Regional Recycled Water Storage Update

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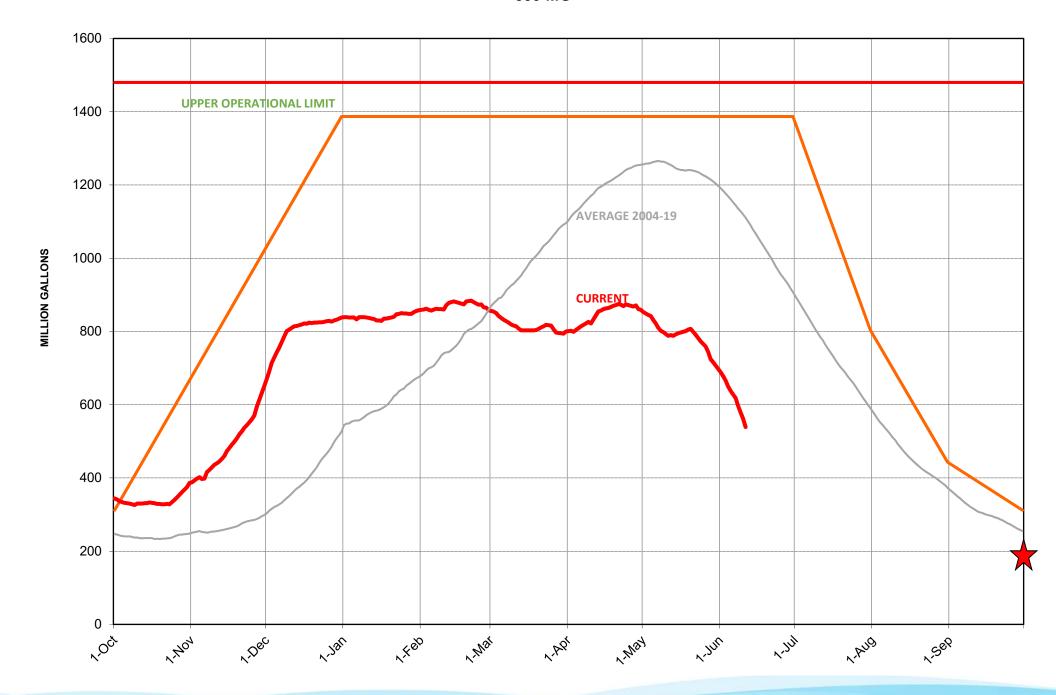
OUR FUTURE IN EVERY DROP

2020 Irrigation Season

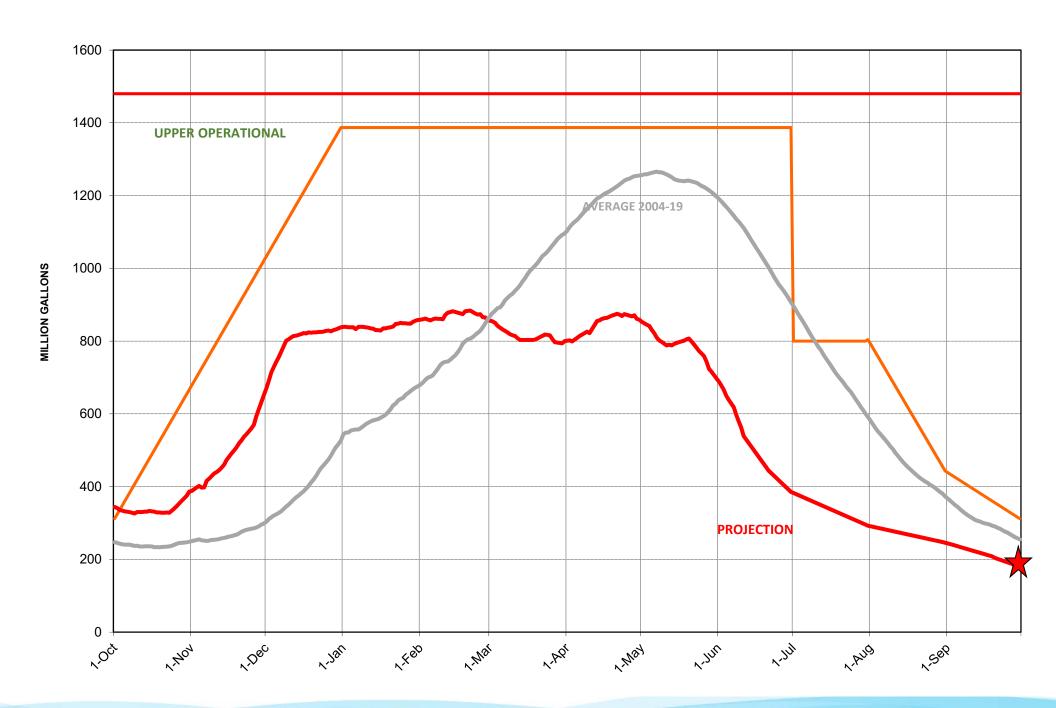
- Current storage volume: ~ 500 MG
 - Steep decrease since last update in May
- Early and ongoing communications with ag customers
 - Dry winter, limited water
 - No allotments set at beginning of irrigation season
- Spring has been warm and dry.
- Irrigation season started heavy and early
 - Nearly 30% of available water has been used through May
- Allotments at 70% of average annual usage have been announced



Recycled Water Storage June 11, 2020 539 MG



Recycled Water Storage Projection



Communications with Ag Customers

- This season: Communications were oneto-one or e-mailings
 - Annual Farmers' Meeting cancelled due to COVID-19
 - Mid-May: Email communications in place of meeting
 - "No allotments this year."
 - Early June: Heavy early season demand necessitated allotments
 - Early warning to large customers for planning purposes
 - Preliminary estimate of allotments was low
 - Followed up with updated information



Challenging Season Ahead

- Low Supply
- Delta Pond levee repair
- Geysers Pipeline repair



Questions?

