



Los Angeles Groundwater Replenishment Project

Public Scoping Meeting
September 25, October 3
and October 12, 2013



GWR Team

Lead Agency

Los Angeles Department of Water & Power

Project Partner Agency

Los Angeles Department of Public Works

Technical Assistance

AECOM



Agenda

1. Introductions & Welcome
2. Meeting Purpose & Format
3. Project Overview
4. Environmental Review Process
5. Public Review and Comment



Meeting Purpose

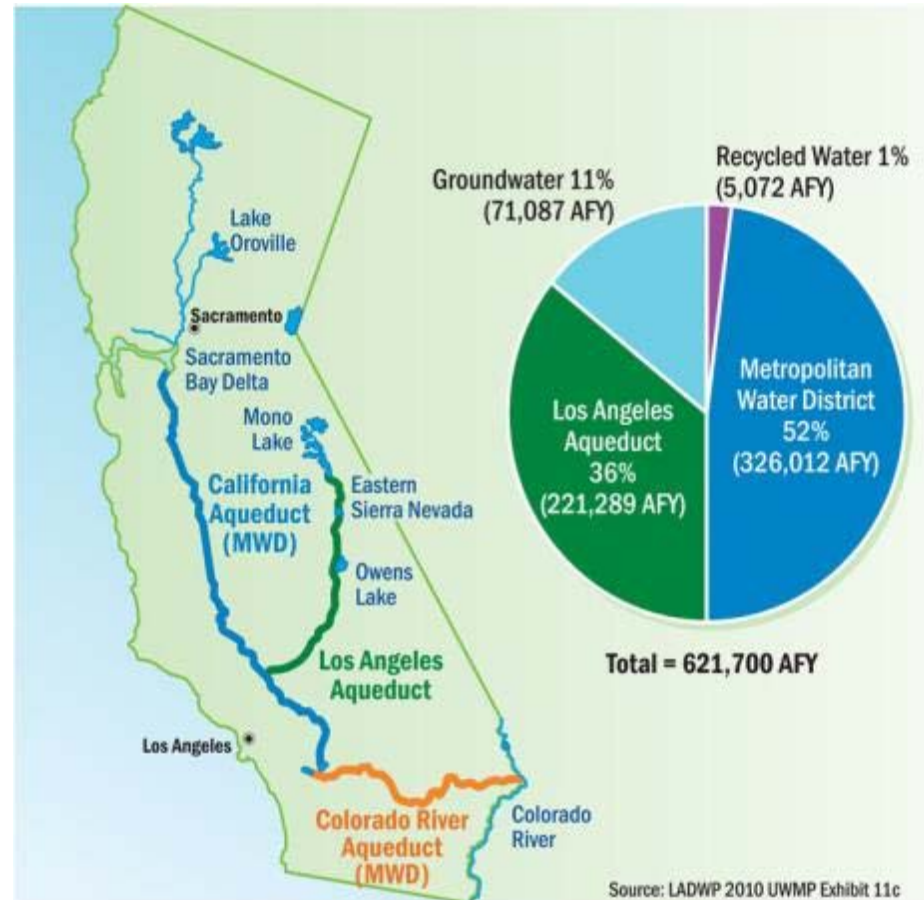
Receive public input on scope and content of Environmental Impact Report (EIR)

- All comments must be received in writing to be included in the Draft EIR
- Comments due **October 21, 2013**
- Used in determining scope and content of the Draft EIR
- Written comments will be included in Appendix A of Draft EIR

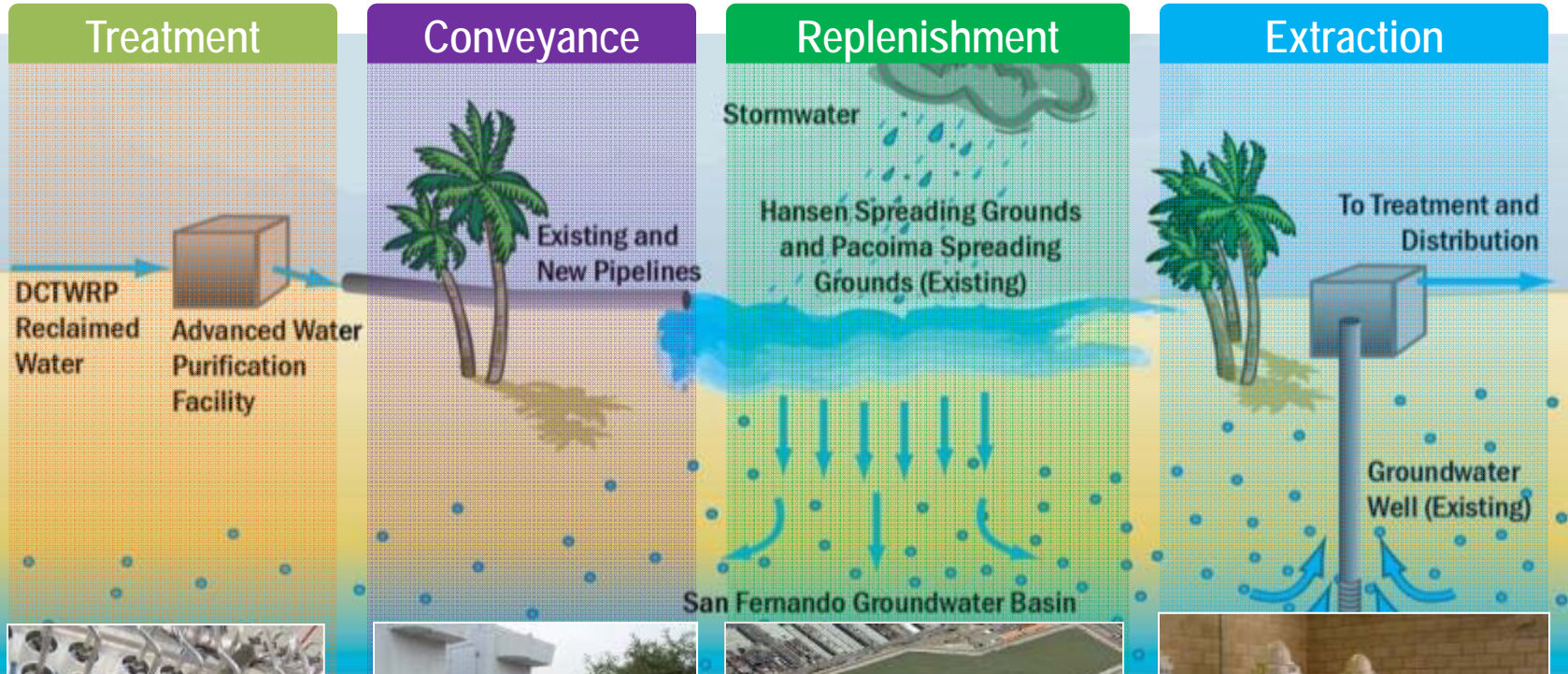
Project Purpose

Replenish the San Fernando Groundwater Basin with purified recycled water to:

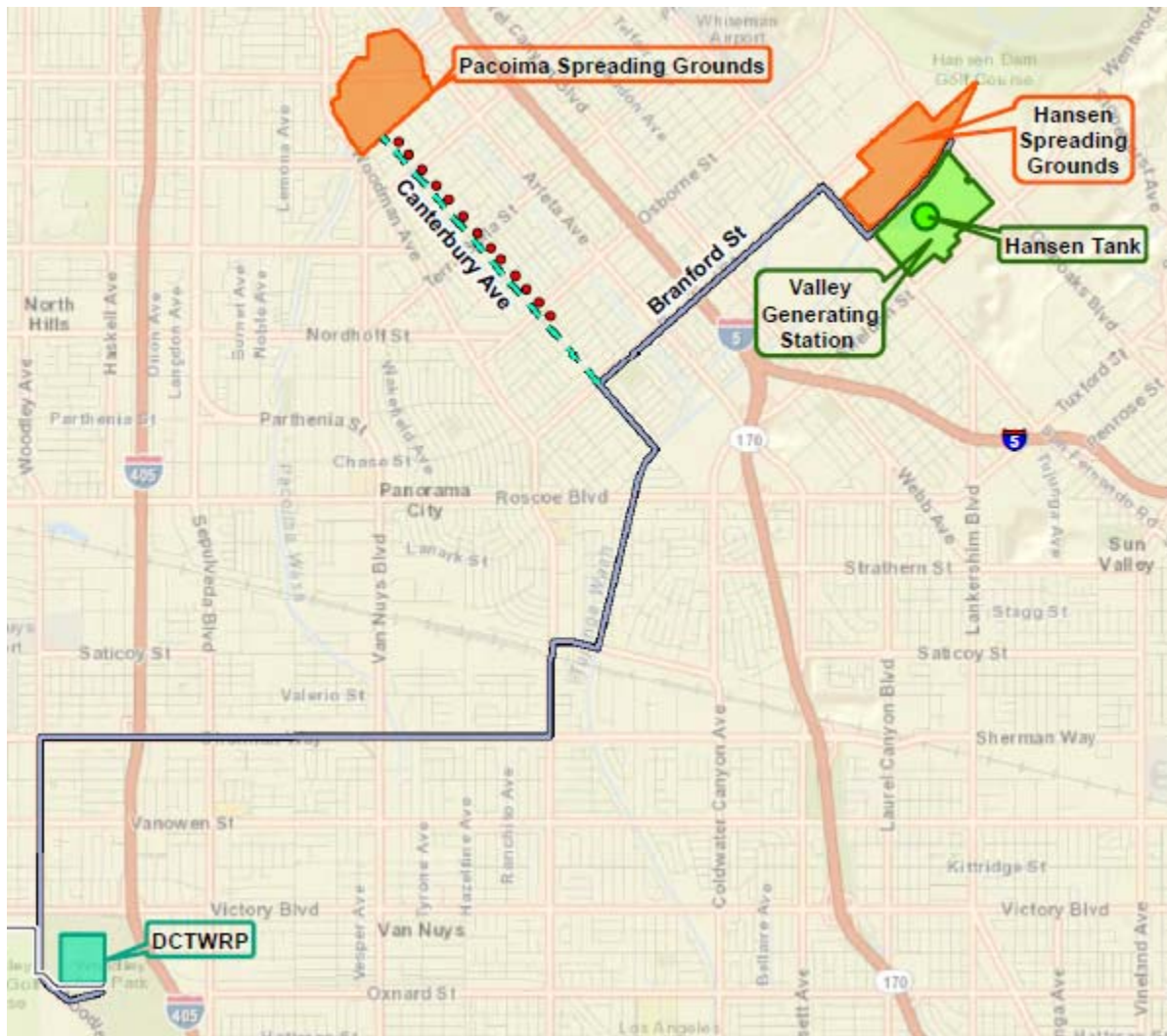
- Enhance reliability of the City's Water Supply
- Reduce dependence on imported water supplies
- Increase local potable water supplies



Groundwater Replenishment

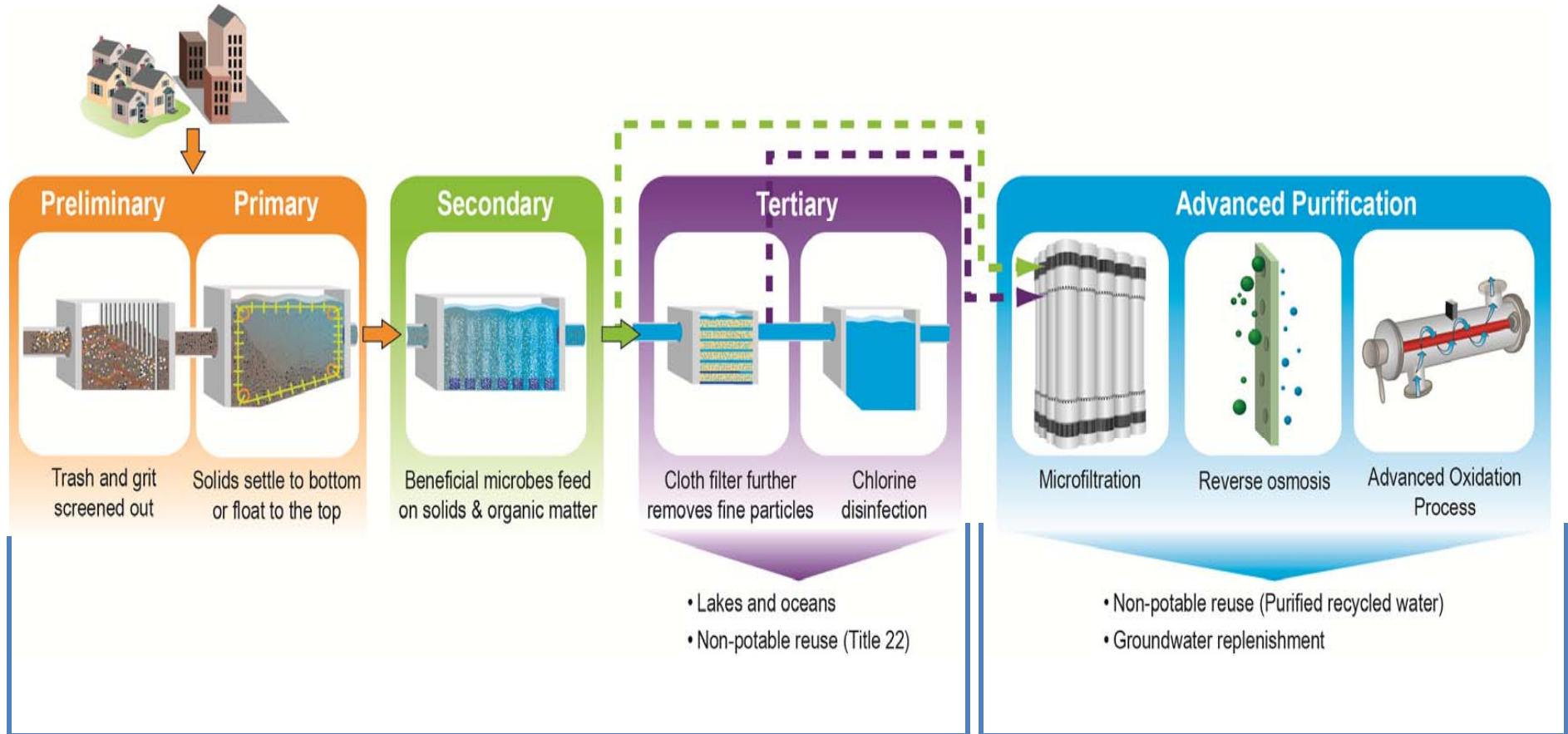


Project Overview Map



- Existing 54" pipeline
- Proposed 42" pipeline
- Proposed injection well

Treatment Process



Existing

Proposed



Proposed Project Site Plan

Donald C. Tillman Water Reclamation Plant



 Proposed

 Not Part of Project



Alternative Site Plan

Valley Generating Station



 Proposed



Alternative Site Plan

Donald C. Tillman Water Reclamation Plant

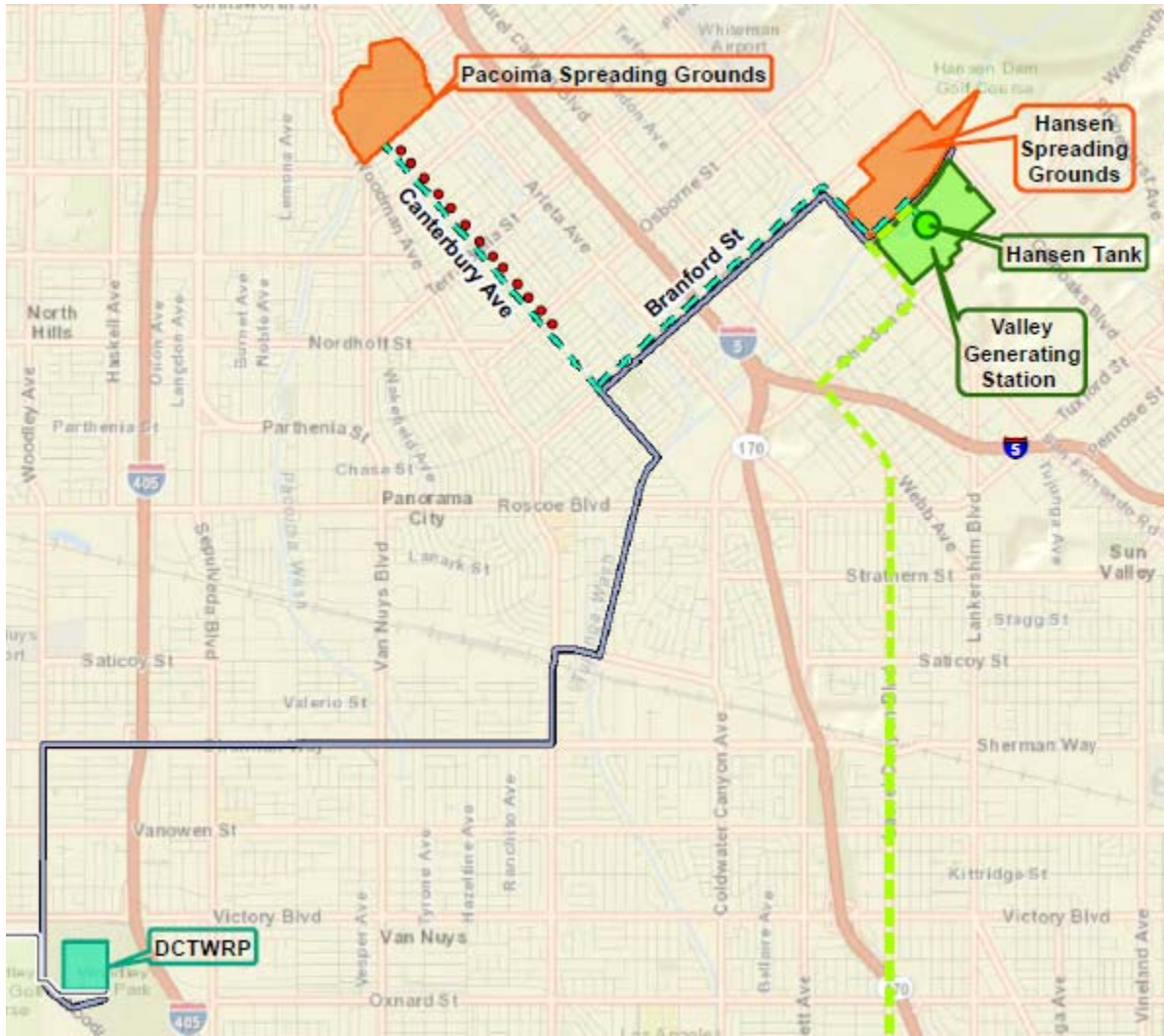


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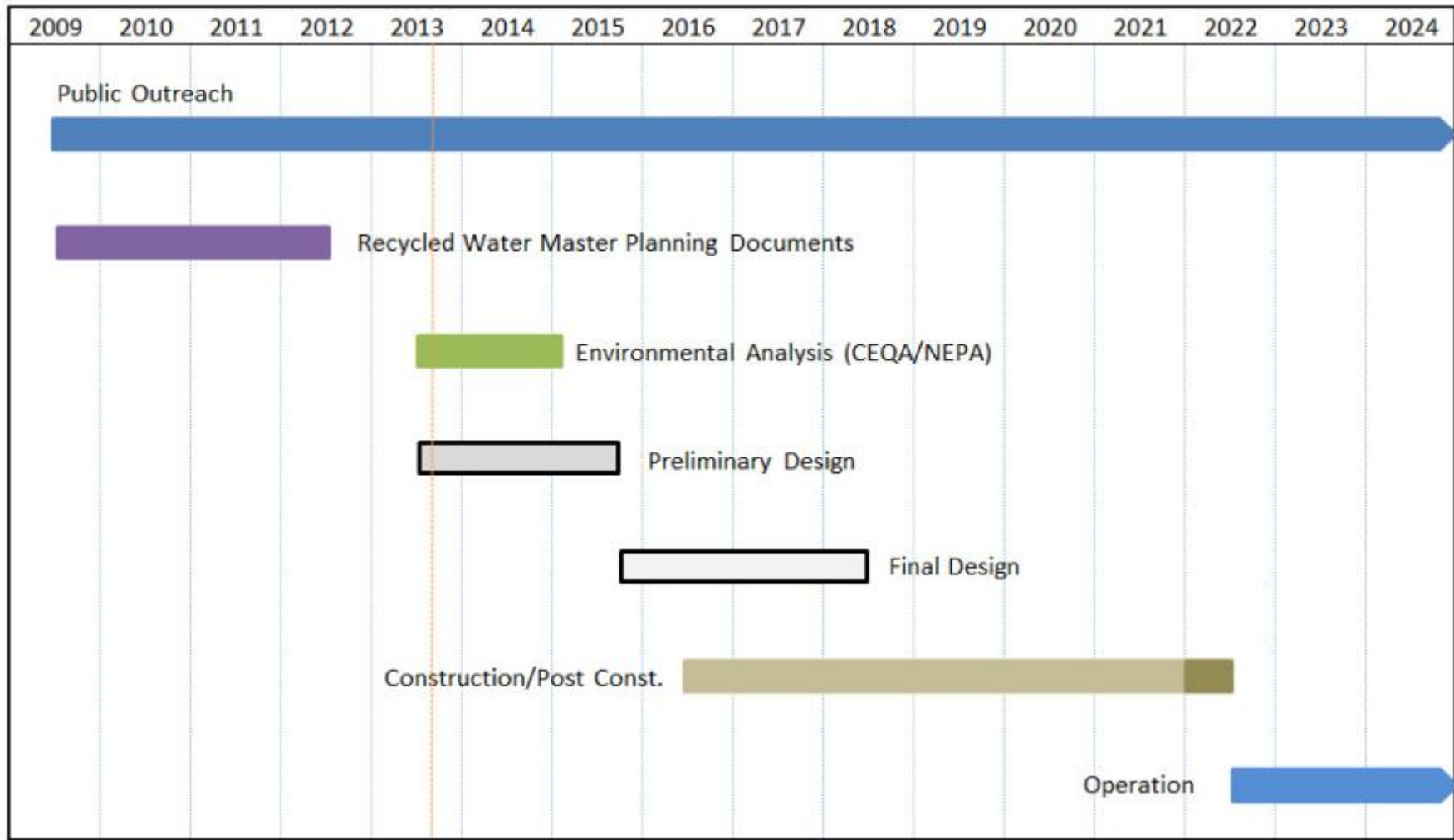
Alternative Conveyance Valley Generating Station



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- - - Proposed 42" pipeline
- Proposed injection well
- - - Proposed 21" brine line



Project Schedule



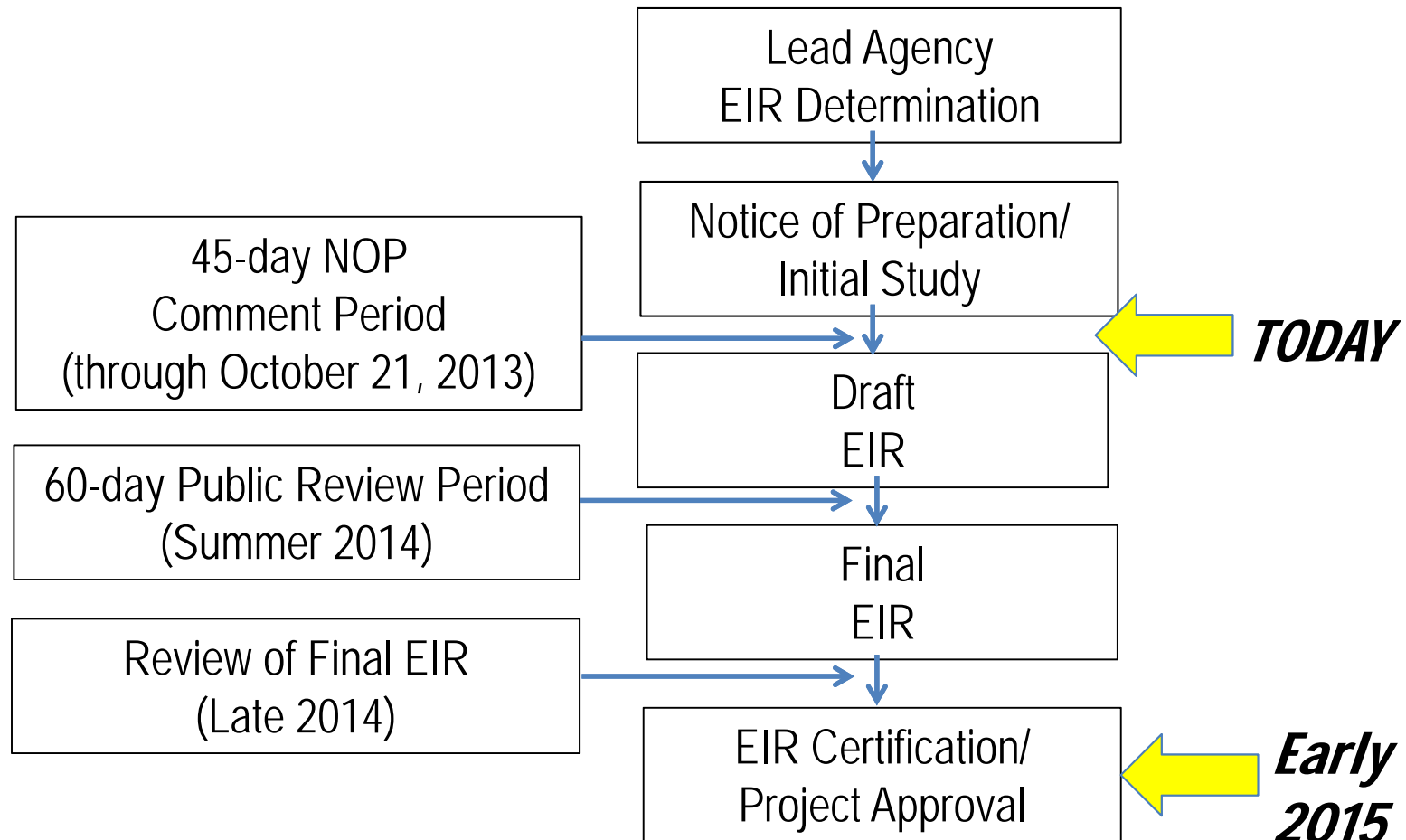


Environmental Review Process

California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA)

- Maintain the quality of the environment
- Disclose potential significant environmental impacts of the proposed project
- Identify feasible means to reduce impacts
- Encourage public participation

CEQA Process and Schedule





Key Environmental Issues

- Air Quality
- Biological Resources
- Cultural Resources
- Geology and Soils
- Greenhouse Gas Emissions
- Hazards and Hazardous Materials
- Hydrology and Water Quality
- Land Use and Planning
- Noise and Vibration
- Transportation and Traffic
- Utilities and Services Systems



Next Steps

Environmental documents located on LADWP's website:

<http://www.ladwp.com/envnotices>

Initial Study also is available for review at:

- LADWP - Headquarters
- Encino-Tarzana Branch Library
- West Valley Regional Library
- Van Nuys Branch Library
- Sherman Oaks Library
- Lake View Terrace Library
- Valley Plaza Branch Library
- Pacoima Branch Library
- Mid-Valley Regional Library
- Sun Valley Library



Public Comment

The following comments will be accepted

- Written comments in response to the Notice of Preparation
- Oral testimony (limited to 3 minutes)
- Comment cards

Submit comments to:

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Comments are requested to be submitted by **October 21, 2013**



Public Comment