

Water Supply Update

Board of Public Utilities Meeting

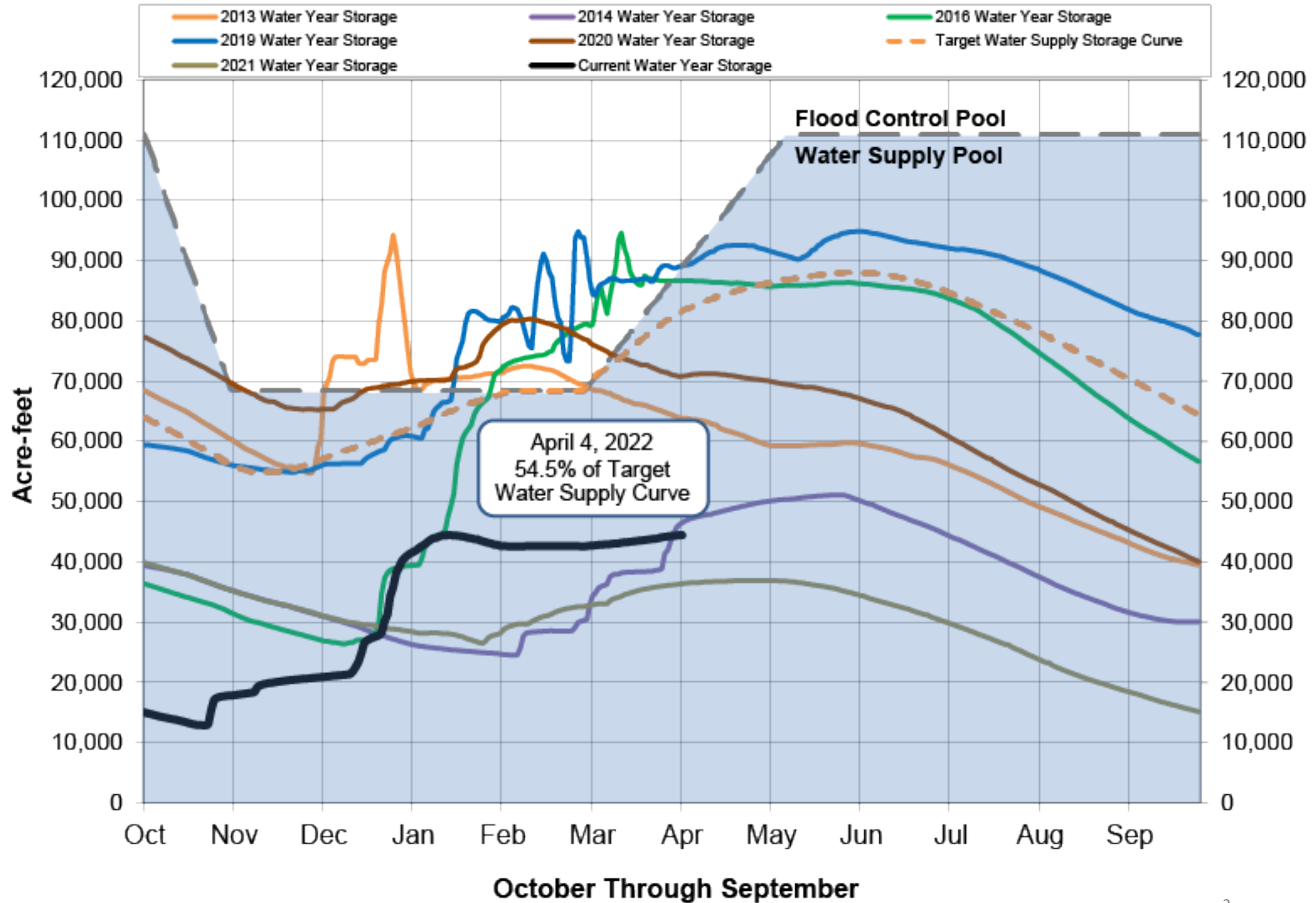
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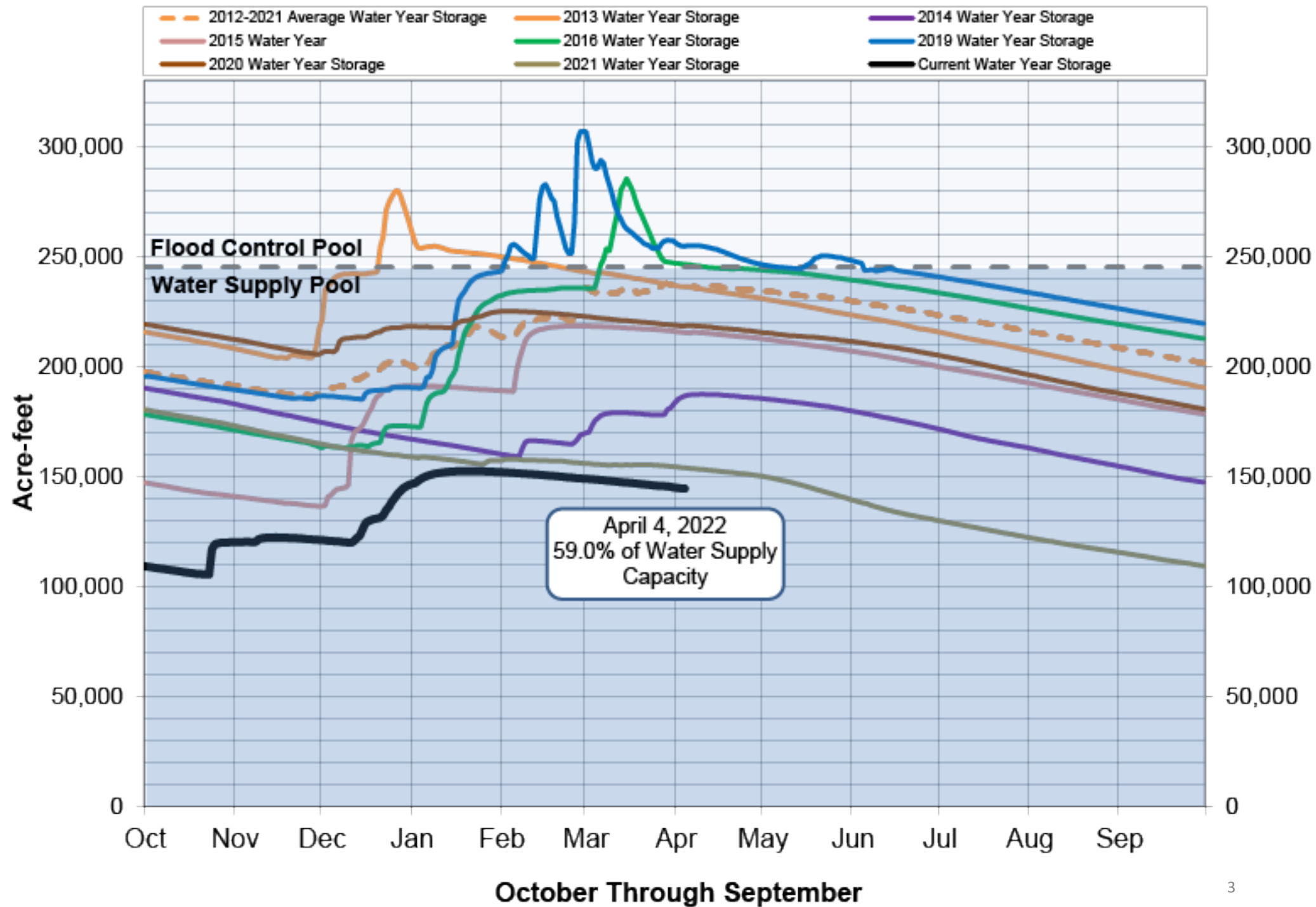
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Lake Mendocino Storage



Lake Sonoma Storage



2021-2022 TUCP Current Conditions

SWRCB TUCP Order dated December 10, 2021 (180 days)

As of April 1st:

- Water Year Type in upper watershed is **CRITICAL**
 - Minimum Instream Flow: 25 CFS
- Water Year Type in lower watershed is **CRITICAL**
 - Minimum Instream Flow:
 - **25 CFS** Dry Creek to confluence (↓ from 75 CFS)
 - 35 CFS for the Lower Russian River



Spring Campaign Launch

- Reminder that drought is *still* here
- Restrictions remain in effect



Spring Campaign Launch

- Encouraging customers to make long-term investments in water use efficiency
- Big or small

Spring Campaign





WUE Key Messages — April 2022

- It's time for an irrigation system check up
- Low water use plant selections
- Rebates available
- Tree care during drought
- New Registration for WaterSmart Portal

Santa Rosa Water is here to help you save!

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srcity.org/WaterSmart

For the latest drought updates, visit:

srcity.org/SaveWater

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DROUGHT IS HERE
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Recycled Water Supply Update

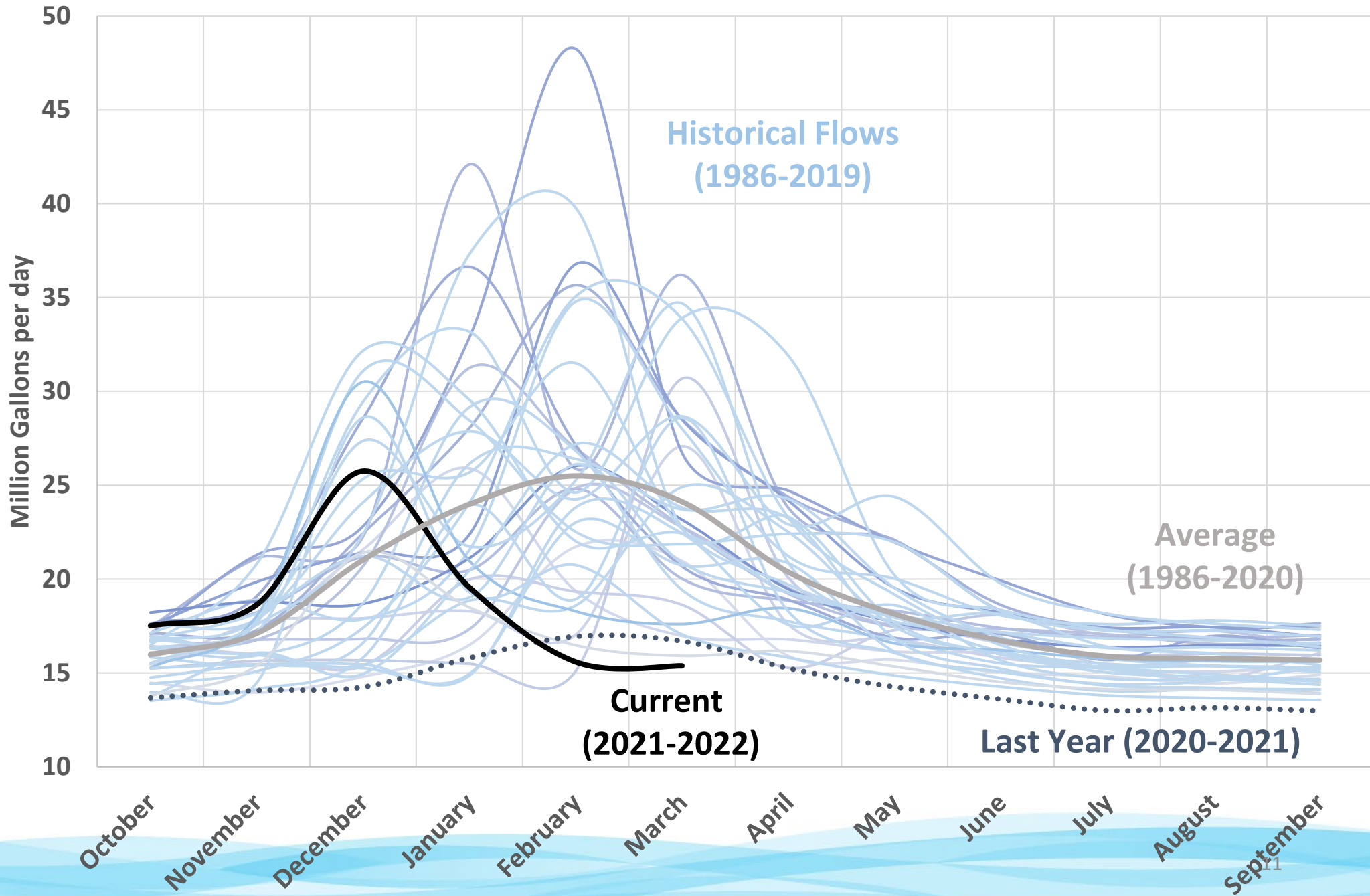
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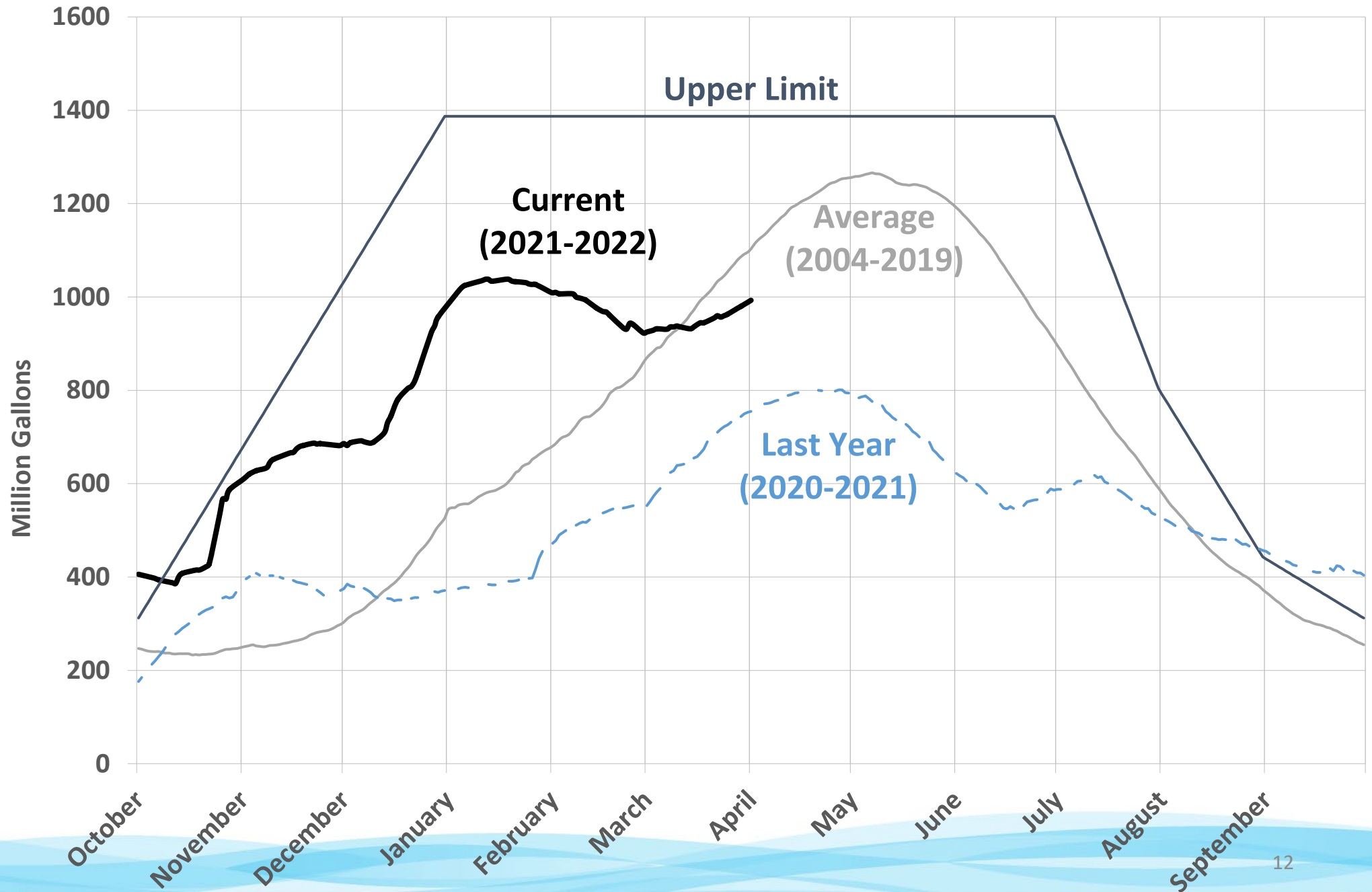
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Recycled Water Production



Recycled Water Storage



2022 Irrigation Season

- Established Initial Allocations January 18th
- No Allocation Increases in April
- All User Meeting Scheduled for April 26th
- Allocations Guaranteed until September 30th

Communication

- Emails, Monthly E-Newsletter, and Mailed Letters to all Ag Users
- Updates on www.srcity.org/WaterSmartAg
- Field Communication, Personal Phone Calls and Auto Dialer Calls
- All Ag User Meetings and Meetings with the Farm Bureau
- Routine updates to BPU

Questions

