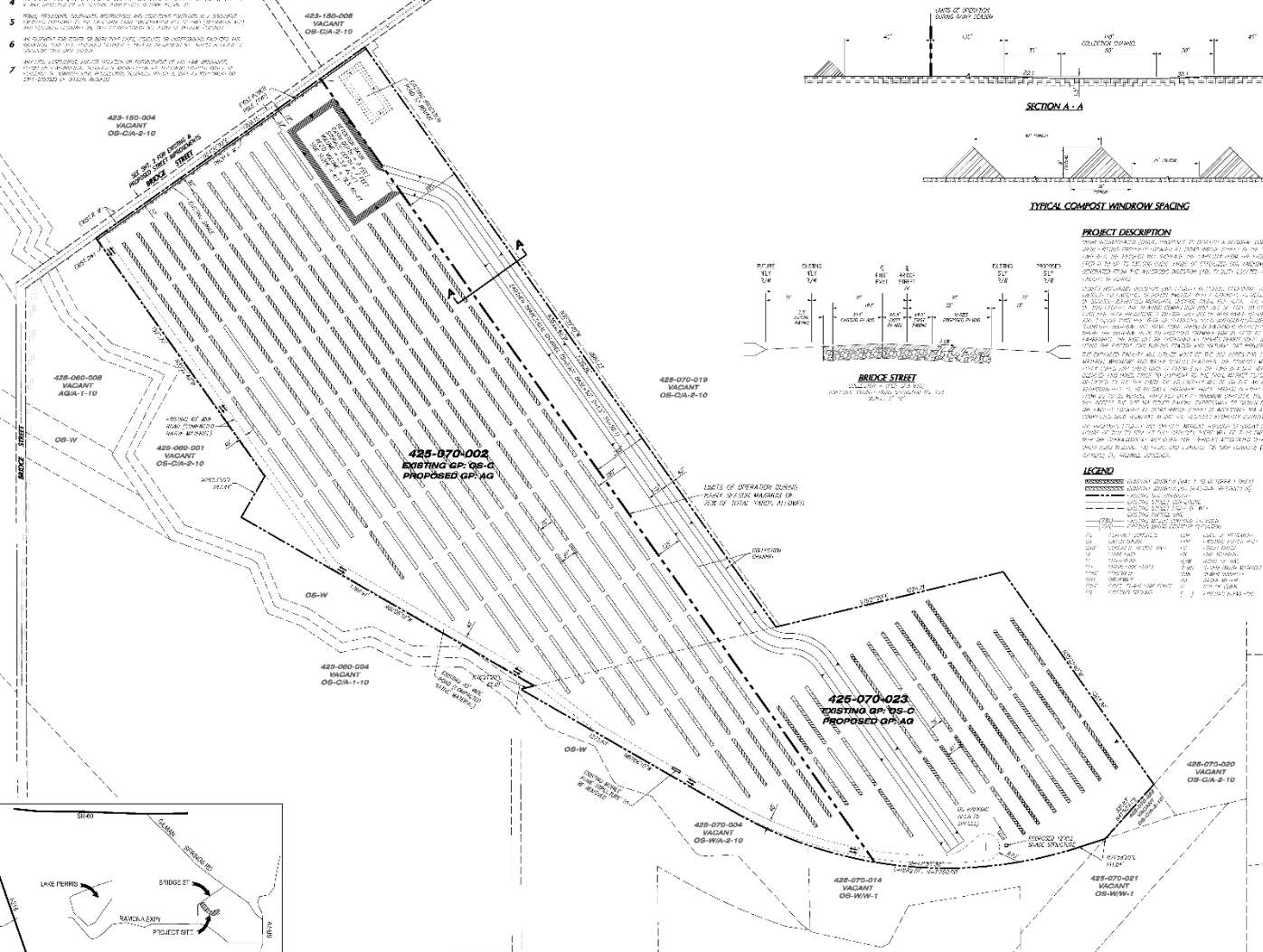
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# IN THE COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE, STATE OF CALIFORNIA

## CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT NO. 3741

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  - CUL-DE-SAC
  - BRIDGE
  - GROUNDWATER
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  - WATER MAIN
  - SEWER
  - GAS
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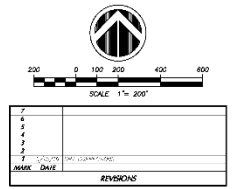
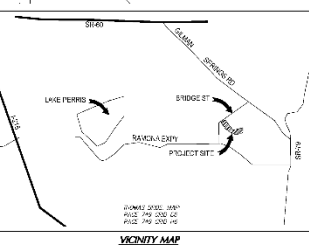
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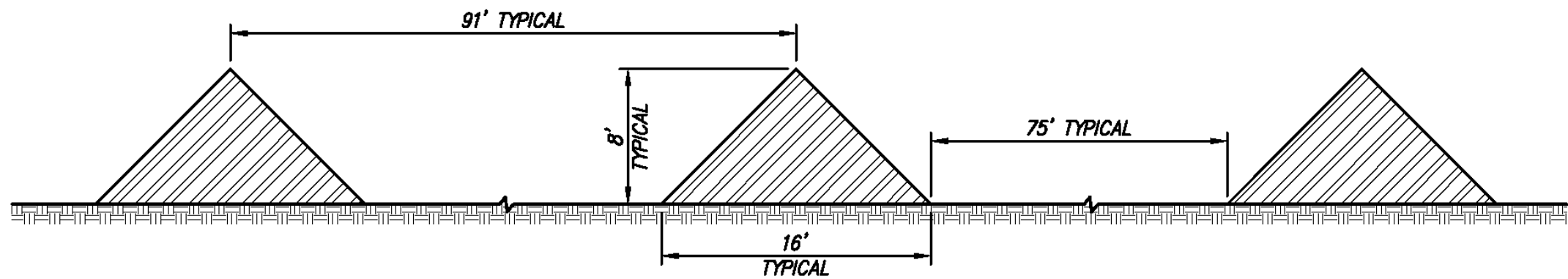
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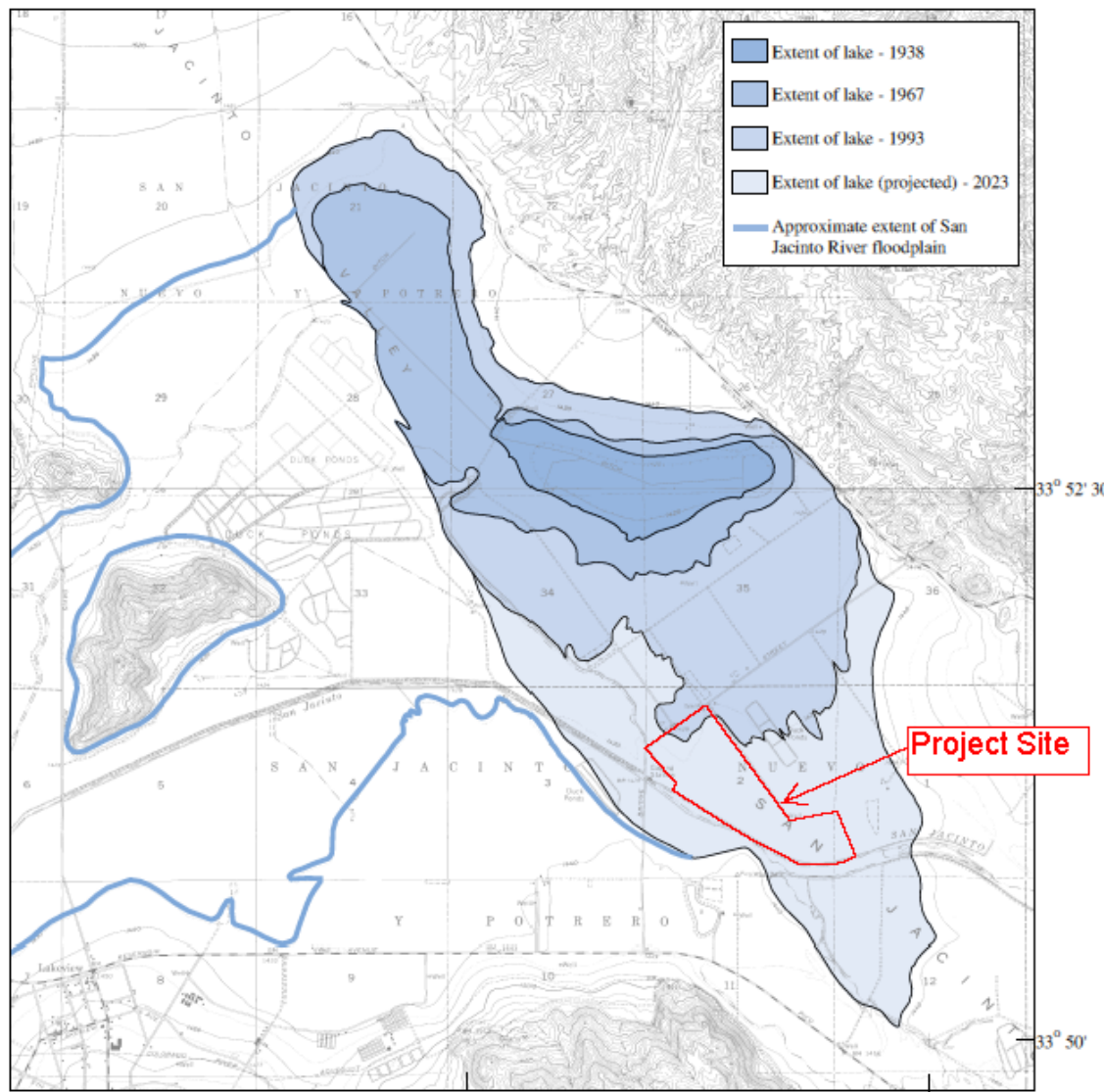


**TYPICAL COMPOST WINDROW SPACING**









117° 07' 30"

Base from U.S. Geological Survey  
7.5' Lakeview and El Casco quadrangles  
UTM projection, Zone 11

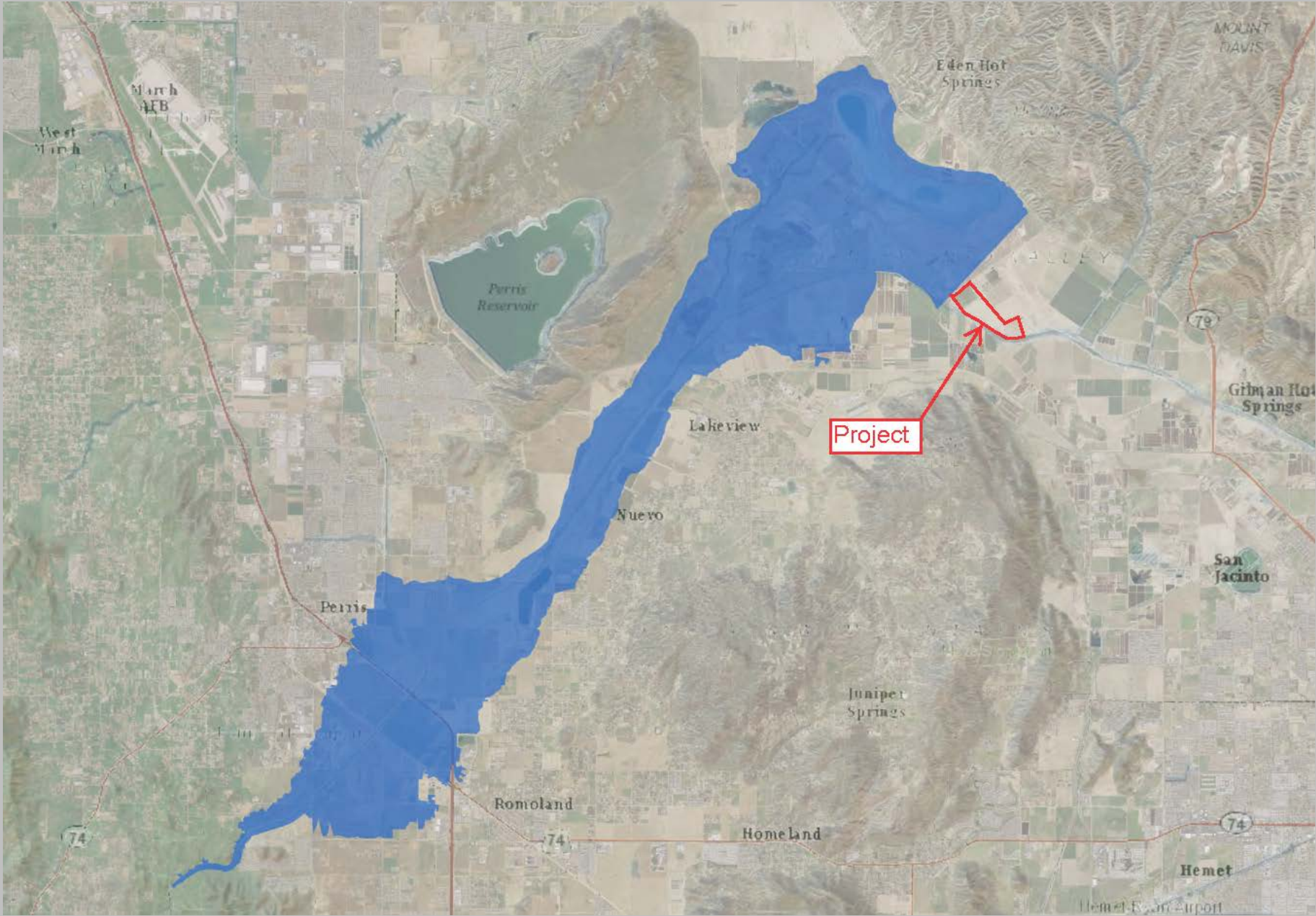
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**Historic Lake Levels of Mystic Lake, Riverside County, California**





# Revision of the Lake Elsinore & Canyon Lake Nutrient TMDL

CDM Smith  
Team & Risk  
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## Implementation Task

September 13, 2017  
Lake Elsinore/Canyon Lake  
Task Force Meeting



**CDM  
Smith**



# Presentation Outline

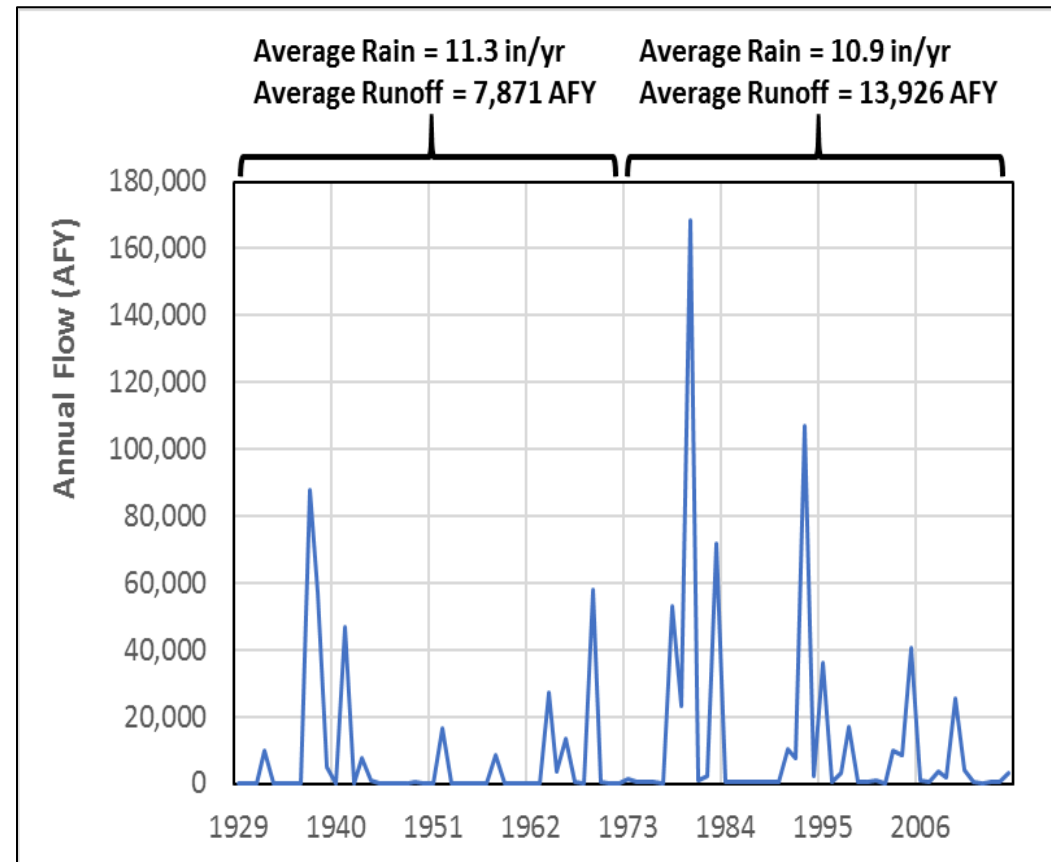
- Lake Elsinore Reference Hydrology Update
- Implementation Framework
- Reasonable Assurance Analysis
- Supplemental project characterization
- Lake Elsinore Internal Loads

# Lake Elsinore Reference Hydrology



# Reference Hydrology – Draft TMDL Revision

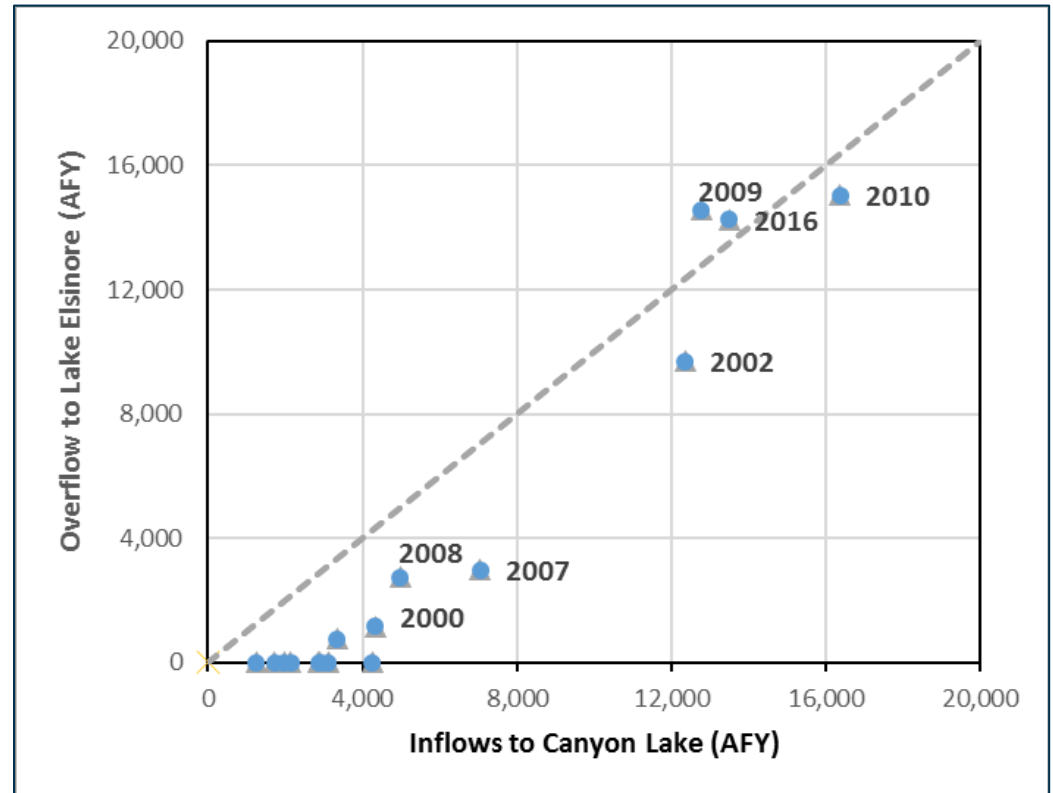
- Assumes existence of Railroad Canyon Dam
- Canyon Lake overflows
  - Reference condition represented by 1929-1972 flows
  - Current conditions represented by 1973-2016 flows
- Watershed model for local watershed





# Reference Hydrology – Draft TMDL Revision

- Retention within Canyon Lake not a significant loss of inflow volume to Lake Elsinore in a single year
- Cumulative impact of reduced volume may be important



Notes:

- 1) 2004-2005 point outside of range plotted, no measurable retention in Canyon Lake was recorded in 2004-2005
- 2) Inflow gauges do not account for small drainages around Canyon Lake
- 3) outflow gauge includes some drainage area downstream of Canyon Lake

# Railroad Canyon Dam

- RR Dam construction in 1929
- Followed by recent legal agreements requiring the maintenance of Lake Elsinore water level at 1240'
- Reference condition for Lake Elsinore should not presume the existence of RR Canyon Dam



Photo source: Brown and Caldwell, 2010-11 TMDL Monitoring Report

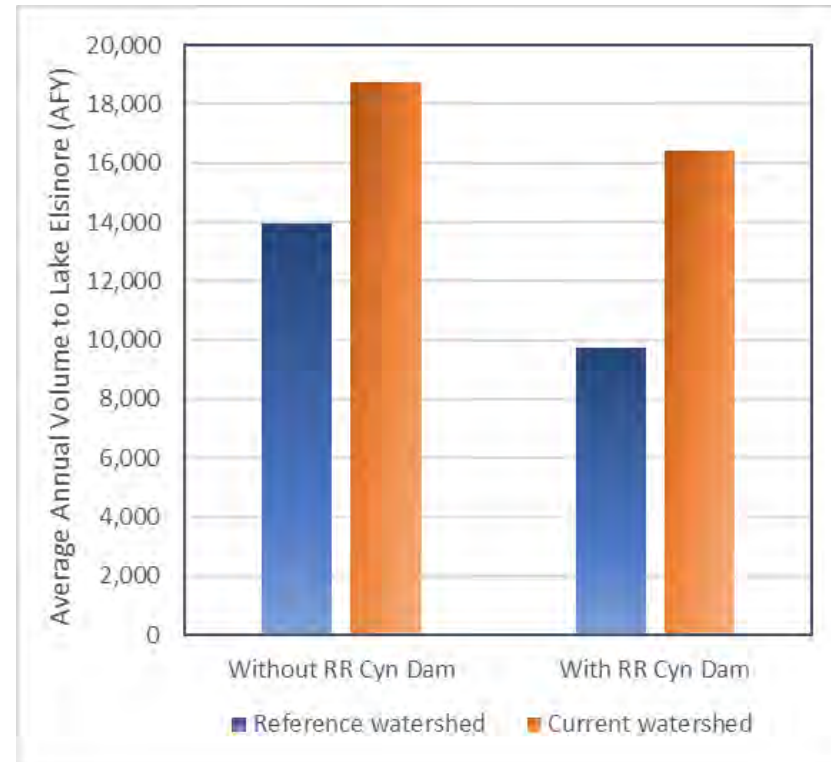
# Reference Hydrology

- Many sources can provide supplemental water for lake level stabilization
- Reclaimed water
- Imported water
- Increased watershed runoff



# Reference Hydrology

- Watershed model used to hindcast annual average runoff volume without RR Canyon Dam
  - Current development based on impervious area map
  - Reference condition removes imperviousness from model
  - Includes approximated Mystic Lake overflows
- Compare with USGS gauge data of RR Canyon overflow



# Reference Hydrology

- Current average annual runoff reaching Lake Elsinore is slightly greater than reference condition without RR Canyon Dam
- Increased watershed runoff from impervious areas washes off more nutrients than are assumed for reference watershed
  - Land use based EMCs

# Reference Hydrology

- Watershed model runoff coefficient (RC) as power function of imperviousness
- Reference condition with no imperviousness,  $RC = 0.065$ 
  - Validation of reference condition RC from runoff ratio for San Jacinto River at State Street

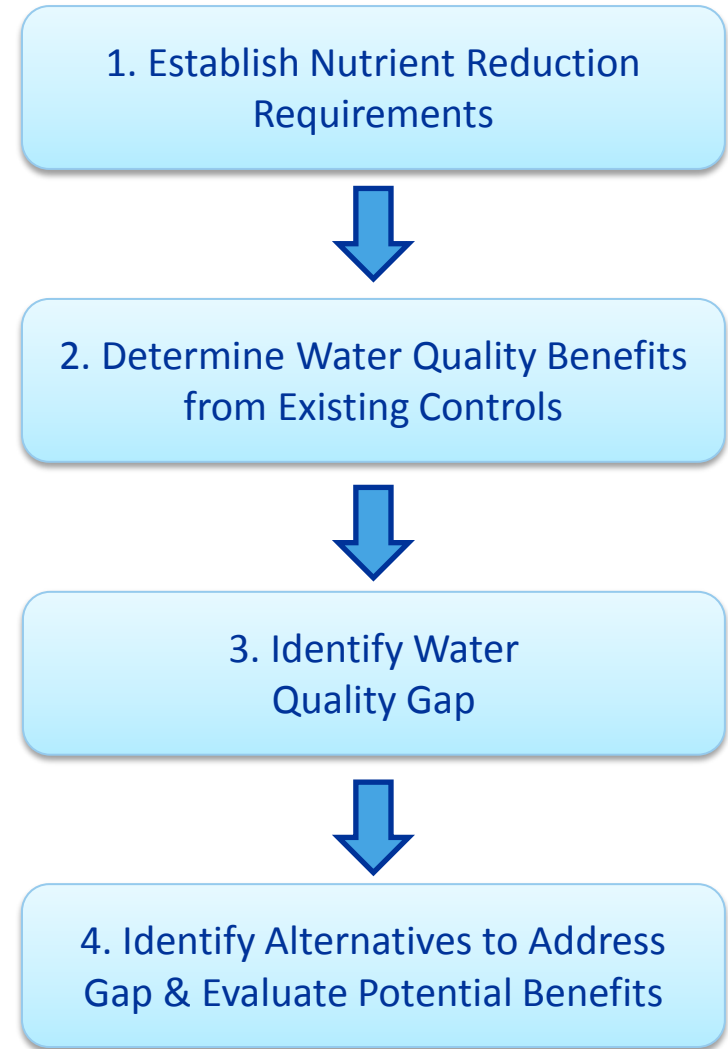


# Implementation Framework



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- Load reduction required = current minus allowable
- Reasonable assurance analysis
  - Quantify reduction credits from ongoing implementation of existing controls
  - Supplemental projects needed if existing controls do not provide required load reduction



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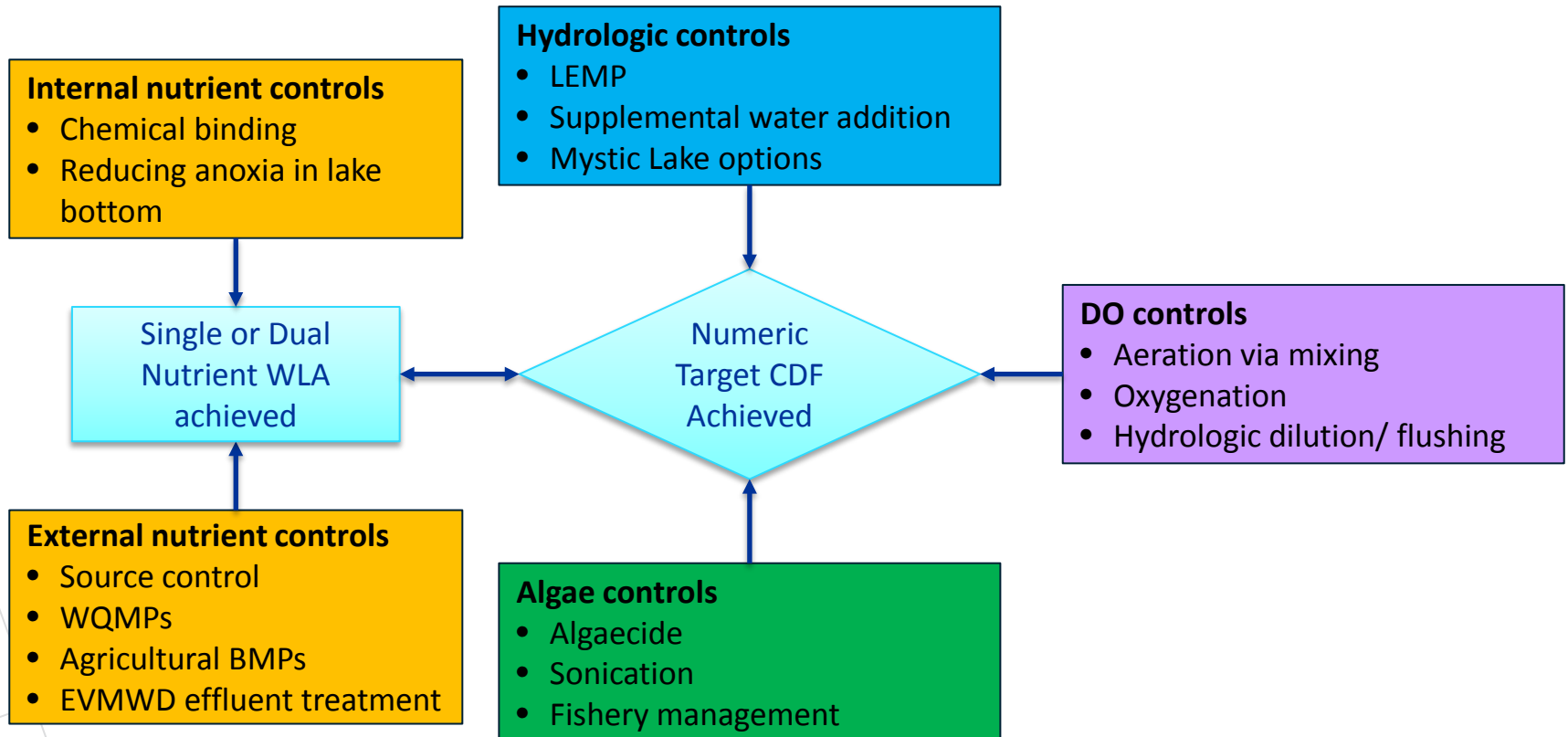
- Chapter organization
  - *Review of Historical Plans and Projects:*
  - *Evaluation of Water Quality Benefit from Ongoing Implementation of Existing Controls*
  - *Reasonable Assurance Analysis*
  - *Supplemental Project Concepts*
  - *Required Actions*

# Reasonable Assurance Analysis





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# Water Quality Impacts from Levee Project

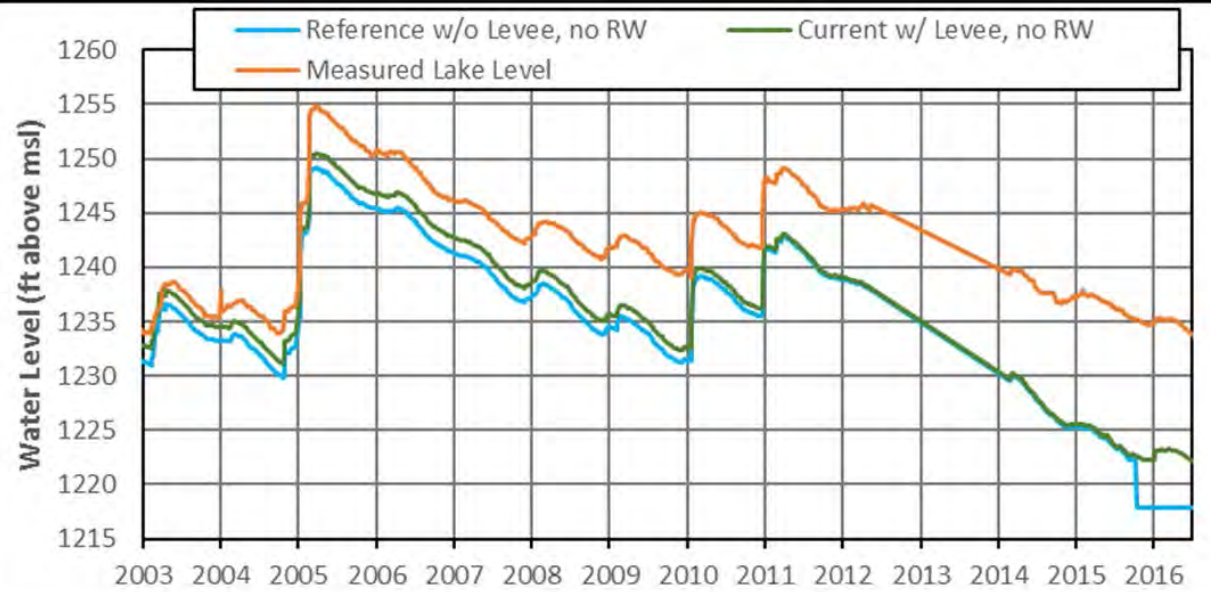
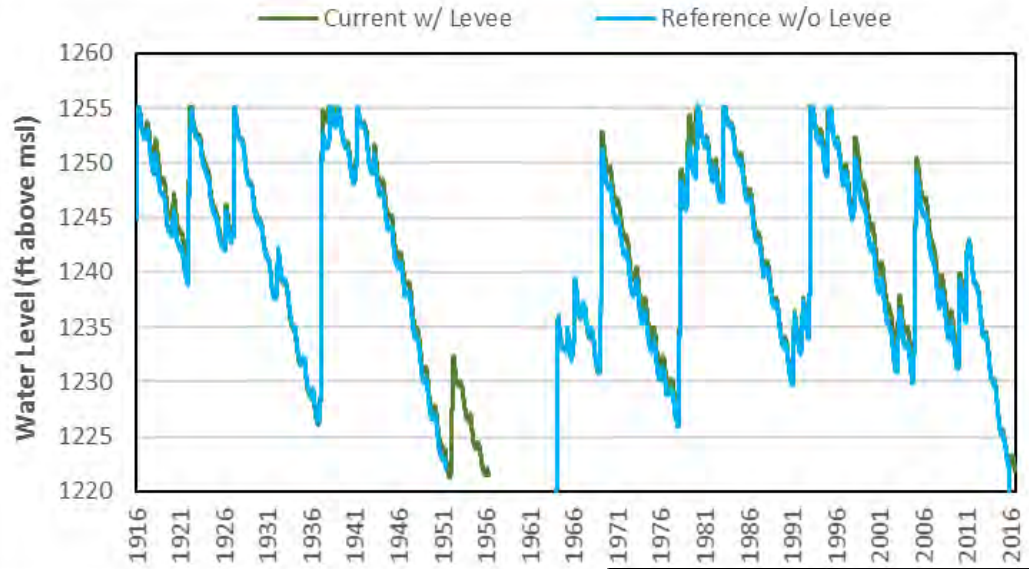
- Recent lake model simulation to test the influence of levee construction on Lake Elsinore
- Comparison of two different hydrologic periods representing reference watershed and current watershed with RR Canyon Dam
- All results are preliminary and subject to change – do not cite

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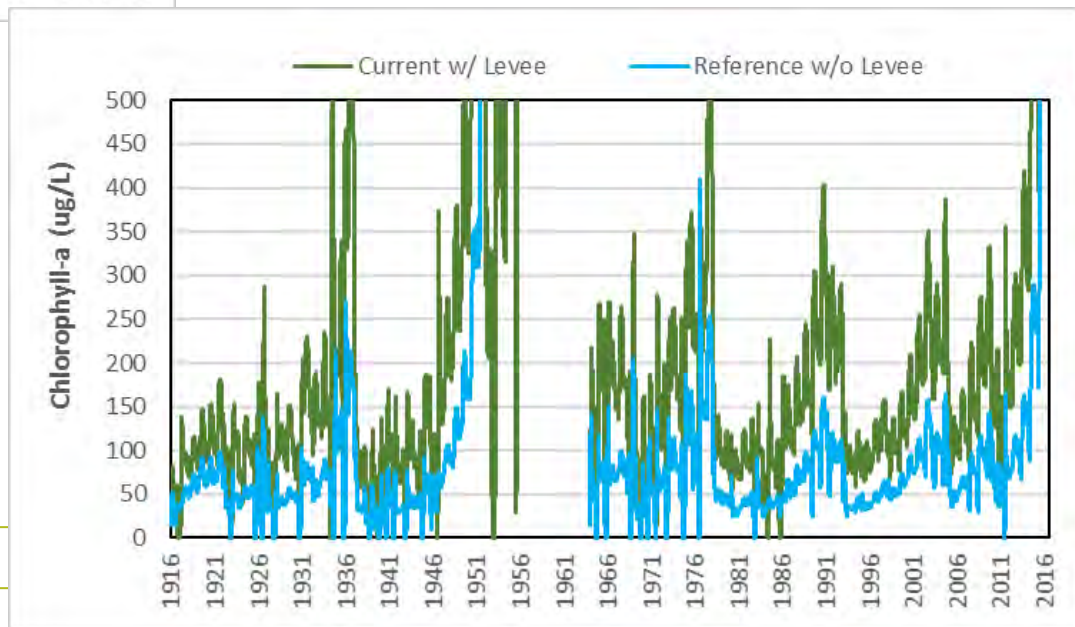
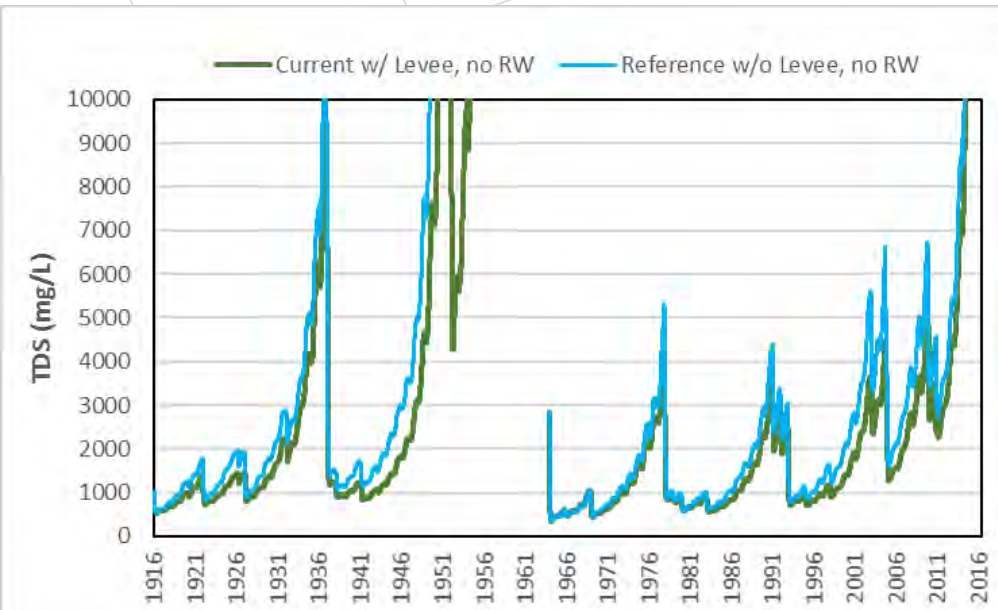


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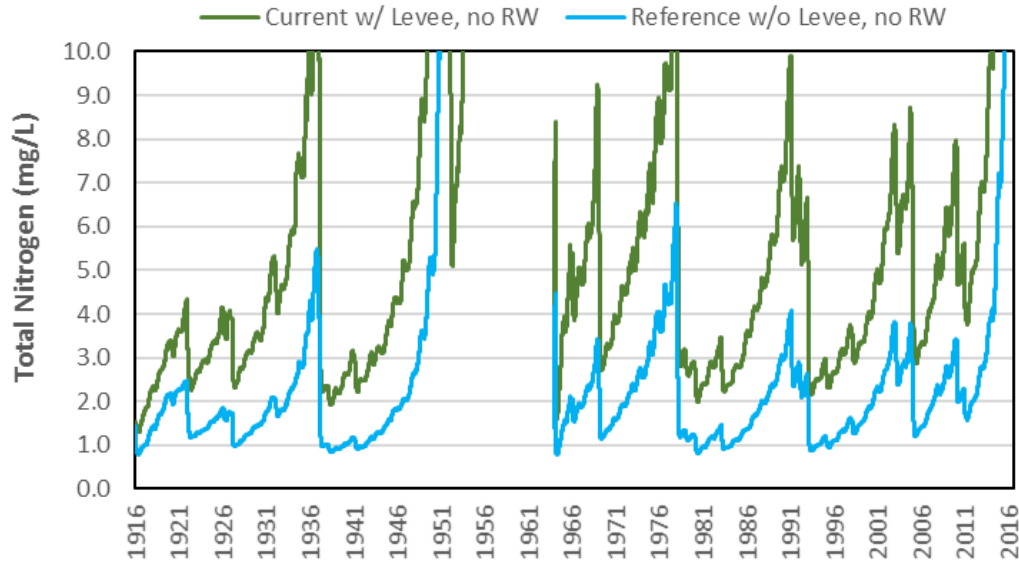
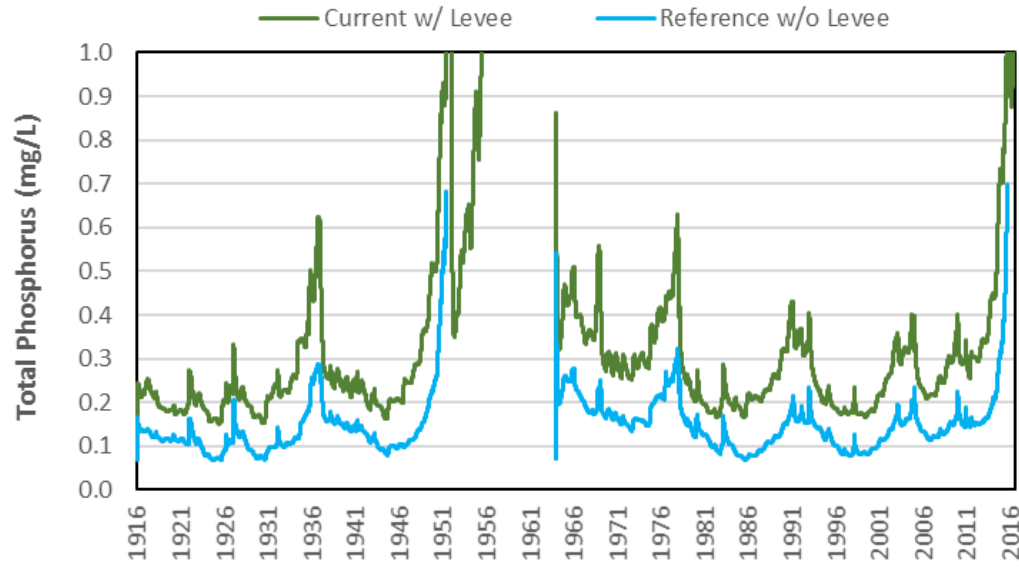




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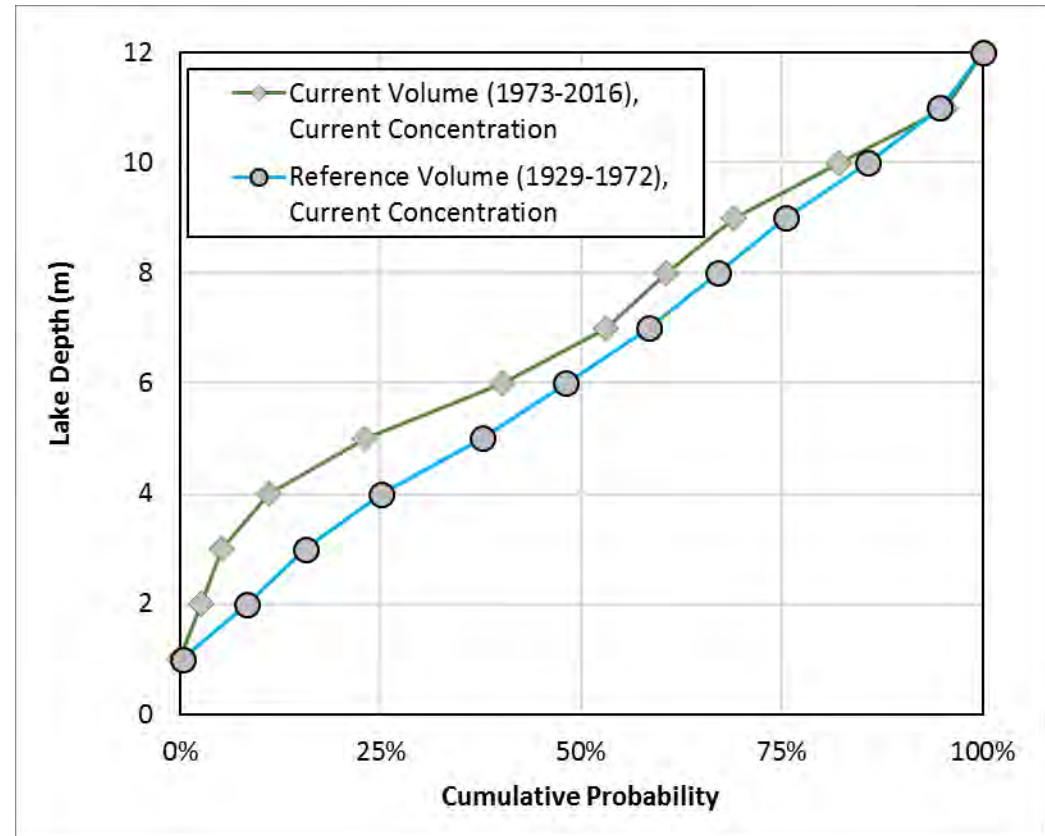


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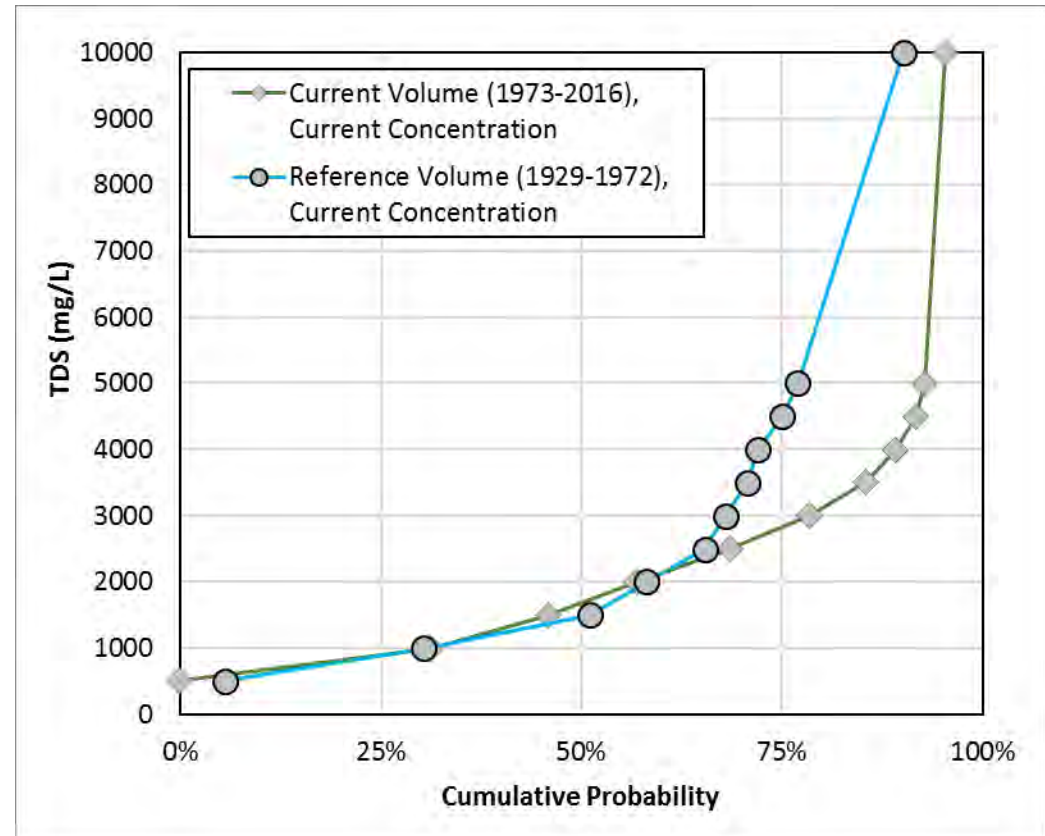
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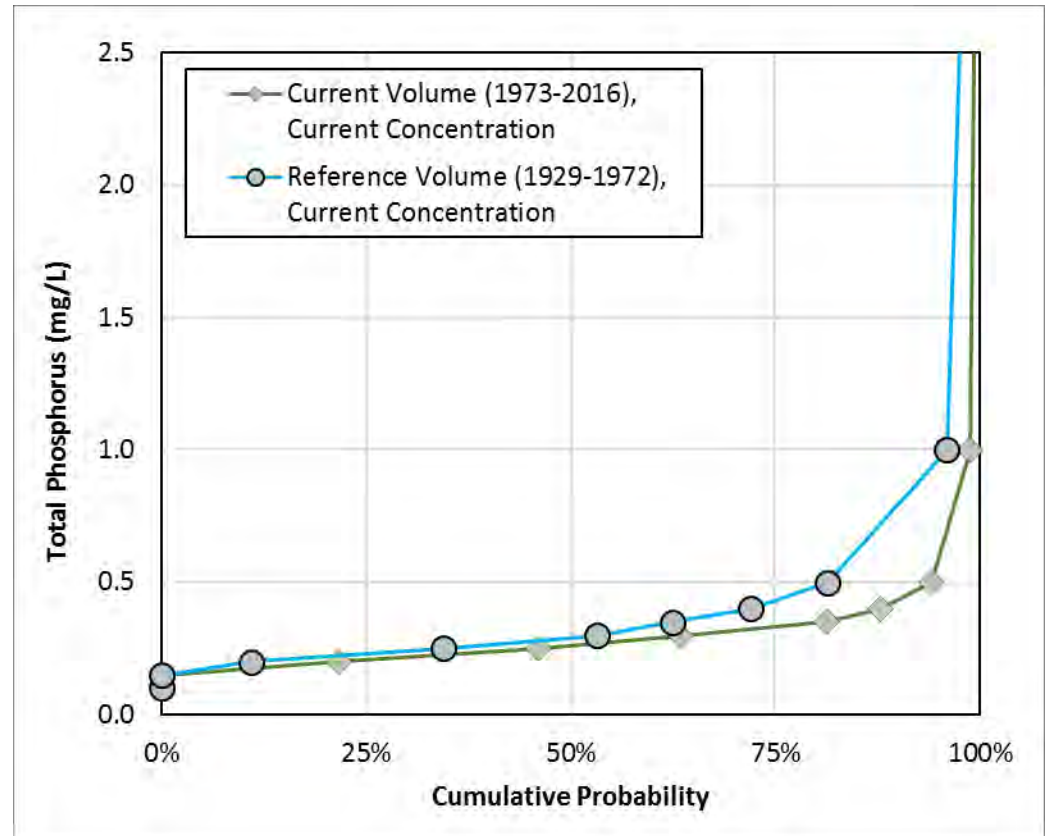
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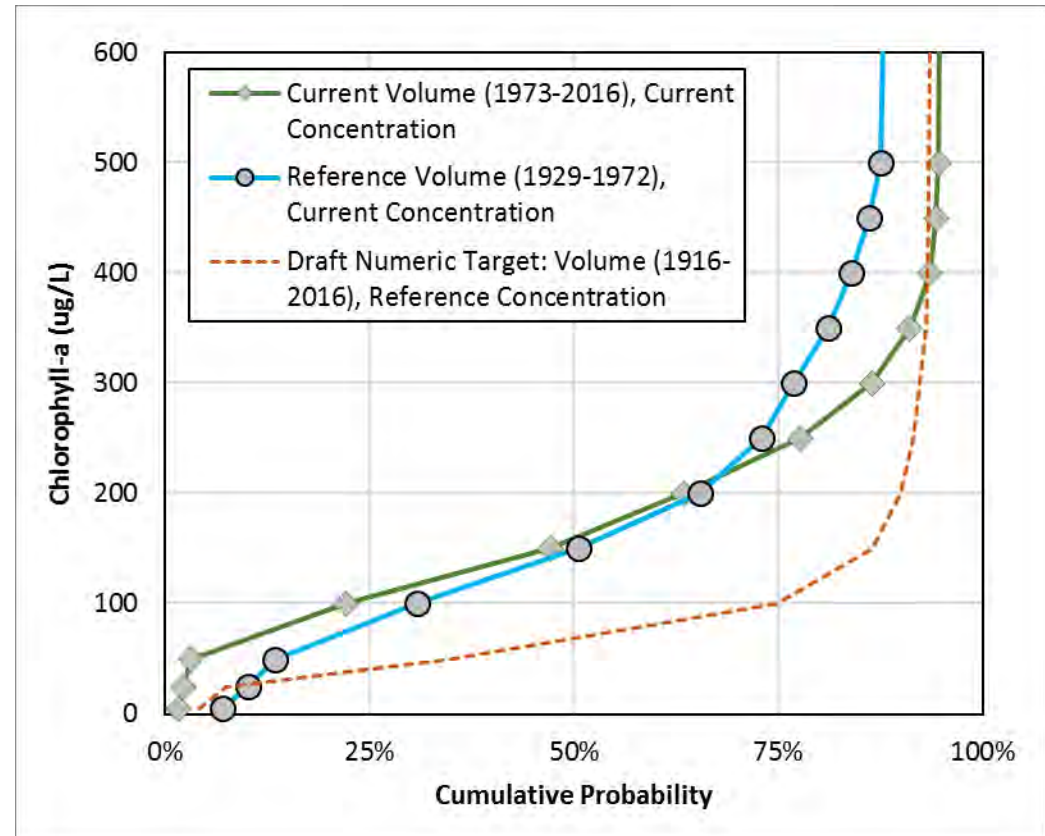
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# Lake Elsinore Internal Load



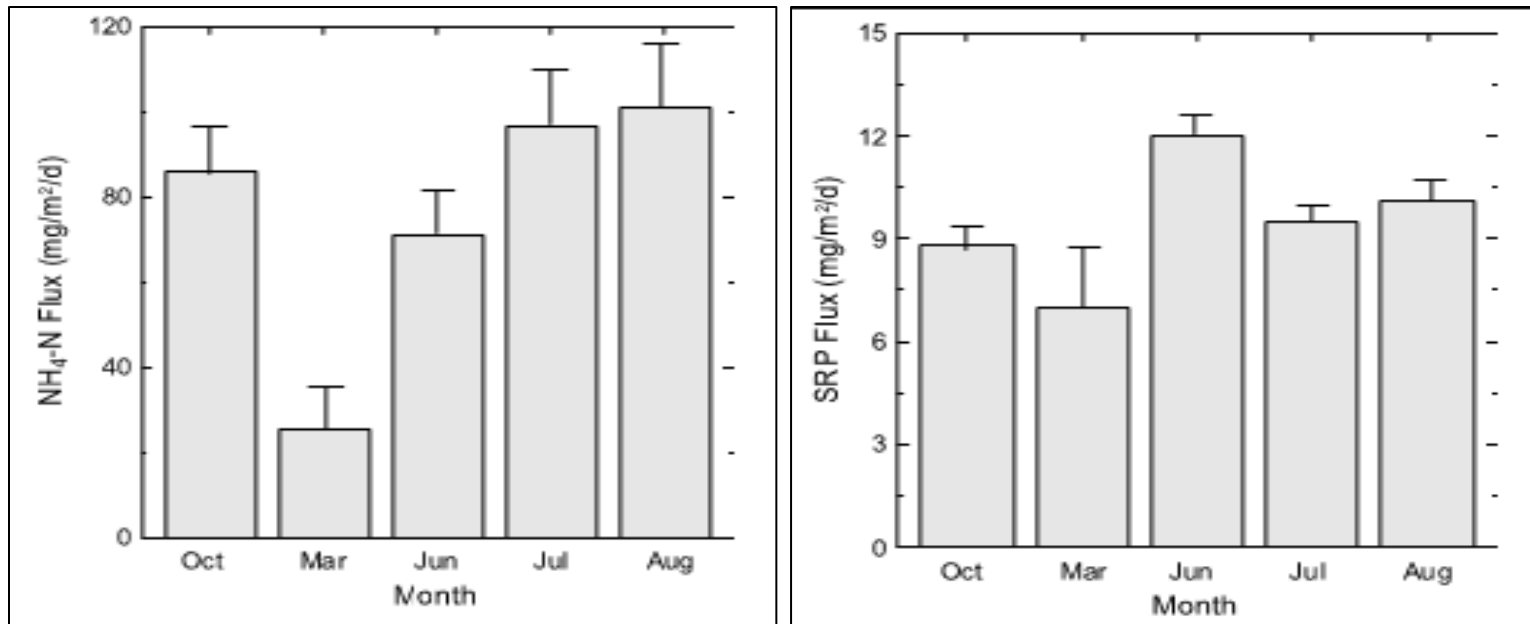
# Reasonable Assurance Analysis

- Key component of many existing and potential controls involves internal loads from lake bottom sediments
- Draft TMDL revision source assessment for sediment nutrient flux is still under development



# Lake Elsinore Internal Load

- Estimates of annual mass must account for seasonality
- Flux dependent on DO, temperature, and pH at lake bottom



Plots from Anderson, 2001. Internal Loading and Nutrient Cycling in Lake Elsinore

# Lake Elsinore Internal Load

- 2004 TMDL applied winter (March) flux rate over 6 months and summer (July) flux rates over 6 months

Variable	Summer	Winter	Annual
Average SRP Flux Rate (mg/m <sup>2</sup> /day)	8.4	6.6	7.5
SRP Flux (kg/yr)	18,588	14,560	33,147
Average NH <sub>4</sub> -N Flux Rate (mg/m <sup>2</sup> /day)	71.0	17.9	44.5
NH <sub>4</sub> -N Flux (kg/yr)	157,337	39,726	197,063

# Lake Elsinore Internal Load

- Diffusive flux from lake bottom sediments to water column accounts for majority of nutrients in Lake Elsinore
- Small % reductions in internal load needed to offset all external load
- Different offset estimation approach needed

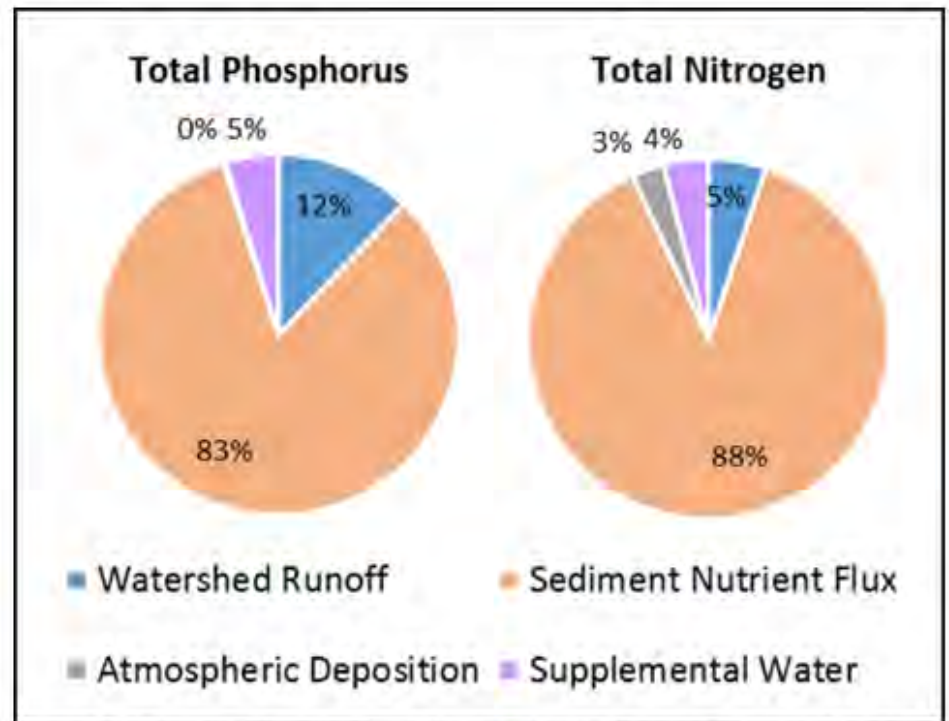
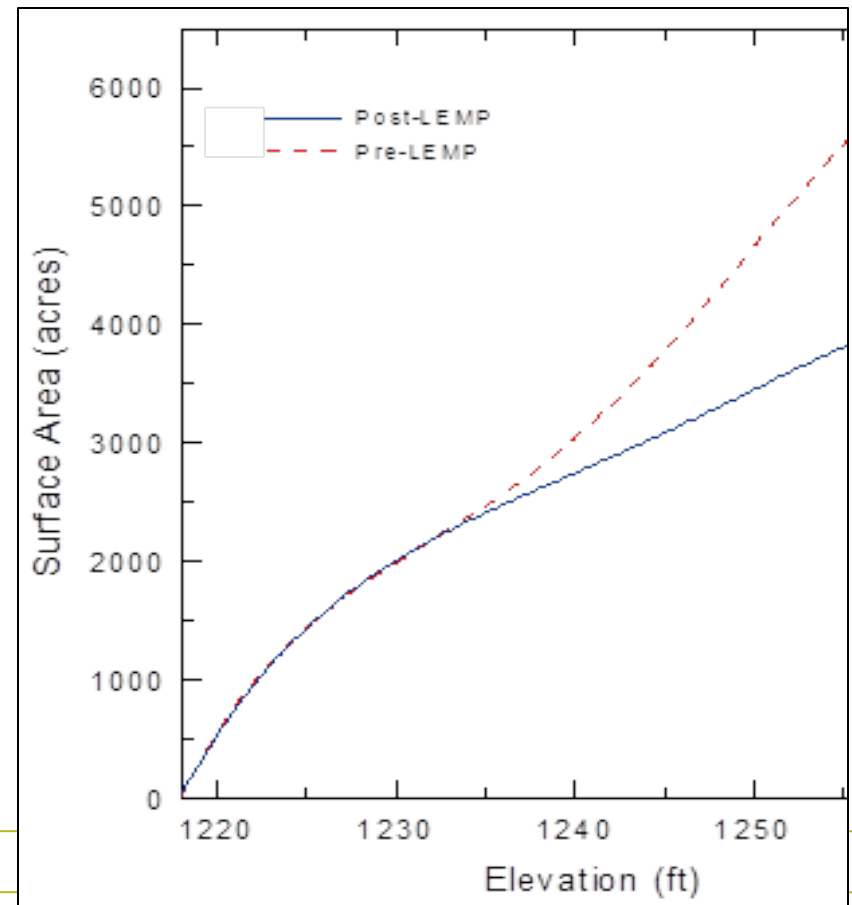


Figure 4-24. Relative Contribution of General Source Categories for Lake Elsinore Long-term Average Annual Nutrient Budget

# TMDL Revision - Lake Elsinore Internal Load

- More refined daily CAEDYM model results to estimate annual flux
  - Accounting for temporal changes in DO, temperature, and pH
  - Accounting for different extent of lake bottom area for flux to occur year to year





# TMDL Revision - Lake Elsinore Internal Load

- Linkage analysis with DYRESM-CAEDYM completed
  - Calibration
  - Numeric target CDF development
- Software issues for extracting the compartment showing daily flux from sediments
  - Needed to update source assessment and serve as basis for assessing nutrient mass based offsets from existing and potential controls

# Lake Elsinore Internal Load – Historic versus Current Flux Rates

- Estimate internal load for a hypothetical reference watershed
  - Numeric target CDF was developed using a scaling factor approximated from paleolimnology study
- Return to historic flux may take decades - empirical analysis of nutrient kinetics by Anderson (2012)
- Implementation schedule will consider timeframe to reduce flux rates from lake bottom sediment by continuing to reduce or offset external loads
  - Dynamic sediment diagenesis analysis