

# Water Supply Update

Board of Public Utilities Meeting

July 2, 2020

Peter Martin – Deputy Director Water Resources



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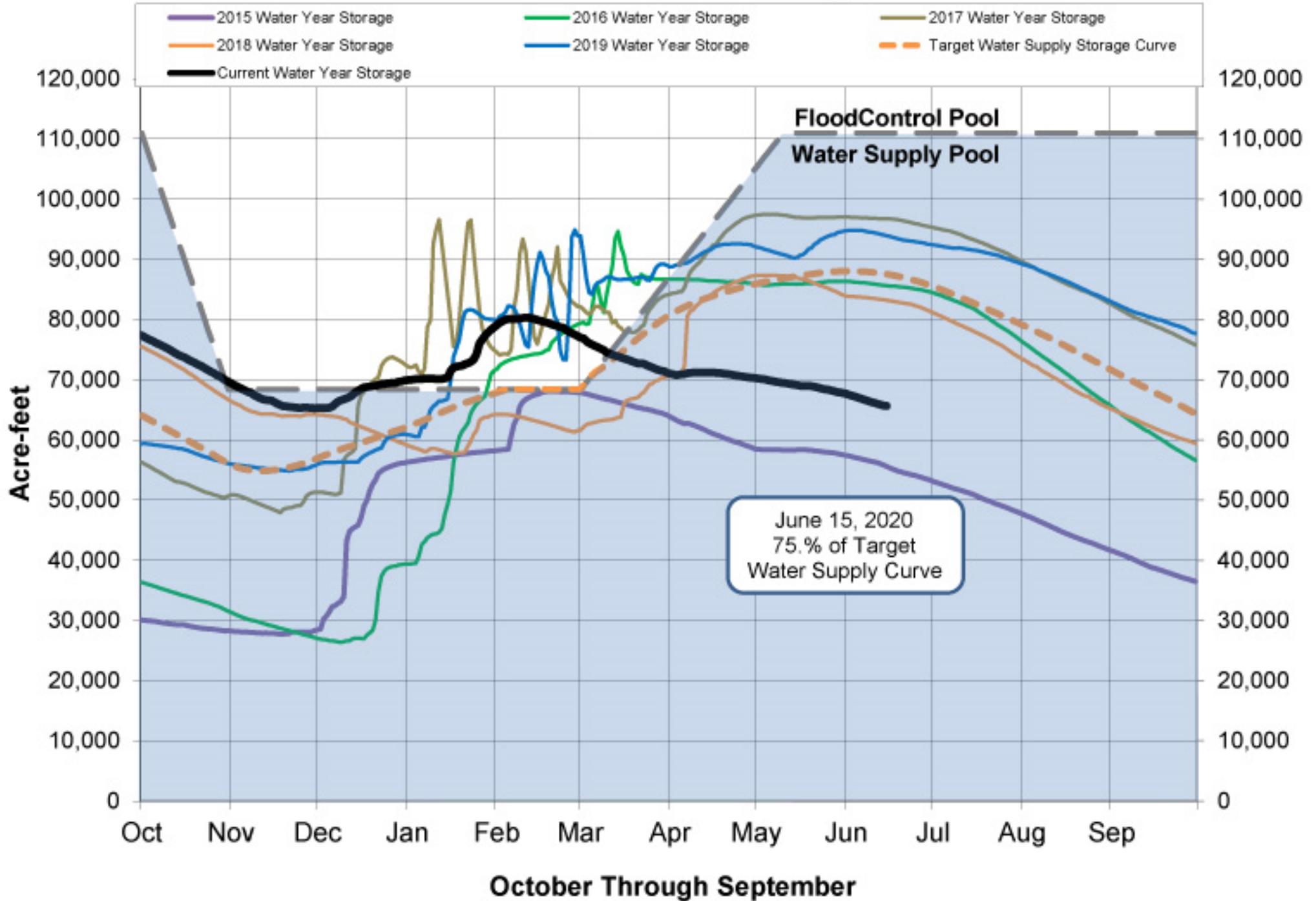
# Temporary Urgency Change Petition

- Sonoma Water submitted to State on June 8<sup>th</sup>
  - Ukiah rainfall 40% of average
  - Reduction in Potter Valley Project diversions
- If approved by State, effective July 1<sup>st</sup>
  - Upper Russian River minimum flows – 50 cfs
  - Lower Russian River minimum flows – 60 cfs
  - Target water supply storage levels for Lake Mendocino
- Preserve supply to meet demands and for fall run of fish in Russian River

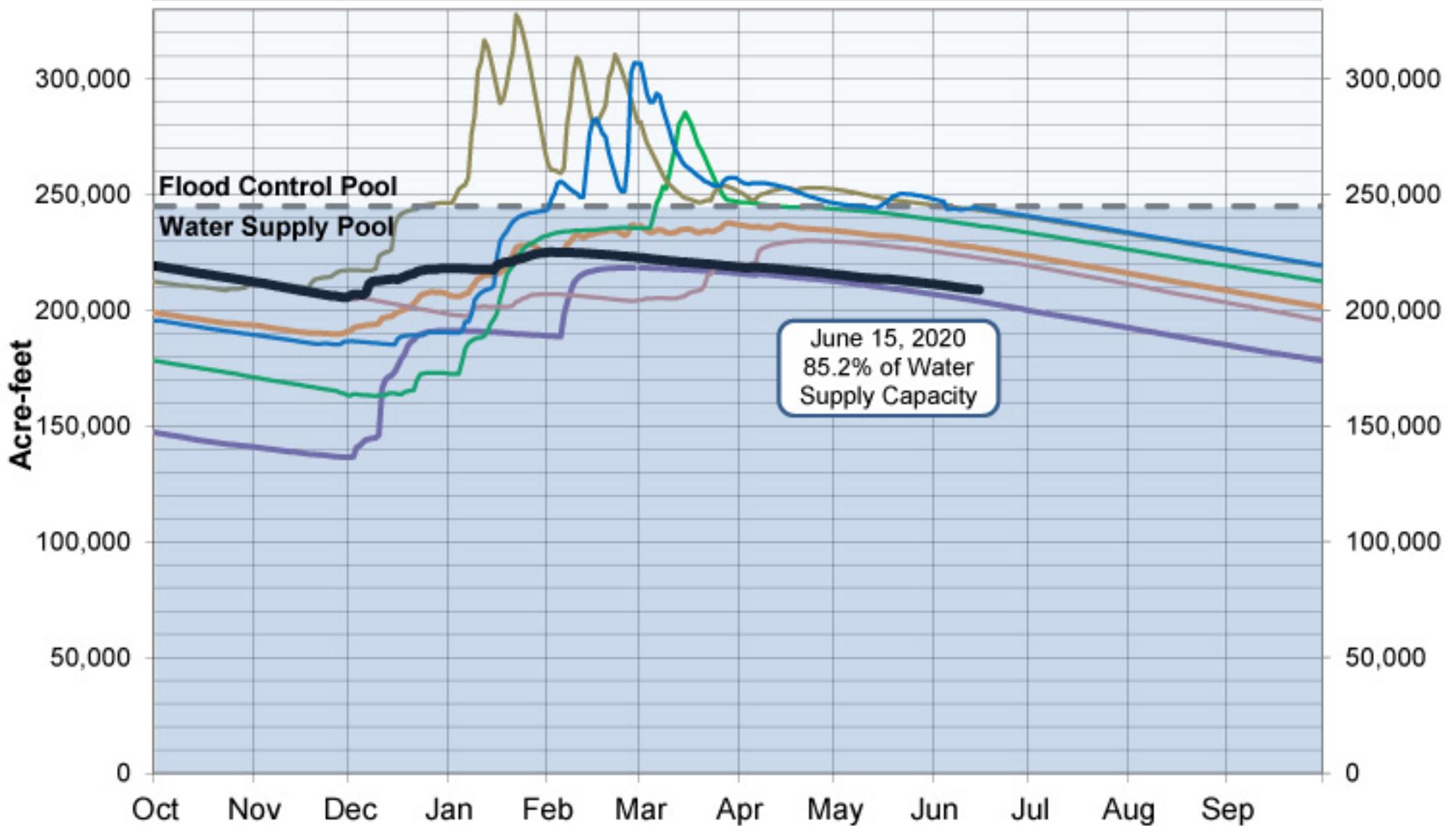
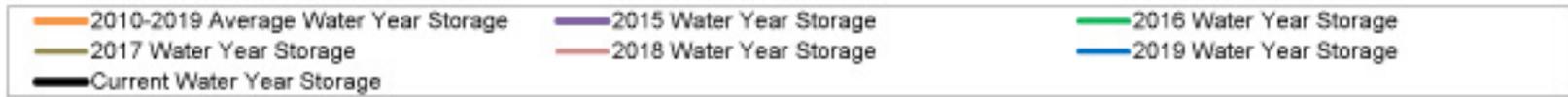


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# Lake Mendocino Storage

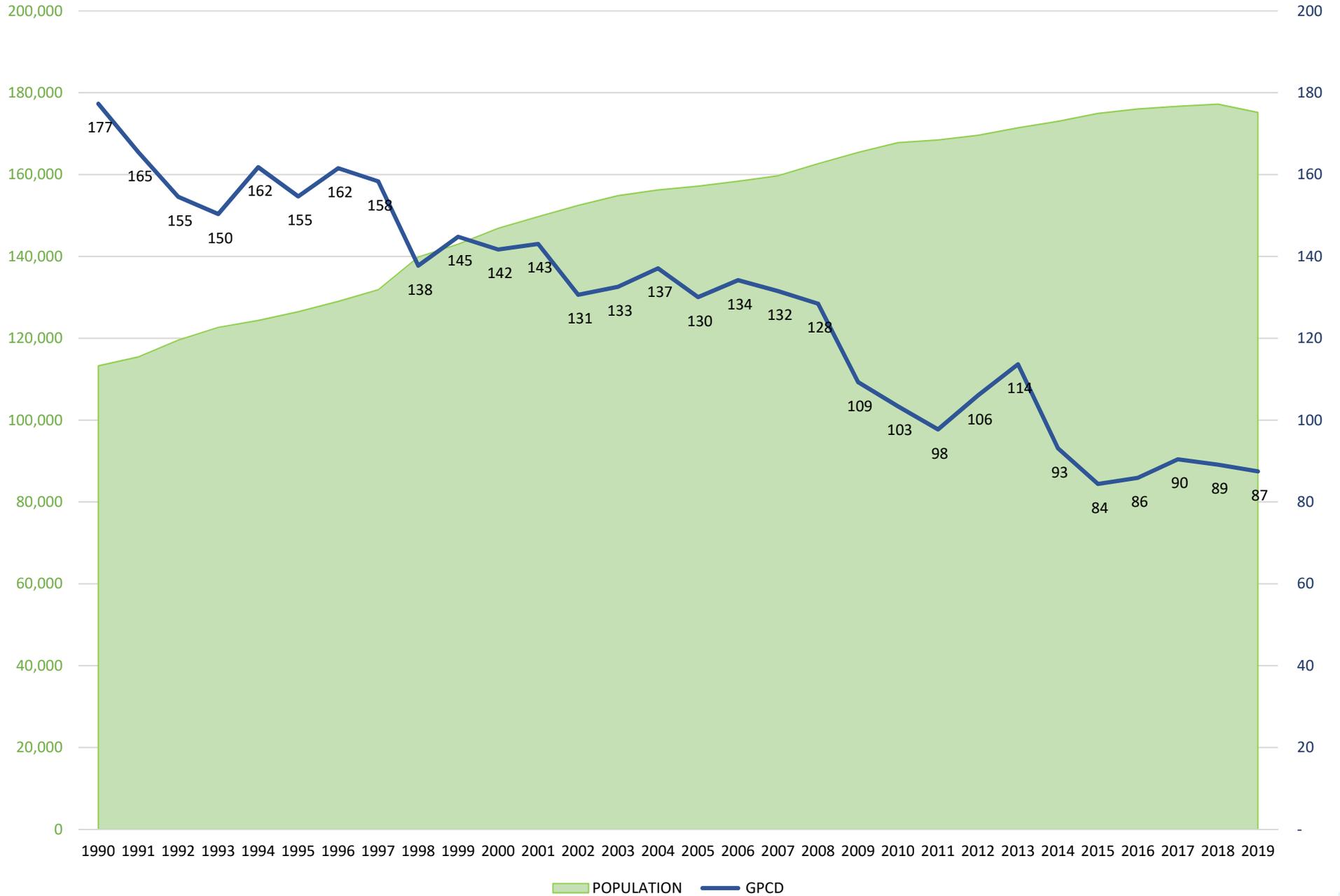


# Lake Sonoma Storage



October Through September

Santa Rosa 1990-2019  
 Population increase: 55%  
 GPCD decrease: 51%  
 (Total water production: 24% decrease)



# Sonoma-Marin Saving Water Partnership

- **June through September campaign highlights:**
  - Sprinkler “spruce up” video
  - Summer water practices
  - WaterSense branded fixtures, irrigation, landscape
  - Both English and Spanish language
- Print ads Press Democrat Sunday edition
- Digital ad placement targeting Sonoma & Marin Counties
- Broadcast radio ads



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# Santa Rosa Water Outreach

- **Irrigation Workshop (Public Videoconference)**
  - **Tuesday July 14<sup>th</sup>**
- **July is Smart Irrigation Month!**
  - **Targeted outreach and promotion**
  - **Changes to “cash for grass” program**
- **Videos, social media posts throughout July - August**



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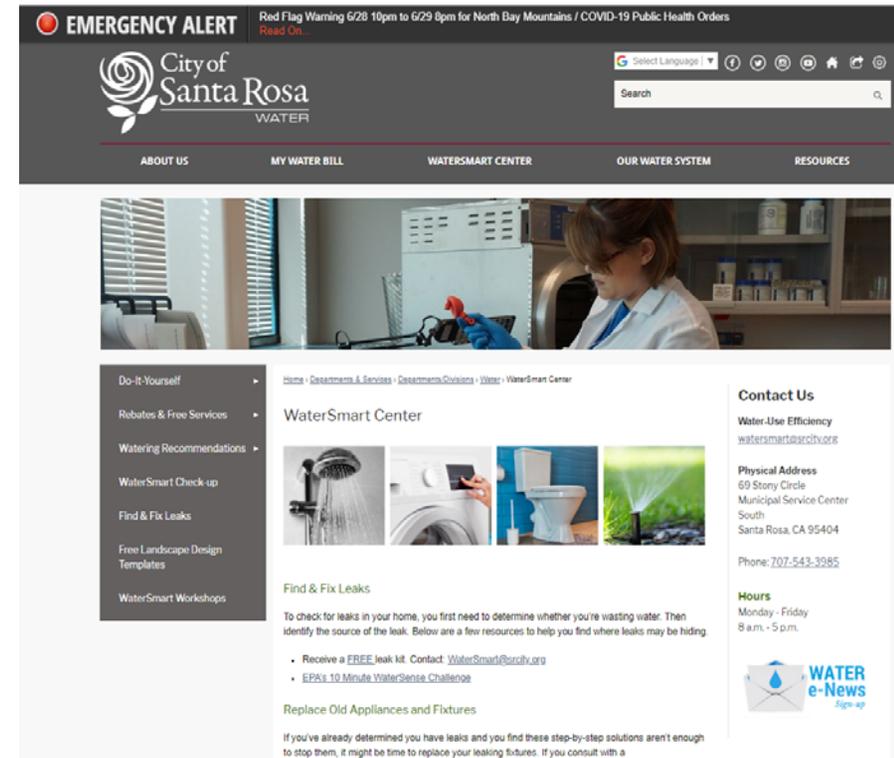
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# Regional Recycled Water Storage Update

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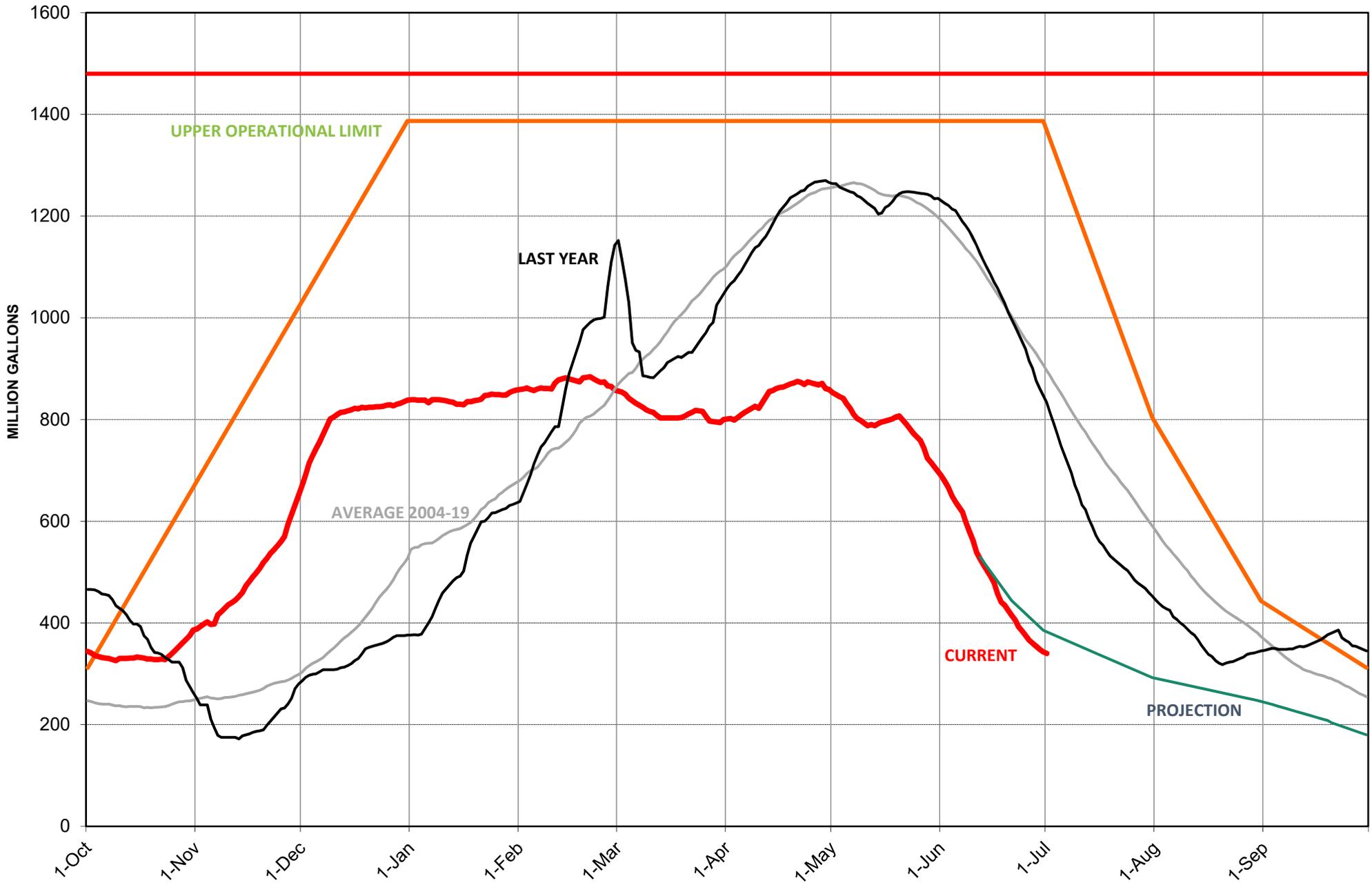
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# 2020 Irrigation Season – Recent Developments

- Allotment program announced June 16
- A/B Schedule implemented June 29
  - 3-days/week irrigation
- Receiving water transfer from Sonoma Water
- Reduced flow to Geysers
- Delta Pond draining nearly complete



**Recycled Water Storage**  
**July 1, 2020**  
**340 MG**



# Questions?

