

ALTERNATIVE ON-SITE WATER USE WORKSHOP

Austin
WATER



June 25, 2019

Welcome!

Onsite Reuse Workshop 2019



Opening remarks

Greg Meszaros Director



Jimmy Flannigan

Council Member





Practical Application of Onsite Reuse Systems in Austin

June 25th, 2019

Katherine Jashinski, P.E.

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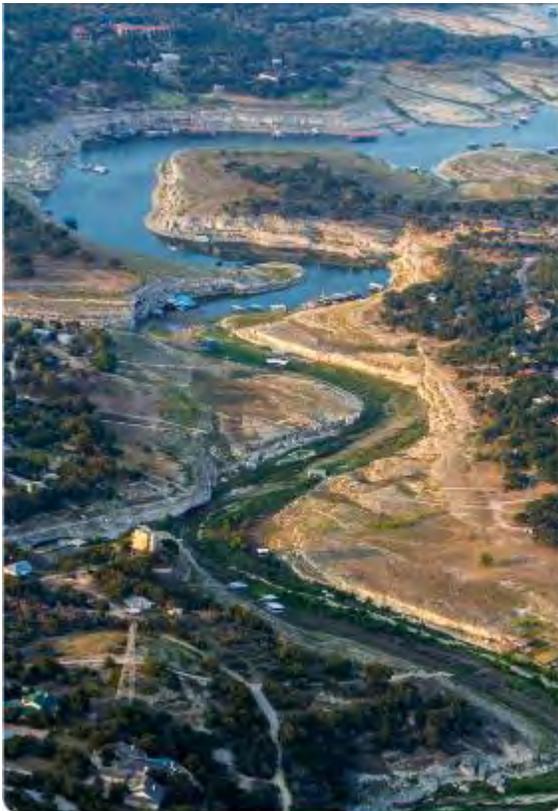
Definitions

Regulatory Landscape



DRIVERS

Water supply threats are demanding new water source solutions



See Creek Cove before it reaches the main part of Lake Travis

- Climate change impacts
- Water shortages/drought
- Catastrophic events
- Degradation of water quality
- Reliability and redundancy limitations
- Population growth with reduced consumption
- Demand for lower-cost solutions

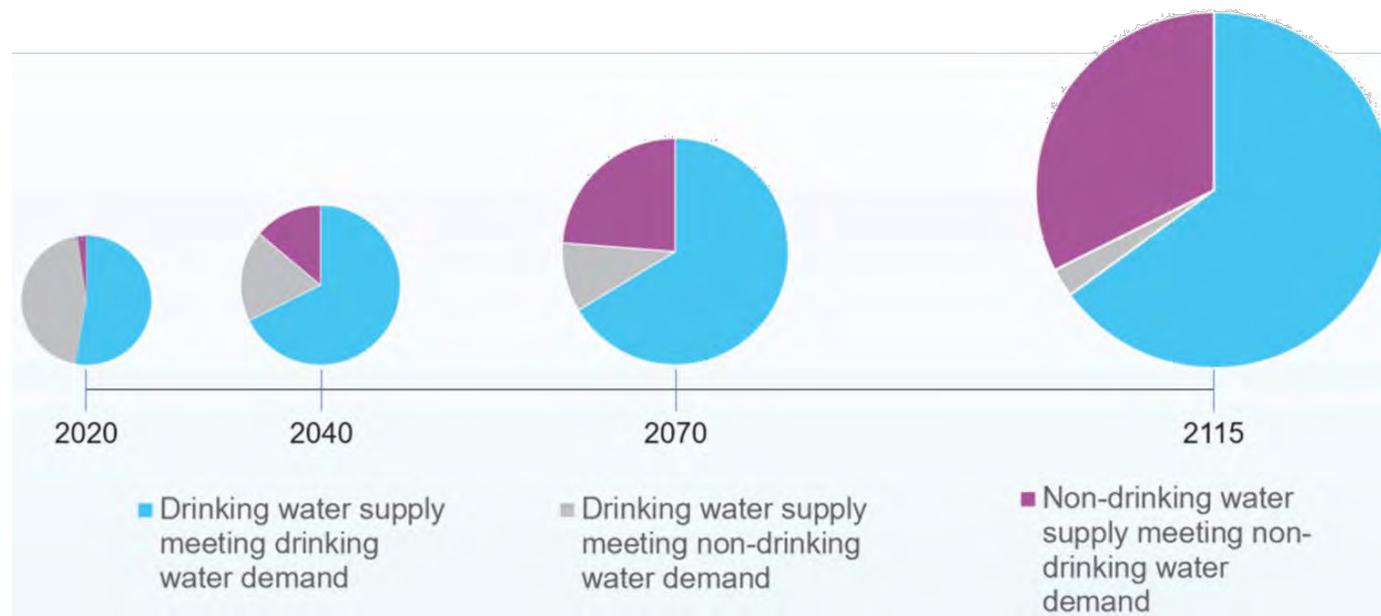
Source: WRF Project 4550

Integrated Water Management: Planning for Future Water Supplies

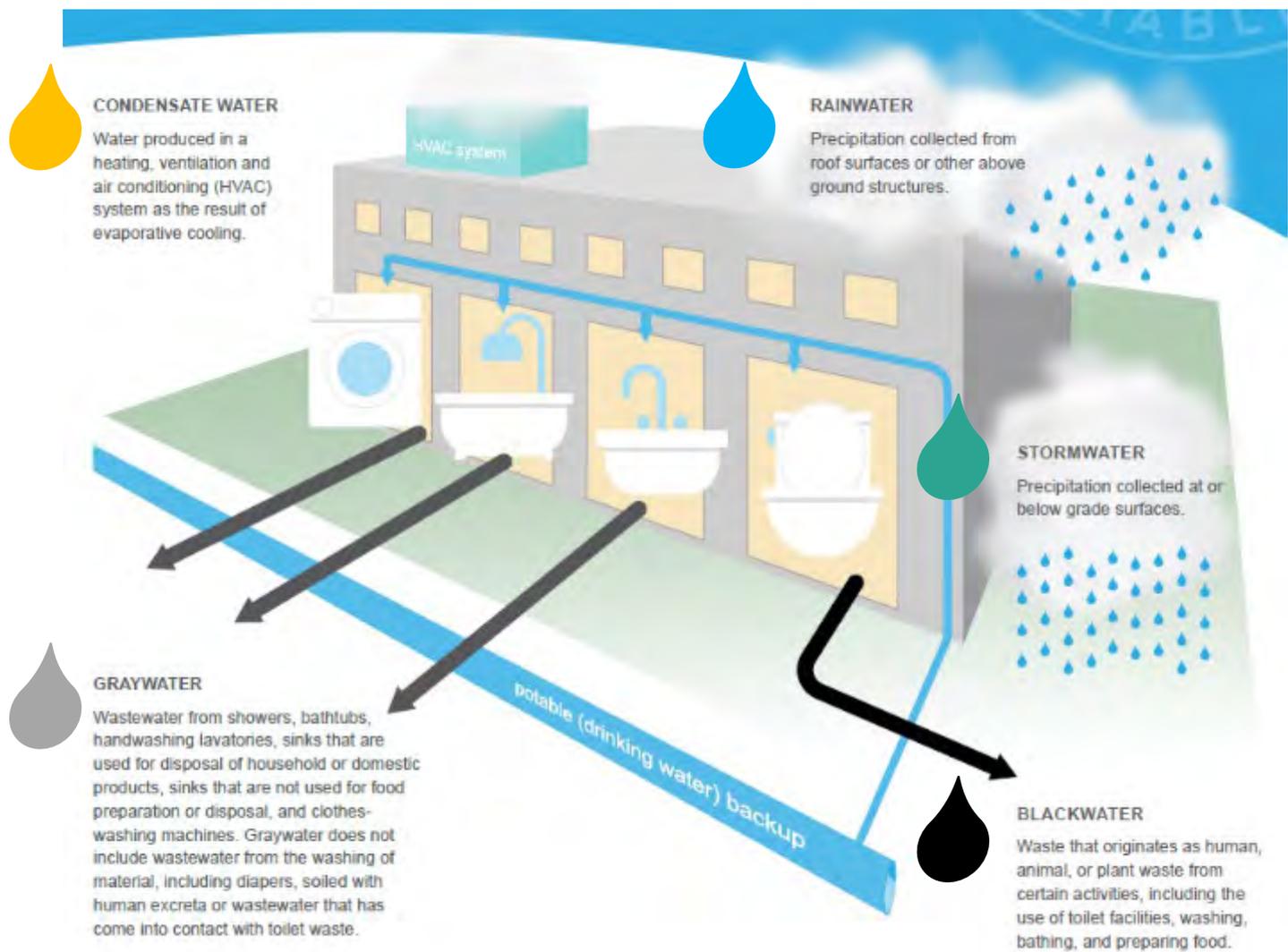
Water Forward

Austin's 100-year Integrated Water Resource Plan

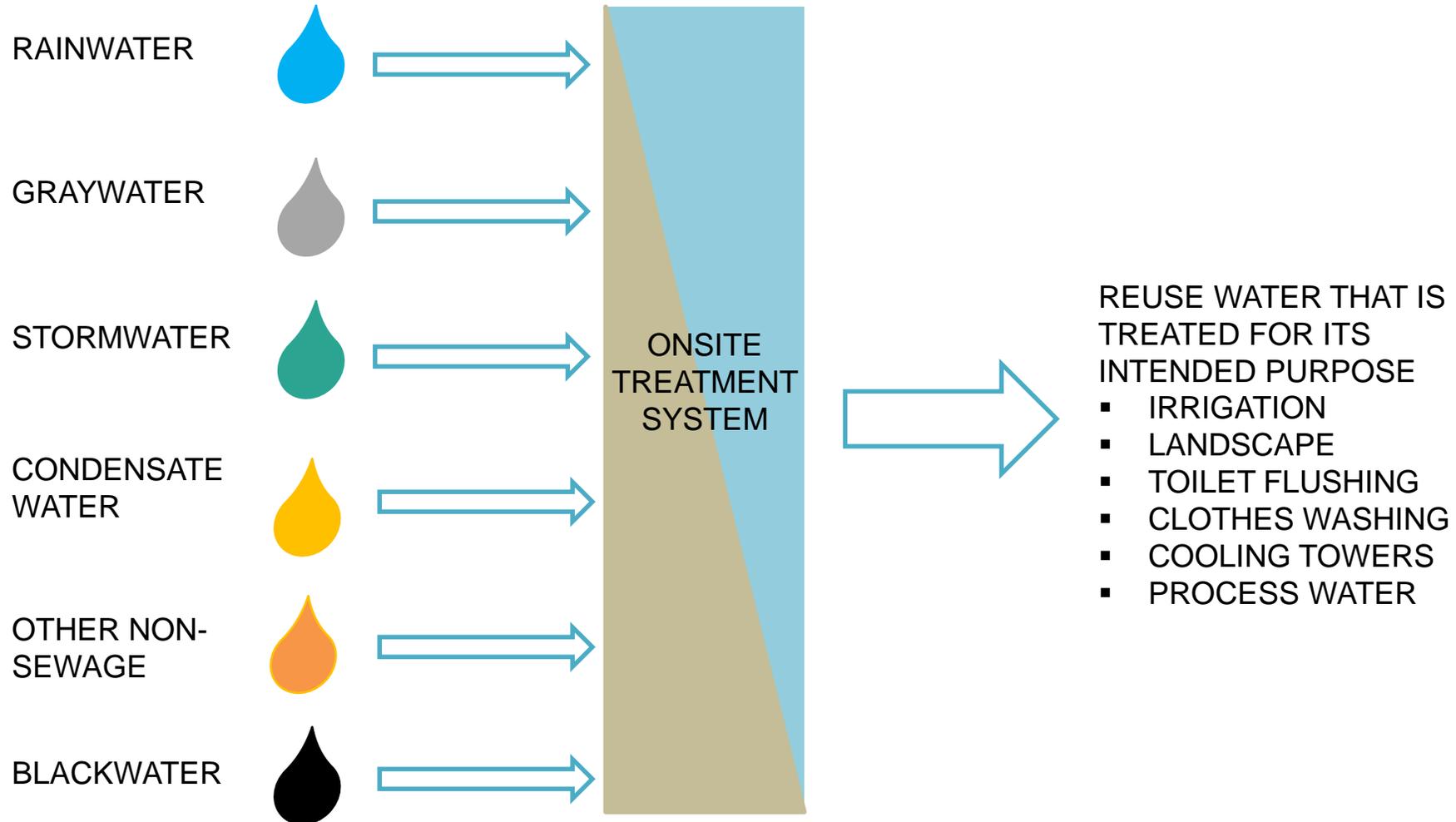
- Goal to ensure a resilient water future through future population growth, drought, and climate change
- Plan embraces a fit for purpose approach to meet non-potable demands with non-potable sources
- Onsite water use is a key strategy in Water Forward to meet our future reuse goals



DEFINITIONS: ALTERNATIVE WATER SOURCES



DEFINITIONS: ONSITE WATER REUSE SYSTEMS



REGULATORY LANDSCAPE

WATER SOURCE	REUSE TYPE	STATE CODES	LOCAL CODES
RAINWATER  STORMWATER  CONDENSATE  GRAYWATER 	NON-POTABLE	-TH&SC CHAPTER 341 -30 TAC CHAPTER 210 SUBCHAPTERS E&F	CHAPTERS 15&16 OF THE UNIFORM PLUMBING CODE
BLACKWATER 	NON-POTABLE	-TH&SC CHAPTER 341 -30 TAC CHAPTER 210 SUBCHAPTERS A-D	CHAPTER 15 OF THE UNIFORM PLUMBING CODE
RAINWATER 	POTABLE	-TH&SC CHAPTER 341 -30 TAC CHAPTER 290	APPENDIX K OF THE UNIFORM PLUMBING CODE

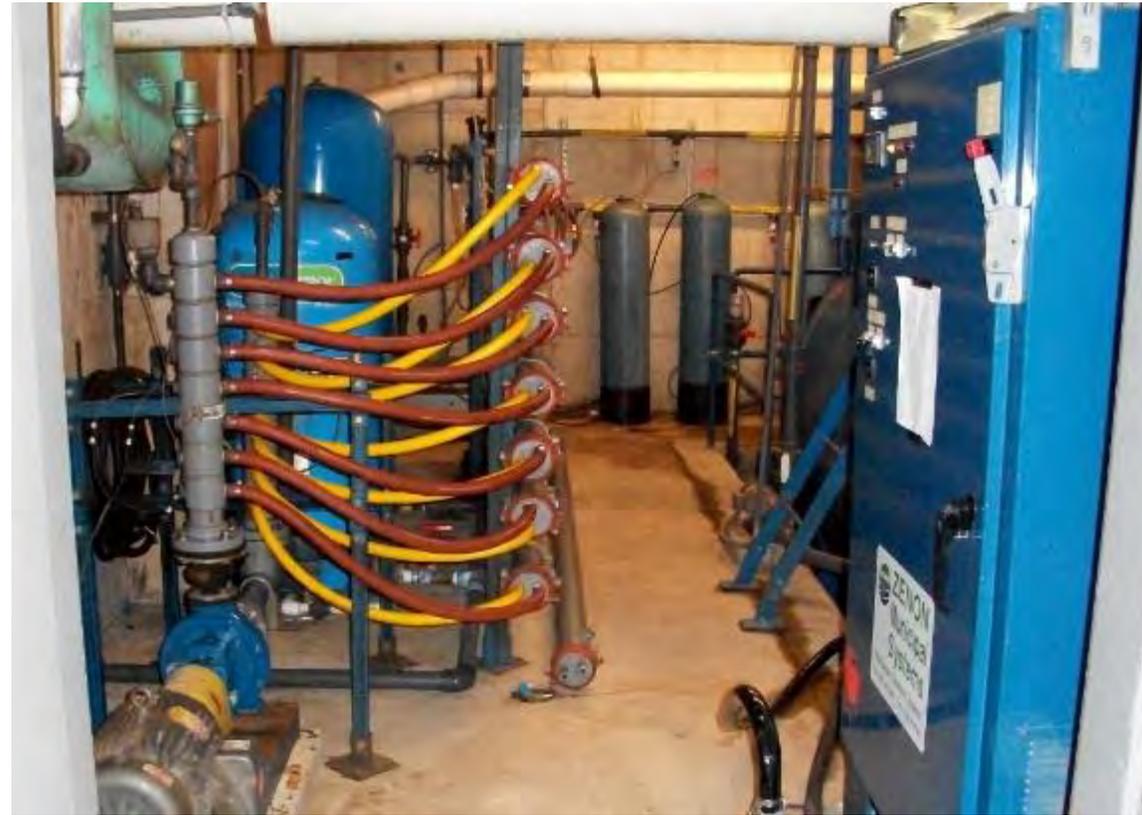
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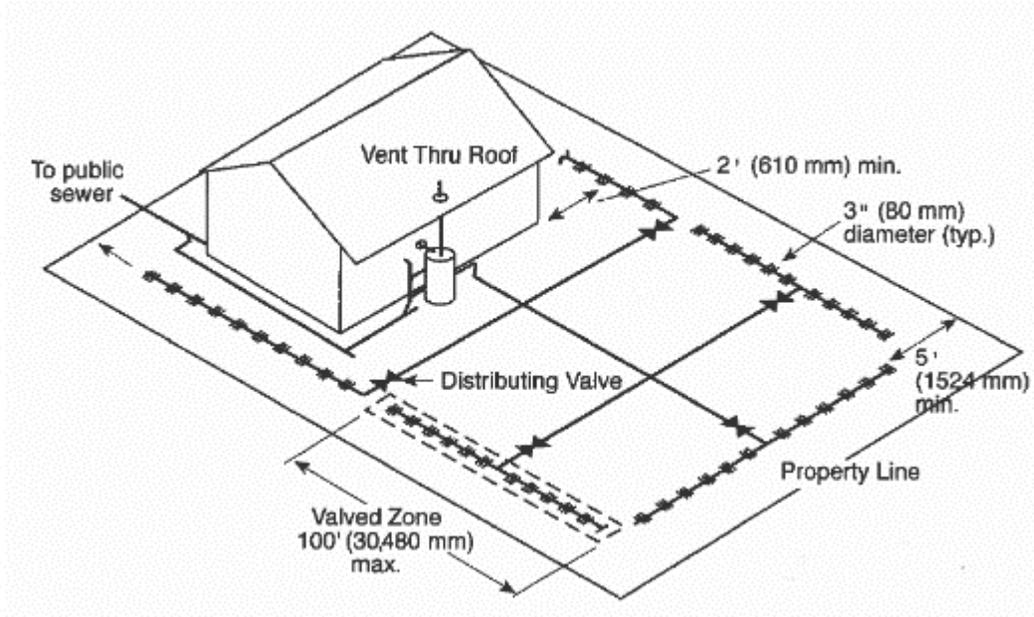
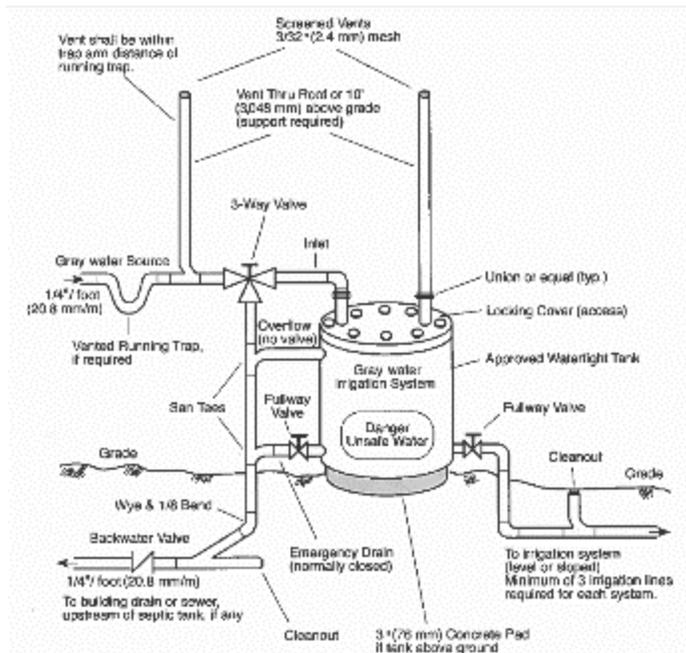
PREVIOUS REGULATIONS

- 2005 adoption of 30 TAC 210 Subchapter F: Use of Graywater Systems
Domestic graywater systems less than 400 gallons per day do not require a permit or inspection.



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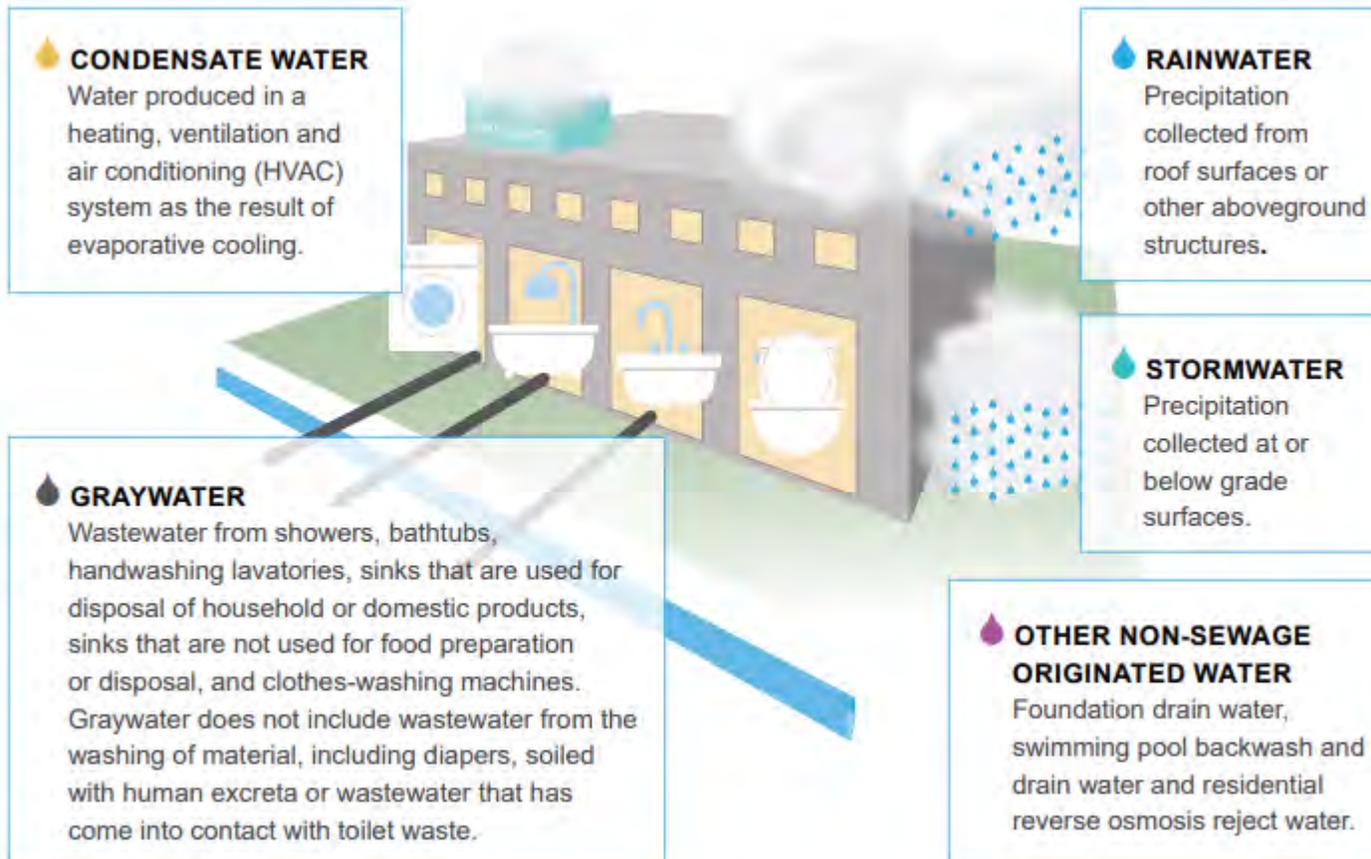
- 2009 adoption of Chapter 16 of the Uniform Plumbing Code: Nonpotable Water Reuse Systems (Graywater and Reclaimed Water Systems)



PREVIOUS REGULATIONS

- 2016 revision of 30 TAC 210 Subchapter F: Use of Graywater Systems

House Bill 1902 (2015) Addresses Alternative Onsite Water



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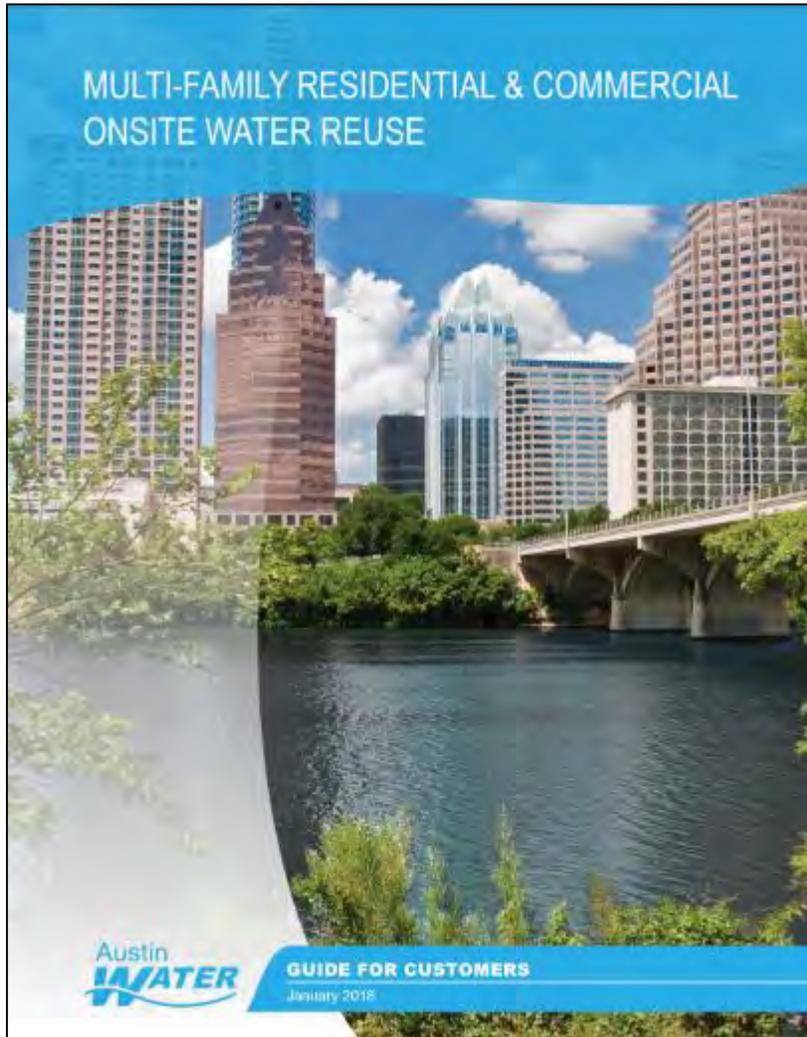
- 2017 amendments of the Uniform Mechanical Code

Mandatory Condensate Recovery Systems for New Development

In June of 2017 the Austin City Council approved the adoption of the City's Mechanical Code which includes the following provisions related to condensate reuse systems:

- Section 310.10 requires new commercial and multi-family facilities with a cooling capacity of 200 tons or greater to install condensate recovery systems for beneficial reuse. Beneficial reuse includes the allowed usages outlined in this guide.
 - Section 1126.0(6) requires new commercial and multi-family facilities with a cooling capacity of 100 tons or greater to either utilize blowdown water for beneficial reuse, or to offset a minimum of 10 percent of the cooling system's make-up water with reclaimed water or water from an onsite water reuse system.
- Information Bulletin No. 2018-0001, Standards for Air Conditioning Condensate Recovery Systems for New Development

ONSITE REUSE GUIDES



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Allowed Usages and Treatment Requirements

The table below specifies treatment requirements for onsite water reuse systems in multi-family residential and commercial developments.

	RAINWATER	GRAYWATER*	STORMWATER	CONDENSATE	OTHER NON-SEWAGE ORIGINATED WATER
Below Grade Irrigation/Outdoor	Filtration	Filtration	Filtration	Filtration	Filtration
Above Grade Irrigation/Outdoor	Filtration	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Not Allowed for Multi-Family Treatment & Disinfection for Commercial 	Treatment & Disinfection	Treatment & Disinfection	Treatment & Disinfection
Toilet/Urinal Flushing, Clothes Washing & Tray Pans	Treatment & Disinfection	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Not Allowed for Multi-Family Treatment & Disinfection for Commercial 	Treatment & Disinfection	Treatment & Disinfection	Treatment & Disinfection
Process Water & Cooling Tower Makeup Water	Treatment when combined with Graywater	Treatment	Treatment when combined with Graywater	Treatment when combined with Graywater	Treatment when combined with Graywater

*Graywater is not allowed to be used for irrigation in the Edwards Aquifer Recharge Zone or in any other geologically sensitive area.

Minimum Water Quality Requirements

The minimum water quality requirements for onsite water reuse systems at multi-family residential and commercial developments are found in [30 TAC Chapter 210, Subchapter F](#). These treatment standards are in general alignment with the [NSF/ANSI 350 and 350-1](#) standards for onsite residential and commercial water reuse treatment systems. Water from a commercial onsite water reuse system that is required to meet E. coli limits must be monitored for E. coli at least monthly. Monitoring records must be maintained at the site and be readily available for inspection by the TCEQ for a minimum of five years.

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ONSITE REUSE GUIDES

Permitting Steps

Design Approval & Permitting

1. Preliminary Review

Contact the Austin Water Conservation Division for a complimentary preliminary review of your onsite water reuse system permit application. This step is optional but highly recommended to ensure the permitting process goes smoothly, and to ensure you are made aware of any qualifying incentives for onsite water reuse systems provided by the utility.

2. Submit Applications

Submit a Development Services Department application for a plumbing permit and an Austin Water application for auxiliary water registration to the City's One Stop Shop. If you are applying for an Austin Water rebate that requires pre-approval, submit your application to the Austin Water Conservation Division.

3. Obtain Approval

When your system design is approved, you will be issued a permit to construct the on-site water reuse system.

Construction and Approval for Use

4. Construct the System

A system must pass all Development Services Department inspections. If your system requires a backflow prevention assembly, this will have to be tested and approved by a third party prior to your final construction inspection.

5. Operate and Maintain System

After you pass the final Development Services Department inspection, you are approved to use your system to save water. No operating permit will be issued, but you are responsible for maintaining your system according to the operation and maintenance manual. You are also responsible for ensuring reoccurring cross connection testing is performed if your system requires it.

6. Rebate Payment

If you have applied for an Austin Water rebate, there will be an additional post-installation inspection prior to receiving funds.

Qualifying Rebate Programs

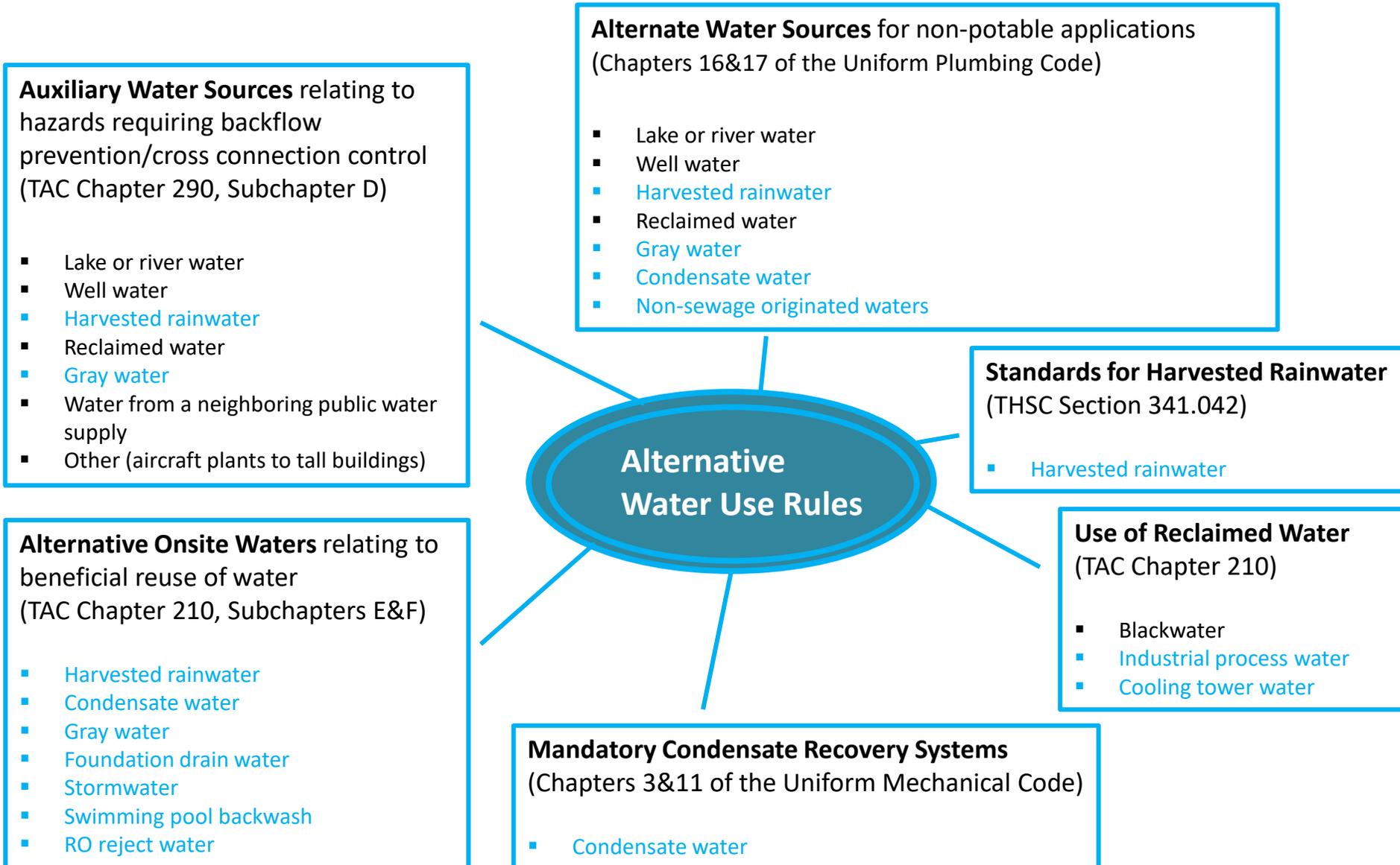
At the time of publication the following rebate programs are available to multi-family residential and commercial customers for onsite water reuse system installations through Austin Water.

- ◆ Rainwater Harvesting
- ◆ Bucks for Business

These rebates are subject to change, and pre-approval is typically required before purchasing or installing any of the materials that are covered by the rebates. For the most up-to-date program information, customers are encouraged to check Austin Water's Water Conservation webpage prior to submitting a rebate application: <http://www.austintexas.gov/department/water-conservation-rebates>.



LOOKING AHEAD



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National Blue Ribbon Commission for Onsite Non-potable Water Systems

The National Blue Ribbon Commission advances best management practices to support the use of onsite non-potable water systems within individual buildings or at the local scale. We are committed to protecting public health and the environment, and sustainably managing water—now and for future generations.

Risk-Based Framework for the Development of Public Health Guidance for Decentralized Non-Potable Water Systems

March 2017: This panel report provides a risk-based framework to develop public health guidance for decentralized non-potable water systems. [More >](#)



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**Projects and
Outcomes**

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Other Onsite Reuse Initiatives



Port of Portland Building in Portland, OR

CITY OF AUSTIN SYSTEMS

City of Austin Planning & Development Review Center Blackwater & Rainwater Systems



- A 5,000 gallon per day blackwater treatment system for toilet flushing use and 40,000 gallon rainwater cistern for irrigation use will provide over 1 million gallons of potable water offset each year
- Budgeted at \$1.5 million, the goal of the project is to demonstrate building-scale blackwater reuse to the development community

CITY OF AUSTIN SYSTEMS

City of Austin Central Library Rainwater & AC Condensate System



- Use of a blend of alternative onsite sources for toilet flushing and irrigation with a back-up connection to the City's reclaimed water
- Integrated water quality control with beneficial reuse captured in a 700,000 gallon below-grade cistern
- Annual average potable water offset of 1.88 million gallons each year

WRF DUAL PLUMBING STUDY



- Austin Water applied for and was awarded funding to research costs associated with dual-plumbing actual developments in Austin, TX
- The study is estimated to be completed by the end of 2019

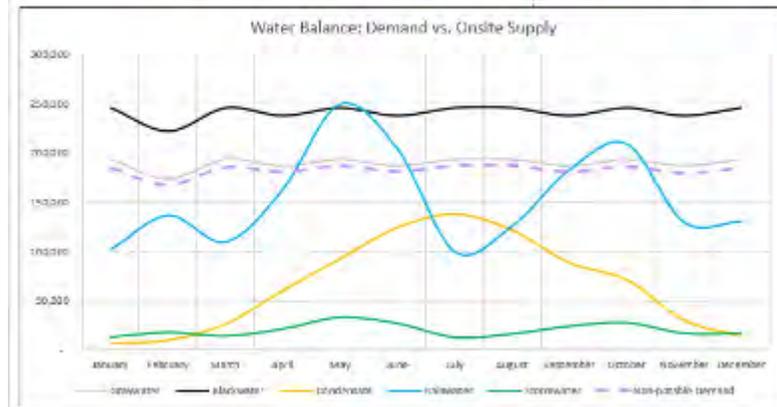
OTHER ONSITE REUSE INITIATIVES

Water Balance Calculator to Assist Developers in Onsite Reuse Projects

Summary of the water balance:													
Potable water demands													
Month	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Annual
Indoor fixtures (gallons)	505,405	458,495	505,405	489,302	505,405	480,102	505,405	505,405	480,102	505,405	480,101	505,405	5,050,749
Pools/spas (gallons)	1,399	1,670	2,645	3,205	3,880	4,338	4,380	4,398	3,366	2,670	1,681	1,263	938,035
Total potable demand (gallons)	506,804	458,165	508,051	492,507	509,285	494,439	509,785	509,803	493,468	508,075	491,782	506,668	6,000,774

Non-potable water demands													
Month	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Annual
Indoor fixtures (gallons)	184,848	186,930	184,848	178,885	184,848	178,885	184,848	184,848	178,885	184,848	178,885	184,848	2,176,434
HVAC makeup water (gallons)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Outdoor irrigation (gallons)	130	311	144	1,802	2,191	2,692	2,478	2,480	1,910	1,592	470	120	16,626
Water features (gallons)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total non-potable demand (gallons)	184,978	187,270	185,092	180,692	187,039	181,577	187,324	187,334	180,795	186,350	179,355	184,974	2,193,039
(gallons per day)	5,967	5,996	5,967	5,824	6,034	5,850	6,043	6,043	5,832	6,011	5,786	5,967	-

Onsite alternative water supplies													
Month	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Annual
Graywater (gallons)	102,888	174,221	192,888	185,665	102,888	186,665	101,886	102,888	186,665	102,888	186,665	102,888	2,271,095
Blackwater (gallons)	245,083	221,356	245,083	237,177	245,083	237,177	245,083	245,083	237,177	245,083	237,177	245,083	2,885,619
Condensate water (gallons)	6,407	9,847	26,199	63,271	92,308	138,947	181,550	121,401	88,180	70,941	46,226	13,884	780,889
Rainwater (gallons)	101,796	136,304	105,273	162,750	240,027	205,938	95,496	125,378	182,313	206,799	125,401	120,977	1,838,085
Stormwater (gallons)	13,395	18,200	14,591	21,736	33,257	27,189	11,287	10,744	24,348	27,891	17,281	17,358	245,472



OTHER ONSITE REUSE INITIATIVES

Streamlined Alternative Water Program Tied into Development Review

Zoning Review	Land Use Review			Commercial Plan Review
Ex: PUDS	Development Assessment (optional)	Subdivision/ Plat	Site Plan	Building Permit
Designates “uses” (e.g. residential, commercial, or industrial), the size of buildings, and how buildings relate to their surroundings, including other buildings, open spaces, and the street.	A voluntary (and free) review step that developers may elect to undergo in order to obtain guidance on subsequent permitting processes.	A map of land that has been subdivided into lots showing the location and boundaries of individual parcels with the streets, alleys, easements, and rights of use over the land of another.	Review of detailed architectural and engineering designs of proposed improvements to a tract of land. Alternative Water Review	Review of detailed architectural and engineering designs of buildings and accessory structures. Alternative Water Review



Questions?

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Manager, Austin
Central Library





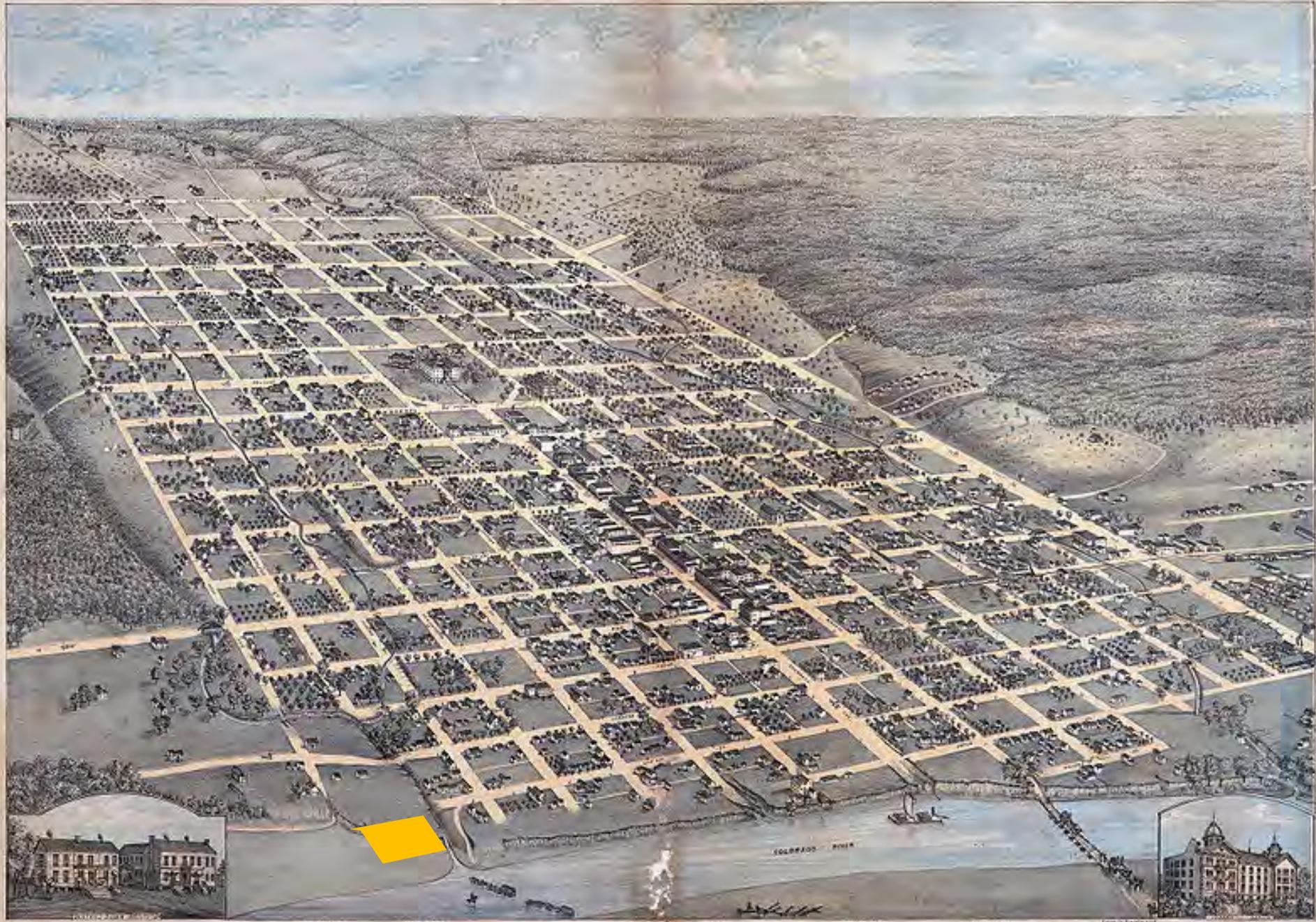
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austin, texas



ON SITE WATER REUSE

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REFERENCES:
 • City Clerk
 • Justice Court Office
 • Commercial Bank
 • Exchange Bank
 • Commercial Hotel
 • Court House

REFERENCES:
 • Dr. H. & M. Hall Place
 • Church St. (1870) from Washington St.
 • Capitol
 • Jail
 • Prison
 • Cemetery

BOOKS FOR THE CITY OF
AUSTIN
 TRAVIS COUNTY TEXAS

REFERENCES:
 • Journal
 • History
 • Commerce
 • Railroad Company
 • Insurance

REFERENCES:
 • City of Austin
 • City of Austin

Project team

Client: City of Austin, Austin Public Library, Austin Public Works
Joint Venture Architect: Lake Flato + Shepley Bulfinch
Construction Manager: Hensel Phelps
Engineer -Structural: Datum Engineers, PE Structural Consultants
Engineer - Mechanical: Jose I. Guerra Inc.
Engineer - Electrical: Jose I. Guerra Inc.
Engineer - Plumbing: Encotech Engineering
Engineer - Civil: Urban Design Group
Landscape Architect: Coleman and Associates
Cost Estimator: Eudacorp
Acoustic Consultant: Dickensheets Design Associates
ADA Consultant: Accessology
LEED Consultant: Holos Collaborative
Security Consultant: BLW Security Group
Environmental: Baer Engineering & Environmental
Interior Design: Shepley Bulfinch
Furniture Procurement: West East Deign Group
Food Service Consultant: Cospers & Associates Inc.
Permitting: Austin Permitting
Fire Protection: Jensen Hughes
Building Enclosure: Simpson Gumpertz & Heger
Wayfinding: FD2S
Artificial Lighting: Clanton and Associates
Daylighting: Integrated Design Lab
Sustainability: Center for Maximum Potential Building Systems
Photovoltaic: Integral Group
Energy: Supersymmetry USA
Water: Biohabitats
Electrical Service: Harutunian Engineering Incorporated
Parking: Parking Planners
Public Art: Celia Munoz
Traffic: HVJ Associates

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TIMELINE

Dinosaurs roamed the earth

1980'S

Jonathan Smith spends time as a kid
at the Austin Public Library

NOVEMBER 2006

Voters approve a new central
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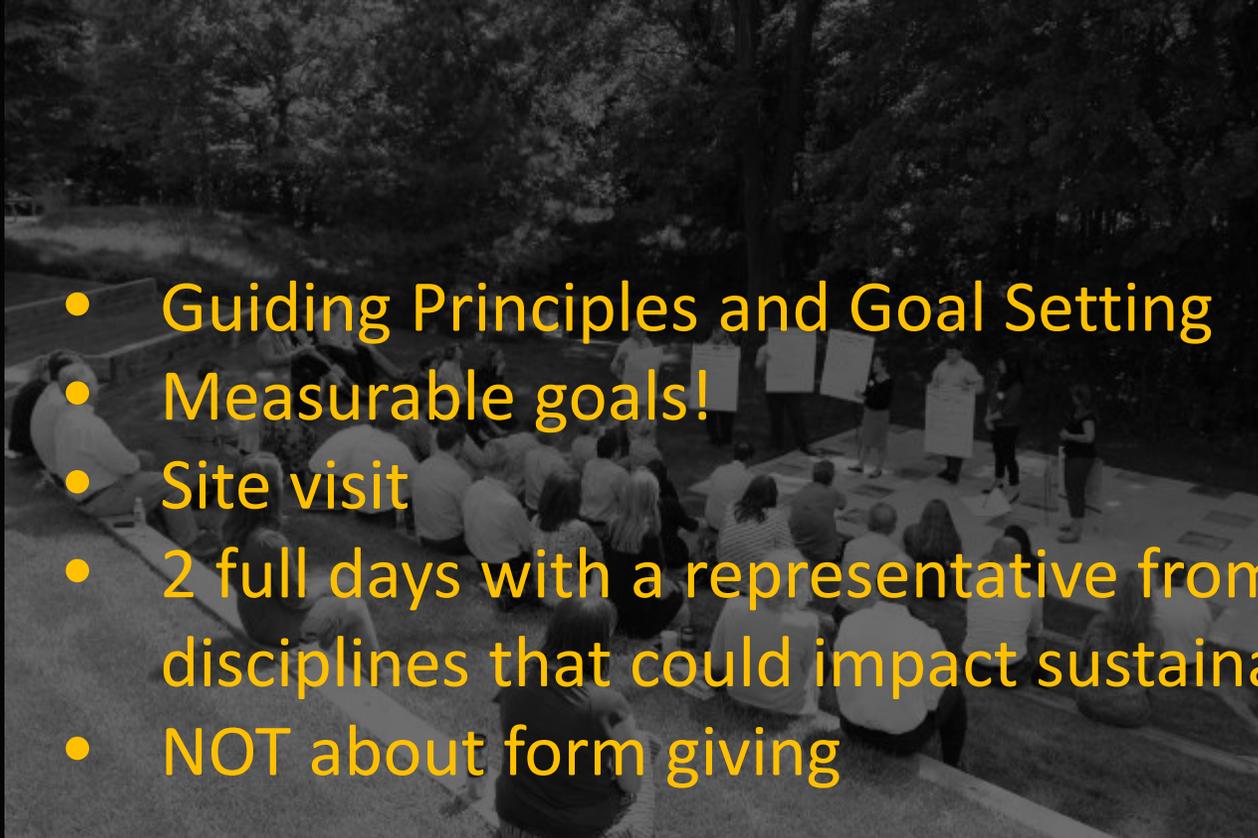
2,020,157

OCTOBER 28, 2017

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INTEGRATED DESIGN WORKSHOP

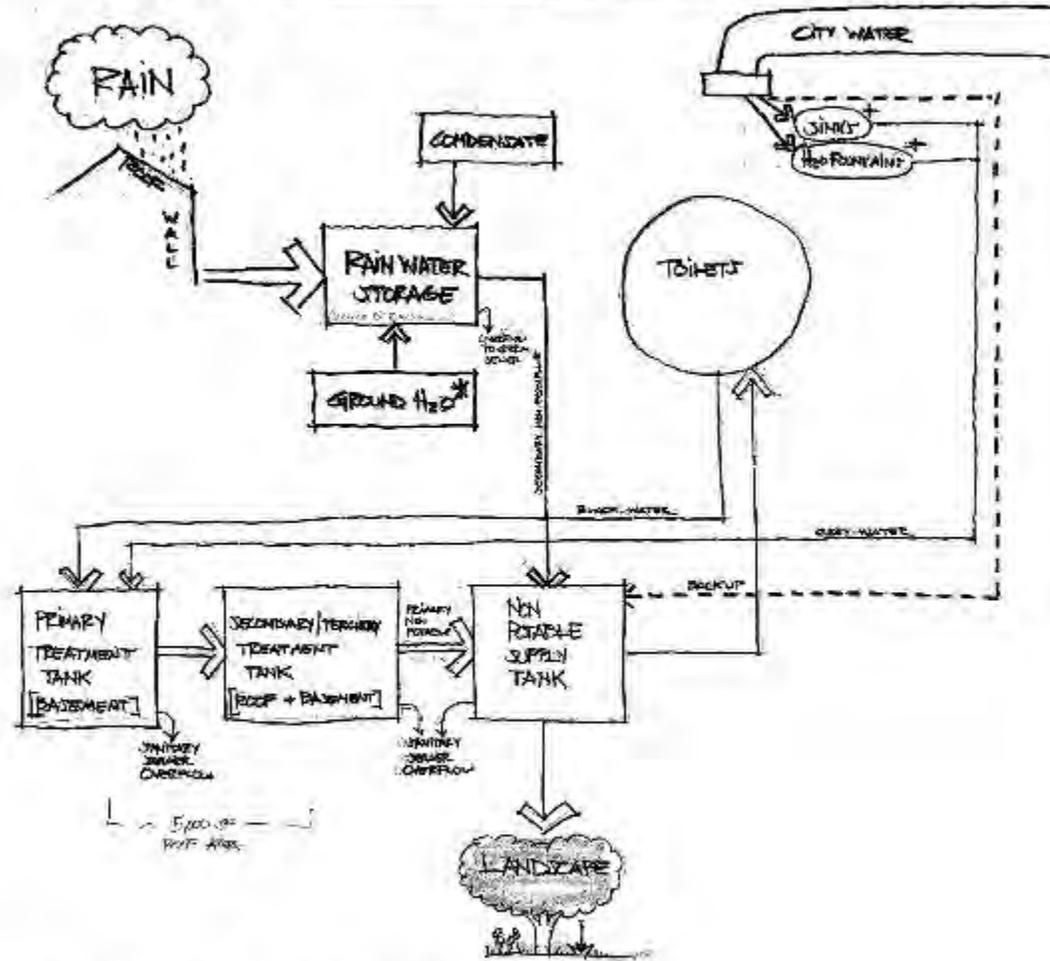
- Guiding Principles and Goal Setting
- Measurable goals!
- Site visit
- 2 full days with a representative from all disciplines that could impact sustainability
- NOT about form giving



ASPIRATIONS

- The best daylit library in America
- A hub for knowledge and learning
- Adapt gracefully to change
- Potable water used only for drinking
- 64% reduction in energy
- Engage the natural world

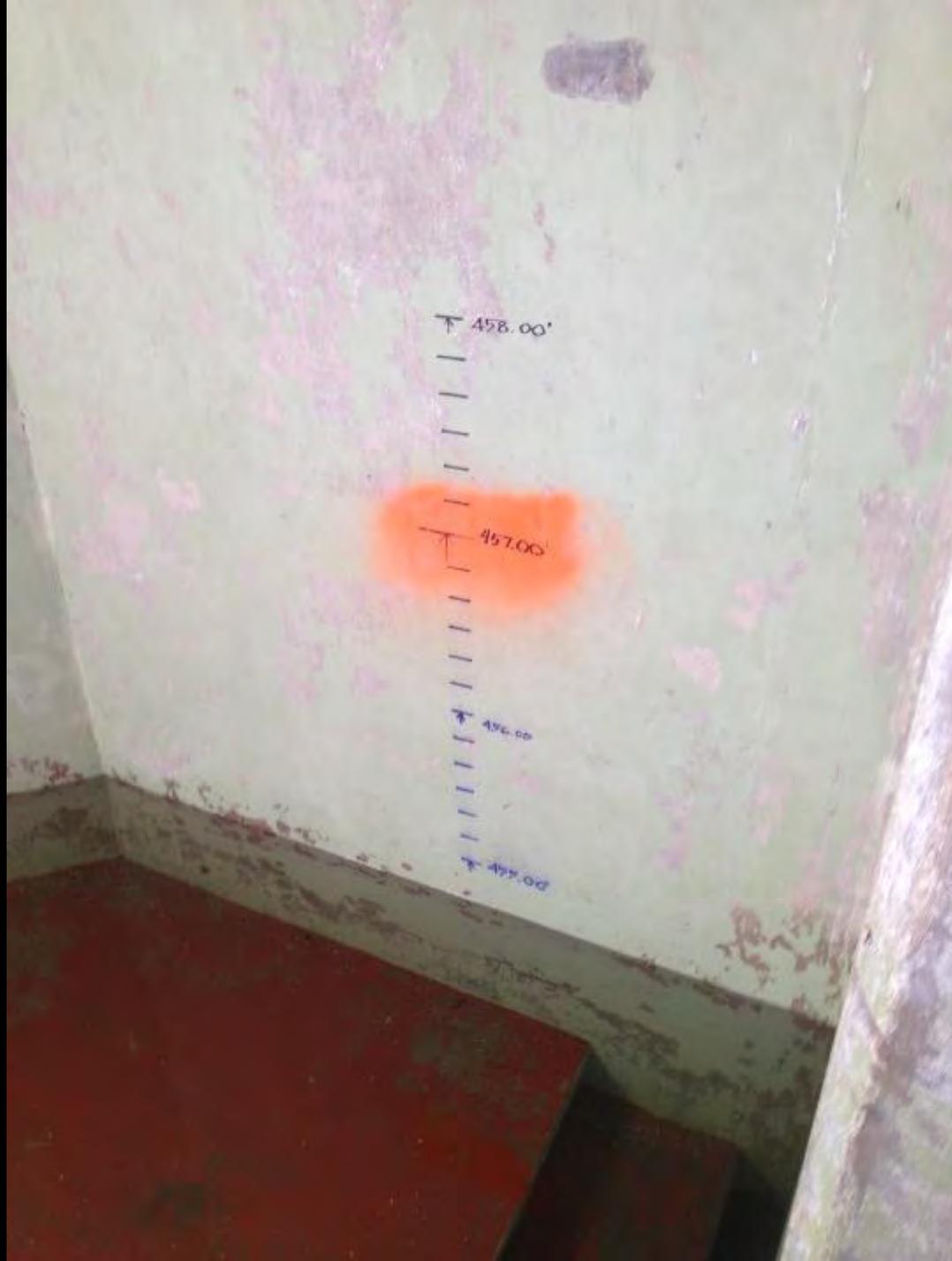
LIBRARY H₂O CYCLE



* PENDING TESTING (BROWNFIELD SITE)

+ PENDING RAIN USE FOR POTABLE SUPPLY





ASPIRATIONS

POTABLE WATER TO BE USED ONLY FOR DRINKING &



THIS IS WHAT
373,390 GALLONS
OF WATER LOOKS
LIKE.







CURRENT METRICS



REGULAR OCCUPIED SPACES DAYLIT



ENERGY REDUCTION OVER ASHRAE 90.1



POTABLE WATER REDUCTION - IRRIGATION



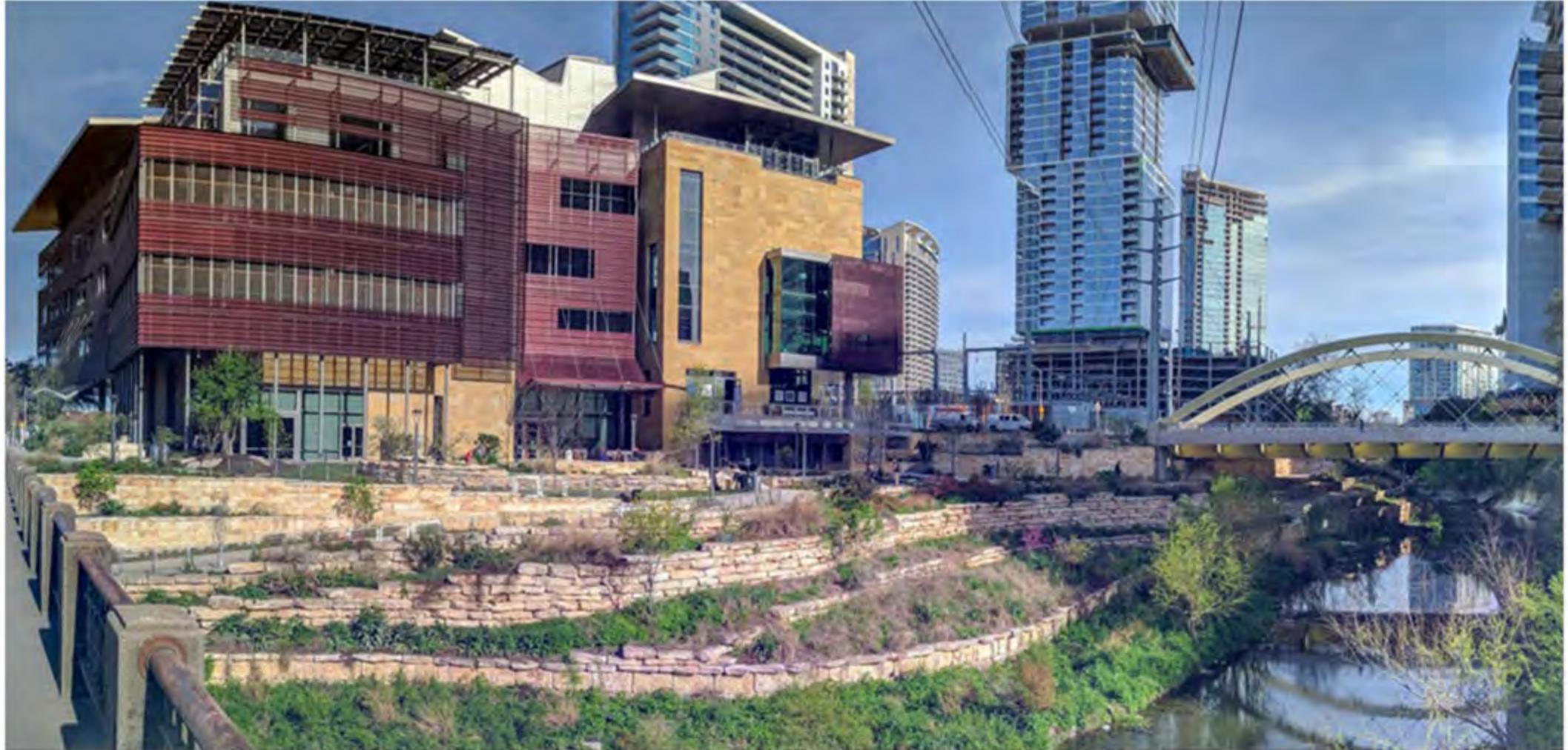
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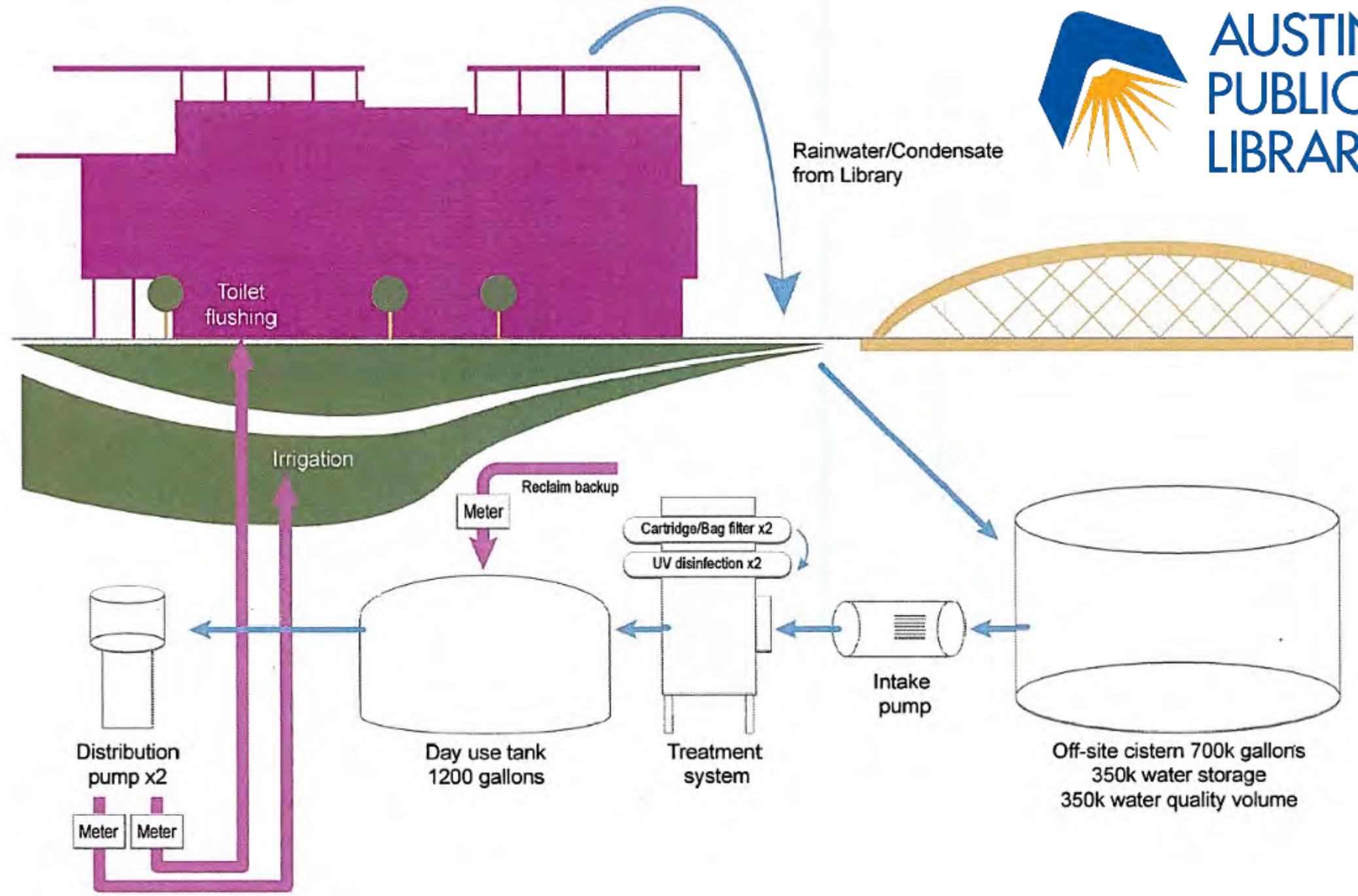


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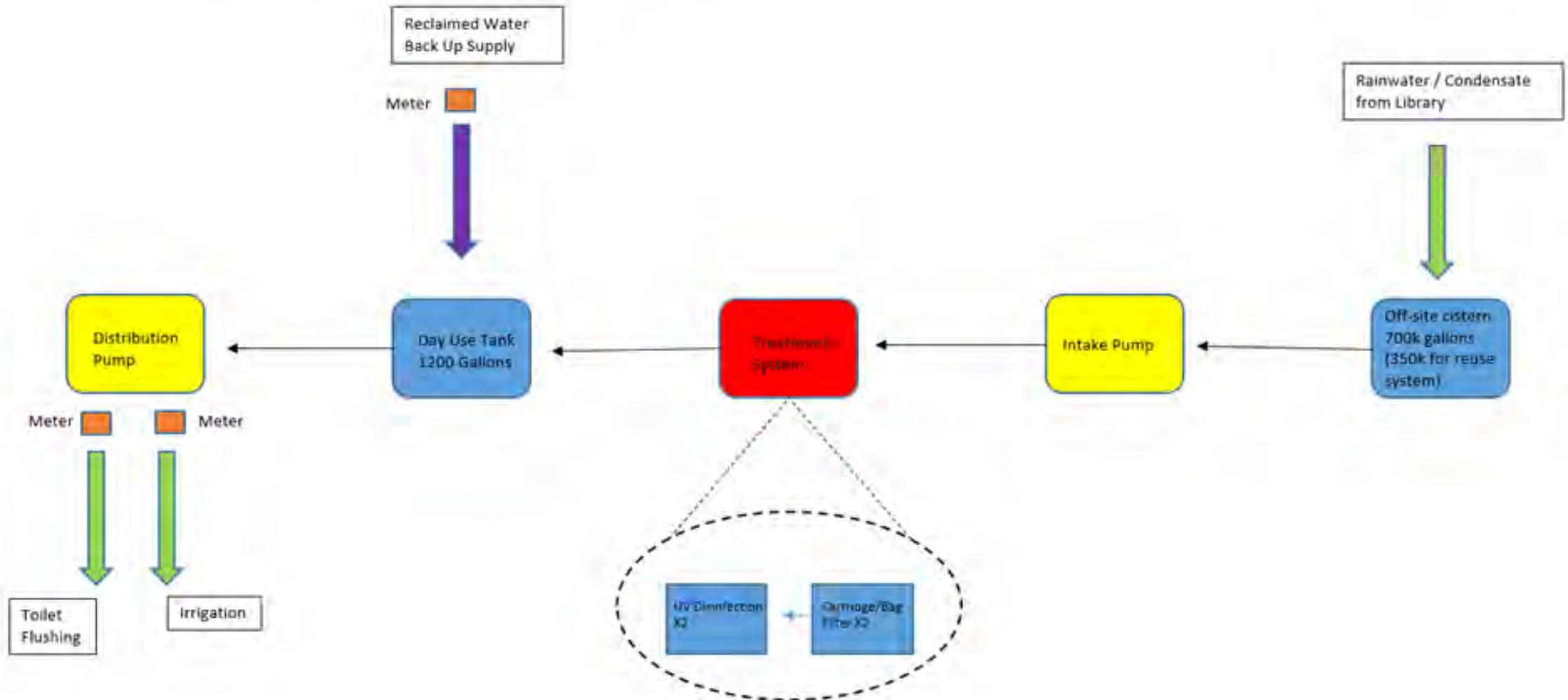
CERTIFIED LEED PLATINUM

New Austin Central Library On-site Water Reuse System





System Design



Reuse System



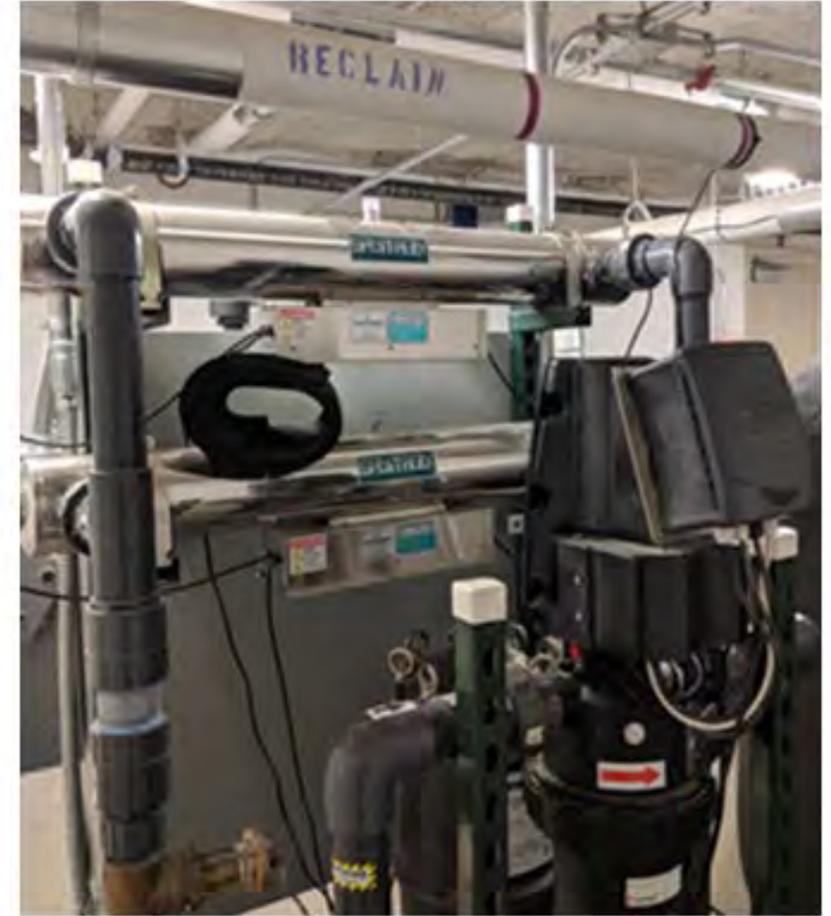
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Source Intake



Treatment Run





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Day Use Tank

Distribution



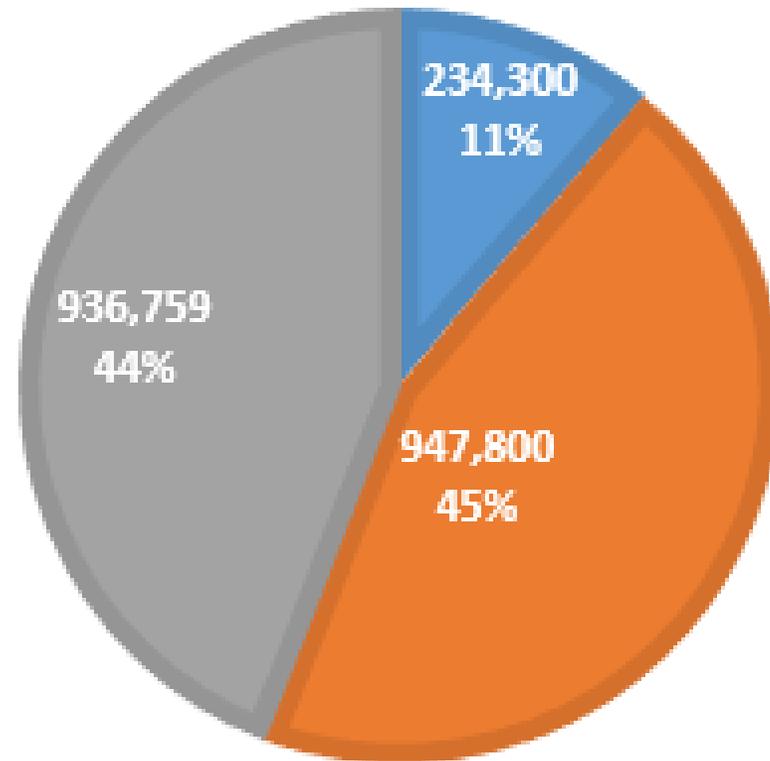
Usage



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WATER BALANCE OCTOBER 2017 - AUGUST 2018

■ Domestic ■ Irrigation ■ Toilet



Lessons Learned

- Anticipate Start Up Issues
- Be thoughtful of diagnostic/metering points
- Long term Operation and Maintenance concerns
- Be invested in system function and performance

Break



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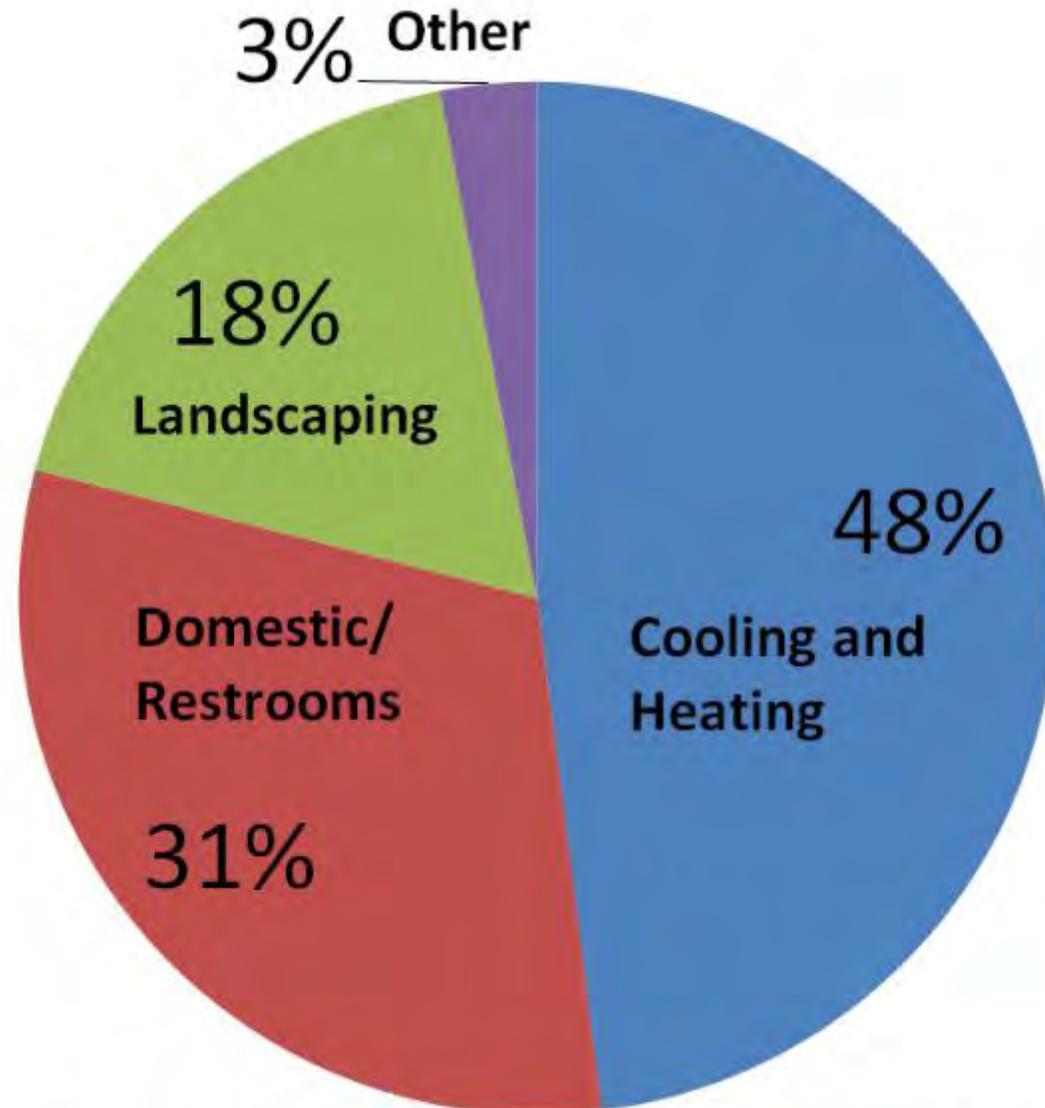


Large Scale On-site Water Reuse System Installation



Chris Maxwell-Gaines, P.E.

Water Use in Commercial Buildings



Alternative Onsite Water Sources

- Lake/River Water
- Well Water
- Reclaimed Water
- AC Condensate
- Rainwater Harvesting
- Stormwater / Shallow Groundwater
- Graywater



Issues with Commercial Systems

- Not budgeting correctly or understanding true costs
- No design or “Over” design
- Stormwater Management AND/OR Water Conservation
- System appropriateness and aesthetics
- Building/Project integration issues
- Component specifications
- Not understanding backflow requirements



Austonian Tower: RW to AC Condensate Collection

Completed January 2010

Collect approximately 1.2 million gallons of condensate per year

(8) 1,600 gallon cisterns installed on 9th floor under swimming pool

Complete irrigation of 10th floor Amenity Deck







Eagle Veterinary Clinic Olmos Park, Texas LEED rated Platinum

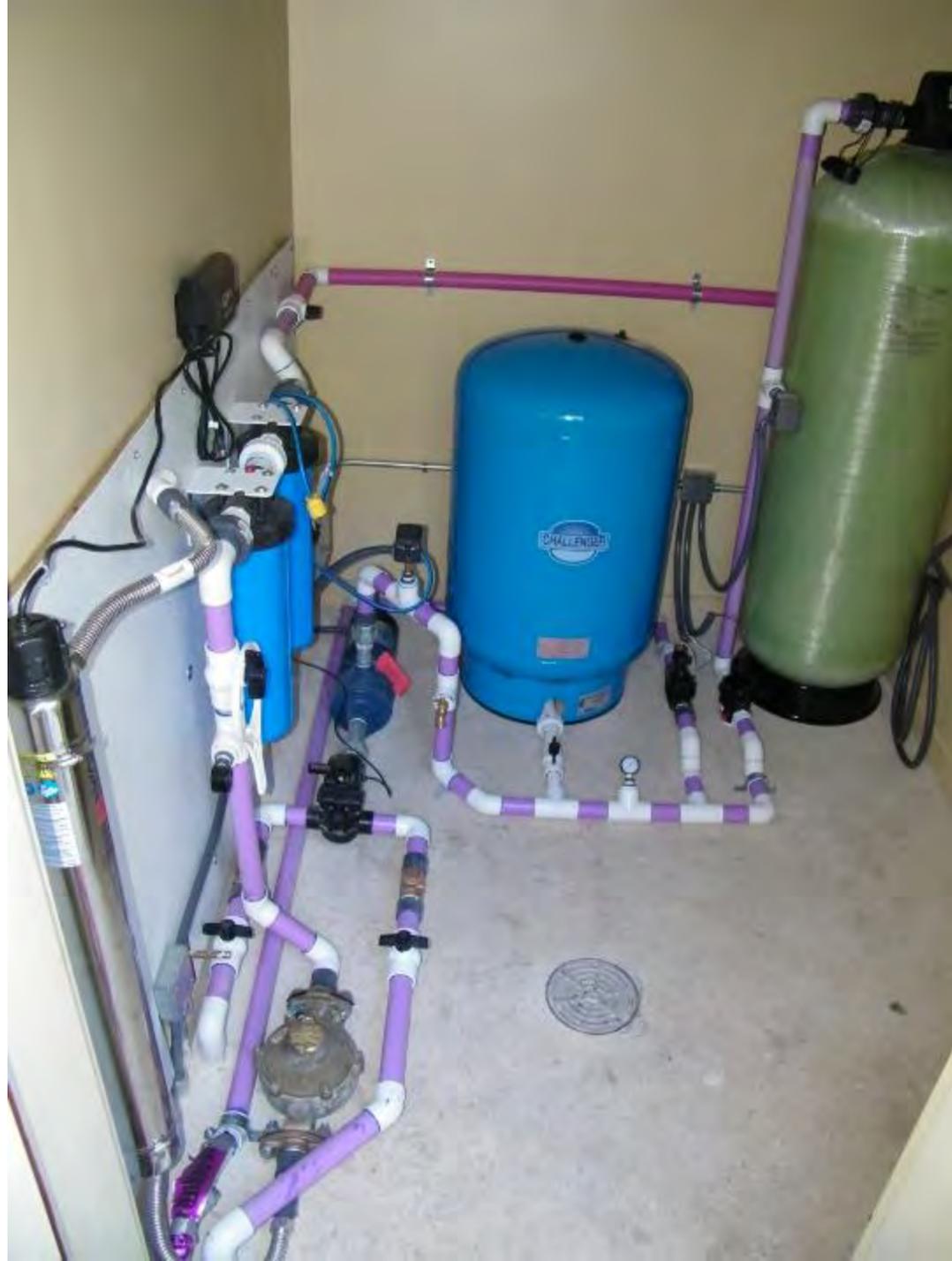
Collection from 8,000 square feet

Collects rainwater and AC condensate

(3) 3,200 gallon rainwater cisterns
provide water for irrigation and indoor
non-potable uses







San Antonio

Condensate Collection and Use Manual for Commercial Buildings



<https://raincat.ch/sawsac>

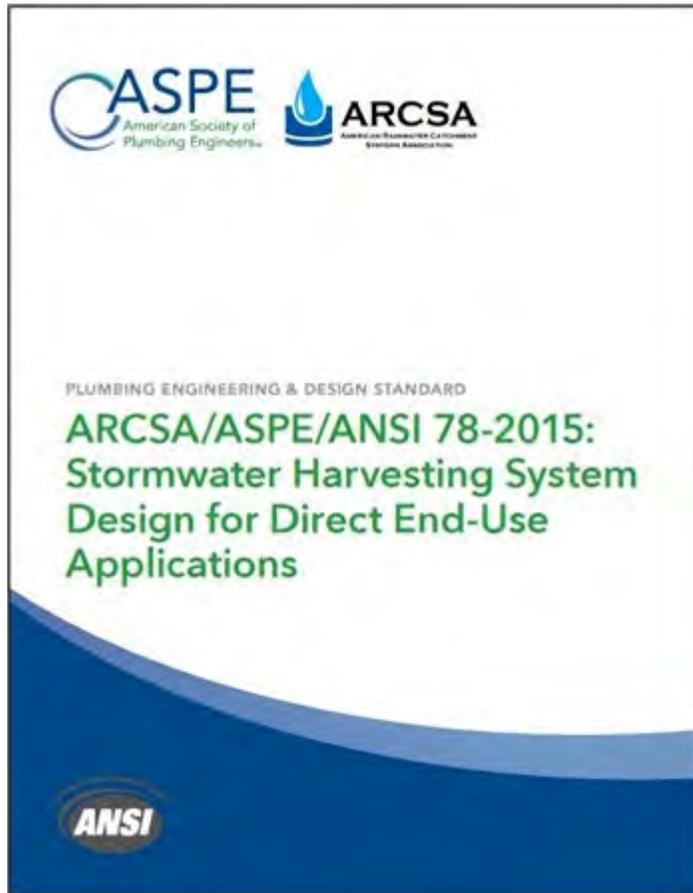
- Published in 2013
- Growing interest among design professionals
- Outlines potential issues, uses, system designs, and treatment options

ARCSEA/ASPE/ANSI 63-2013: *Rainwater Catchment Systems*



- Approved on November 14, 2013
- Jointly developed by ASPE and ARCSEA
- Co-sponsored by IAPMO and NSF International
- Assist engineers, designers, plumbers, builders/developers, local government officials, and end users in safely implementing a rainwater catchment system using precipitation from rooftops

ARCSEA/ASPE/ANSI 78-2015: *Stormwater Harvesting System Design*



- Approved on August 3, 2015
- Jointly developed by ASPE and ARCSEA
- Co-sponsored by IAPMO and NSF International
- Provides guidance on how to install and maintain a safe alternative to utility-provided water and to optimize stormwater utilization to reduce dependence on municipal potable water systems

Dripping Springs Sycamore Springs School

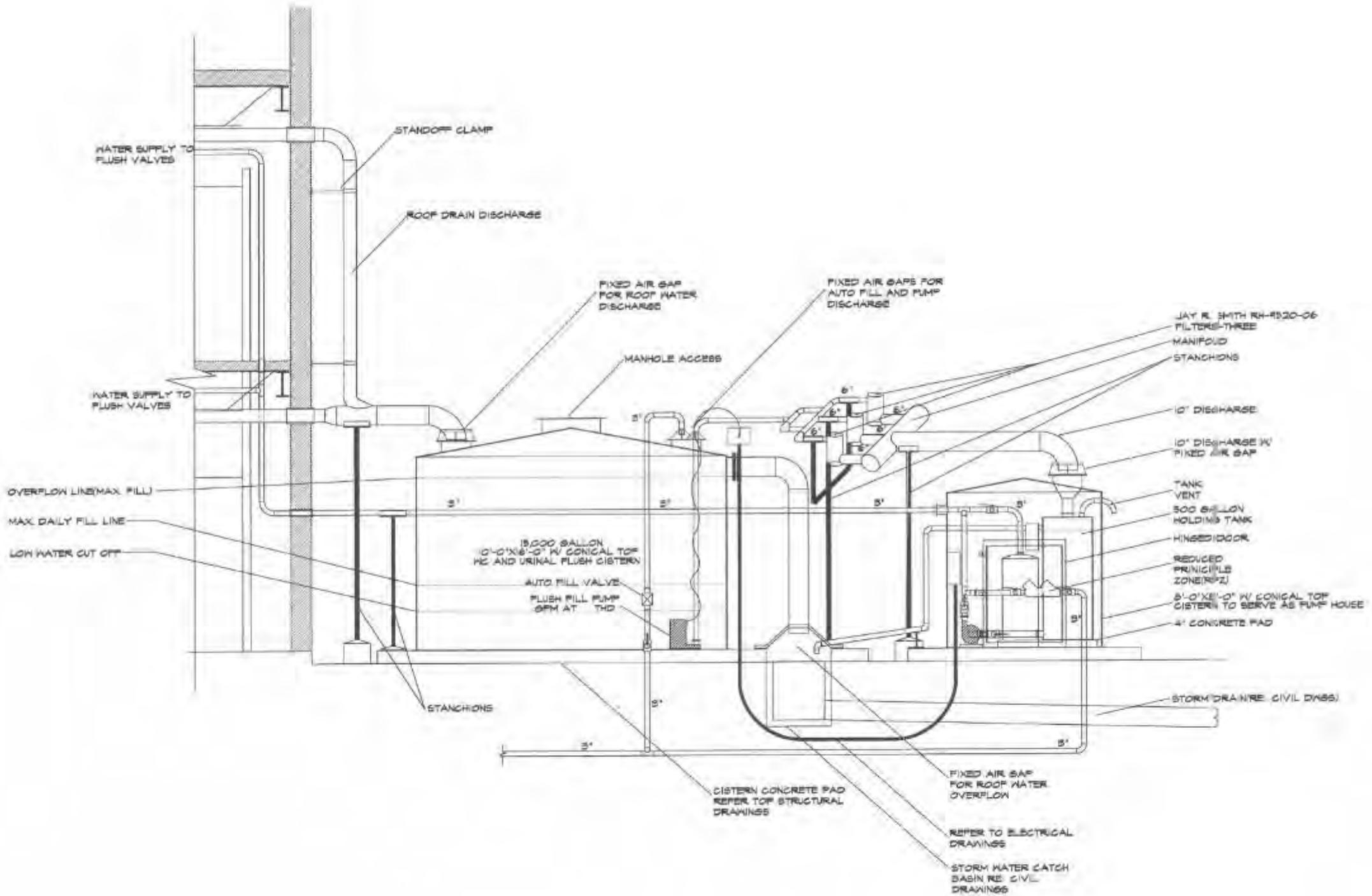
Completed July 2017

Two systems for toilet flushing which harvests rainwater into 15,000 gallon tanks

One system for irrigation use which harvests rainwater into 10,000 gallon tank

System redesign





WATER SUPPLY TO FLUSH VALVES

STANDOFF CLAMP

ROOF DRAIN DISCHARGE

FIXED AIR GAP FOR ROOF WATER DISCHARGE

FIXED AIR GAPS FOR AUTO FILL AND PUMP DISCHARGE

MANHOLE ACCESS

JAY R. SMITH RH-4520-06
FILTERS-THREE
MANIFOLD
STANCHIONS

WATER SUPPLY TO FLUSH VALVES

10" DISCHARGE

OVERFLOW LINE (MAX. FILL)

10" DISCHARGE W/
FIXED AIR GAP

MAX DAILY FILL LINE

TANK VENT

LOW WATER CUT OFF

15,000 GALLON
10'-0" X 16'-0" W/ CONICAL TOP
WC AND URINAL FLUSH CISTERN

500 GALLON
HOLDING TANK

AUTO FILL VALVE
FLUSH FILL PUMP
0.9PM AT 1.2WD

HINGED DOOR

REDUCED
PRINCIPLE
ZONE (RPZ)

8'-0" X 16'-0" W/ CONICAL TOP
CISTERN TO SERVE AS PUMP HOUSE

4' CONCRETE PAD

STANCHIONS

STORM DRAIN (RE CIVIL DWGS)

CISTERN CONCRETE PAD
REFER TOP STRUCTURAL
DRAWINGS

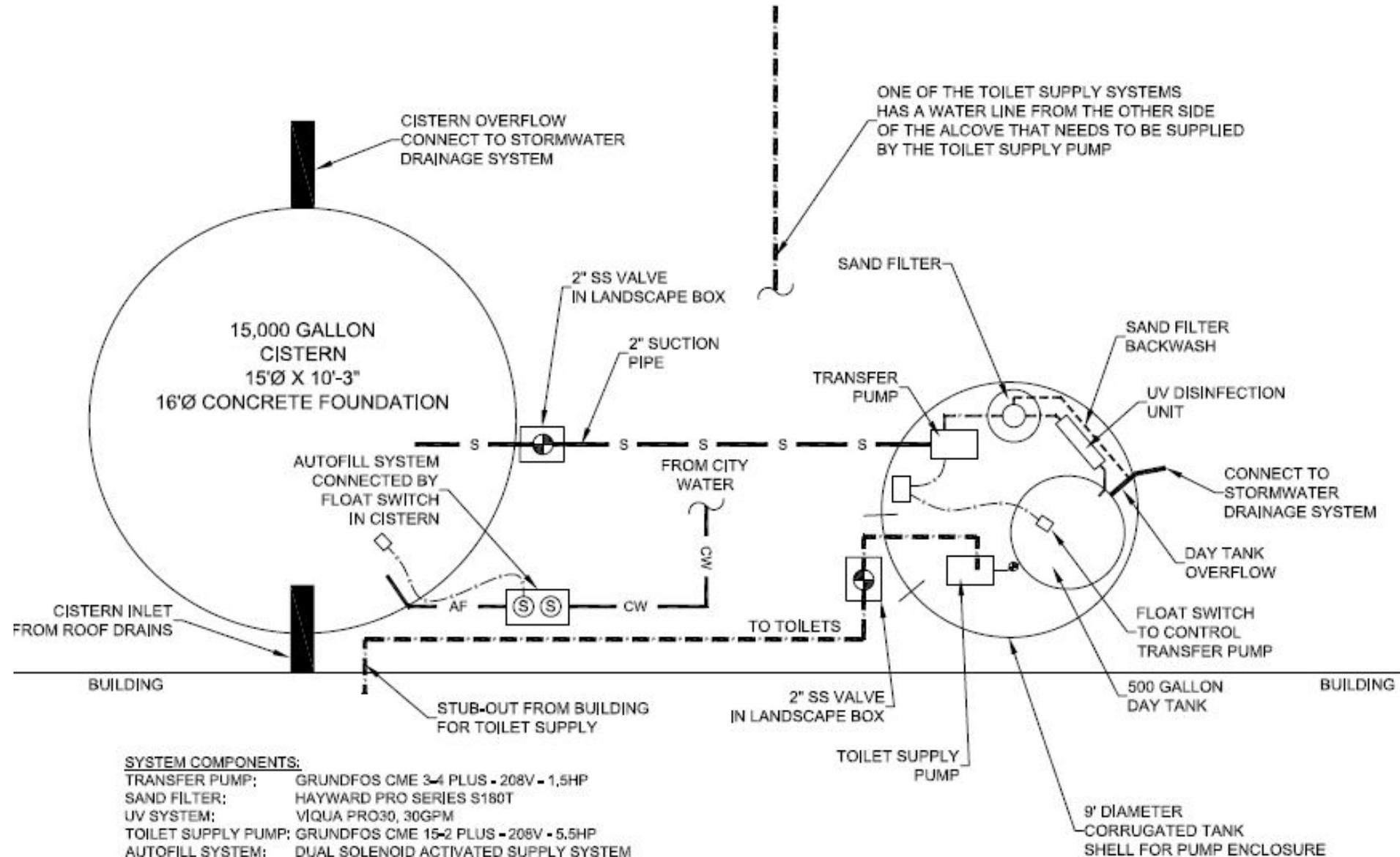
FIXED AIR GAP
FOR ROOF WATER
OVERFLOW

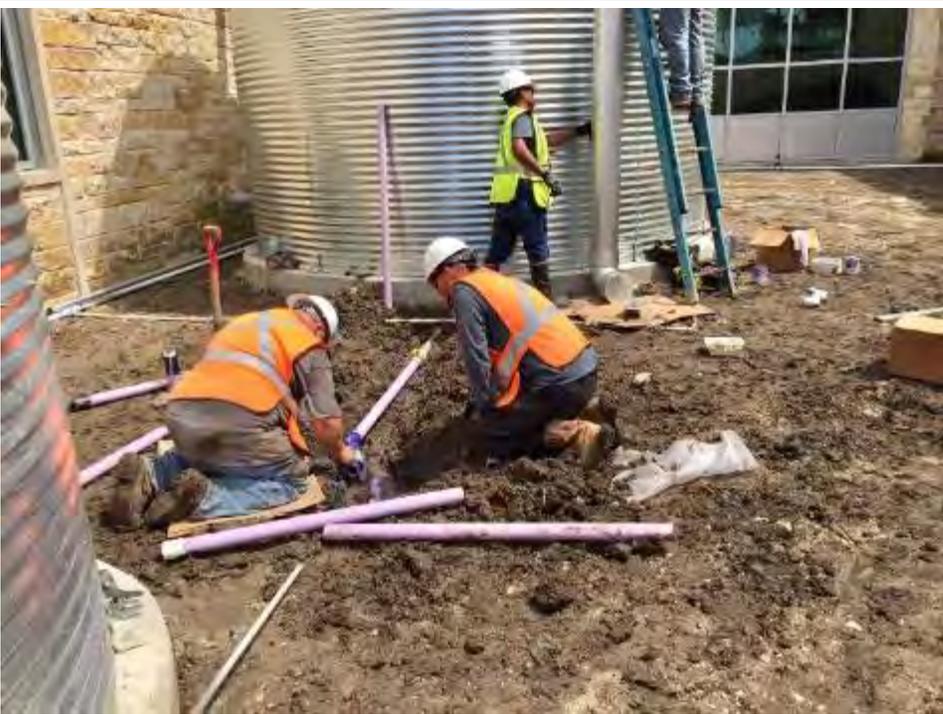
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DRAWINGS

STORM WATER CATCH
BASIN RE CIVIL
DRAWINGS



Rainwater System Schematic







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Hays ISD Buda Elementary School

Collection from 40,000 square feet and
AC condensate

(2) 50,000 gallon rainwater cisterns
provide water for irrigation



TAMU Ag Headquarters, College Station, TX

Completed Fall 2011

Canopy and buildings collect into (4)
7,500-gallon cisterns

Overflow into 40,000-gallon
underground cistern

Irrigation use









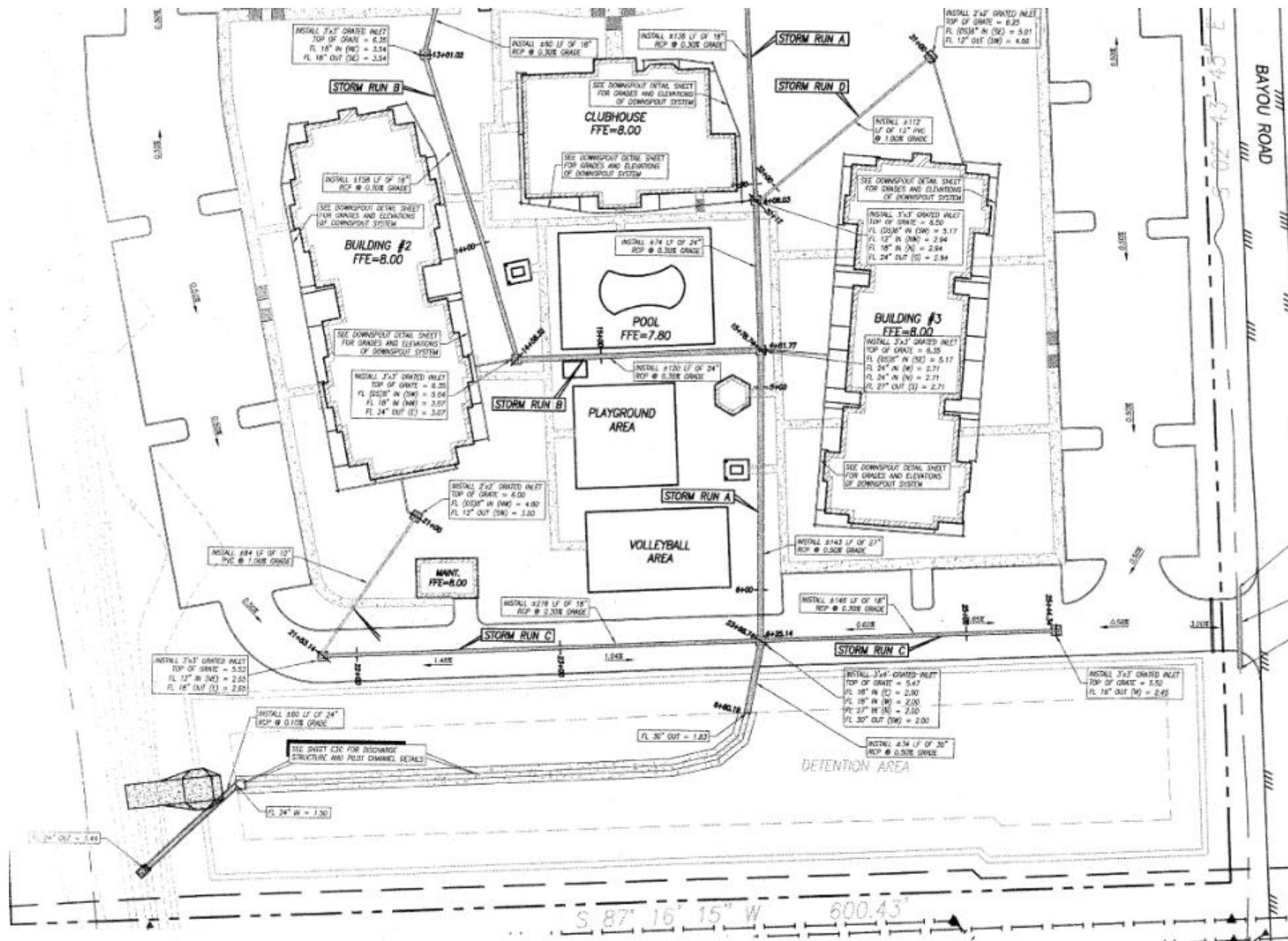


Horizon Meadows Apartments, LaMarque, TX

Collection from 21,750 square feet

(2) 31,000 gallon rainwater cisterns
provide water for irrigation

Adaption of existing stormwater piping
system







Retrofit a Commercial Site with Stormwater Harvesting







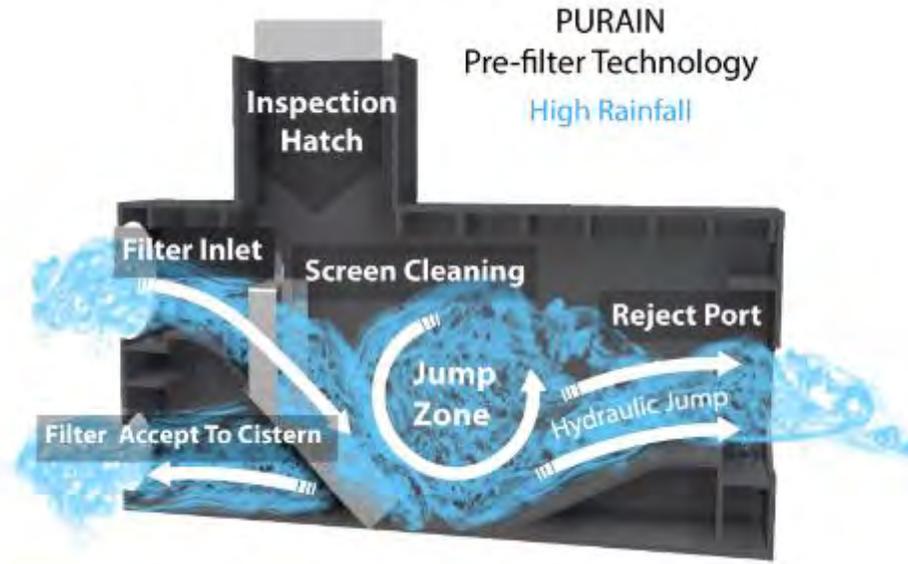


Large System Components

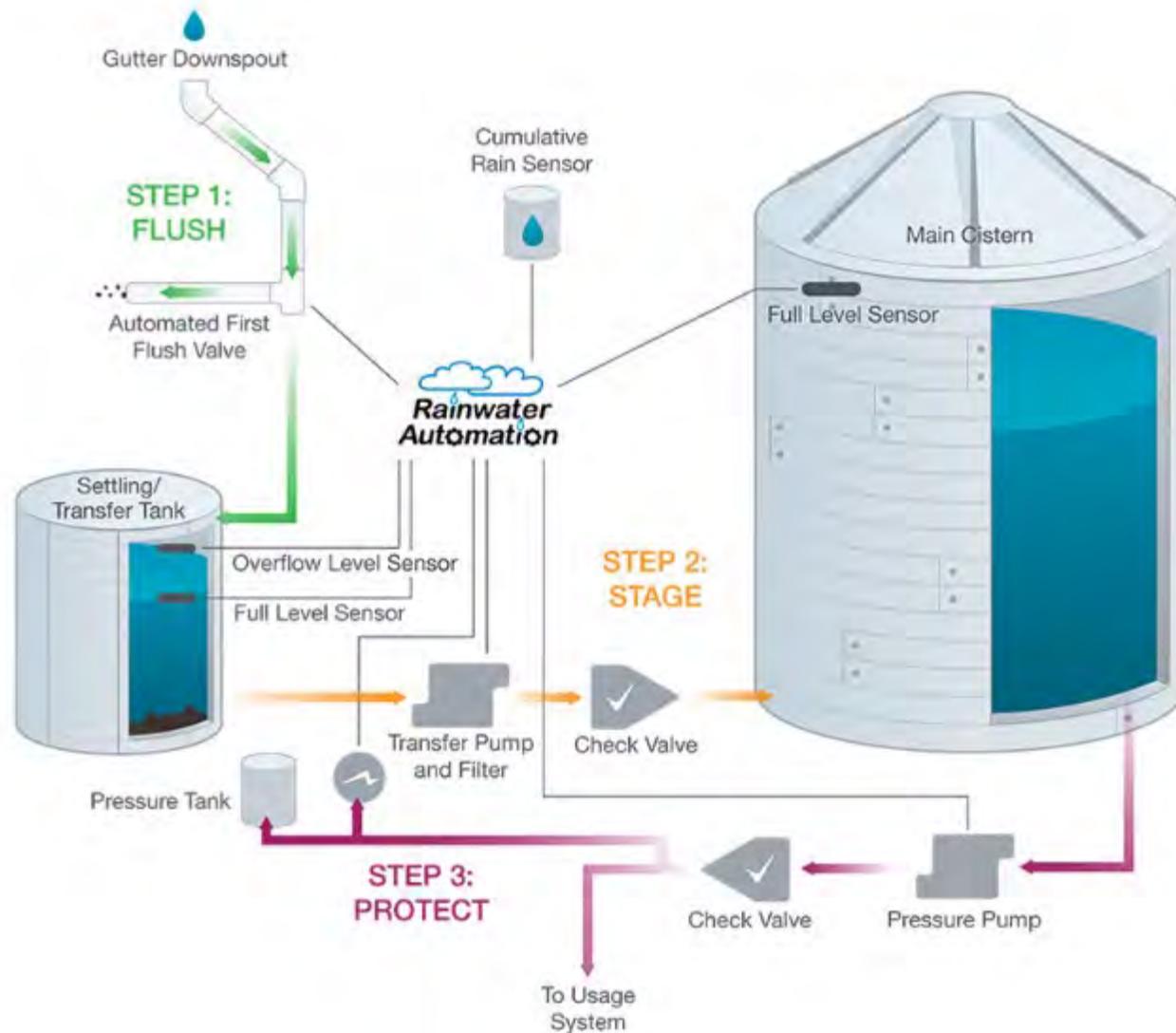
- Inlet filtration
- First-flush diversion
- Pump / filtration systems
- Water storage tanks
- Backflow prevention
- Graywater systems



Inlet Filtration



First-Flush Diversion



Pump / Filtration Systems



Constructed Pump / Filter System

Pump / Filtration Systems



Skid Mounted Pump / Filter System





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Graywater Systems: Aqualoop

NSF 350 Certified

The AQUALOOP system consists of a few modular components:

- Pre-filter
- Growth bodies
- Membrane station with system control
- Membranes
- Blower



Intewa Aqualoop



Dual Plumb to Future Proof



Questions?

Thank you for your attention today!

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RYAN Companies





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PROJECTS DELIVERED IN
**NEARLY EVERY
STATE**

REVENUE
\$2.0 BILLION

1,200+
EMPLOYEES

DAYS AWAY FROM WORK
DUE TO INJURY:

**94% BELOW
INDUSTRY AVERAGE**

**HEALTHCARE
INDUSTRIAL
RETAIL
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COA PDC Office + Parking Garage

251,000 SF Office

969 Stall Parking Garage

Ryan's Responsibility

- Development
- Design + Construction

Completion Date: May 2020





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Water Reclamation System - RFP

5,000 GPD System

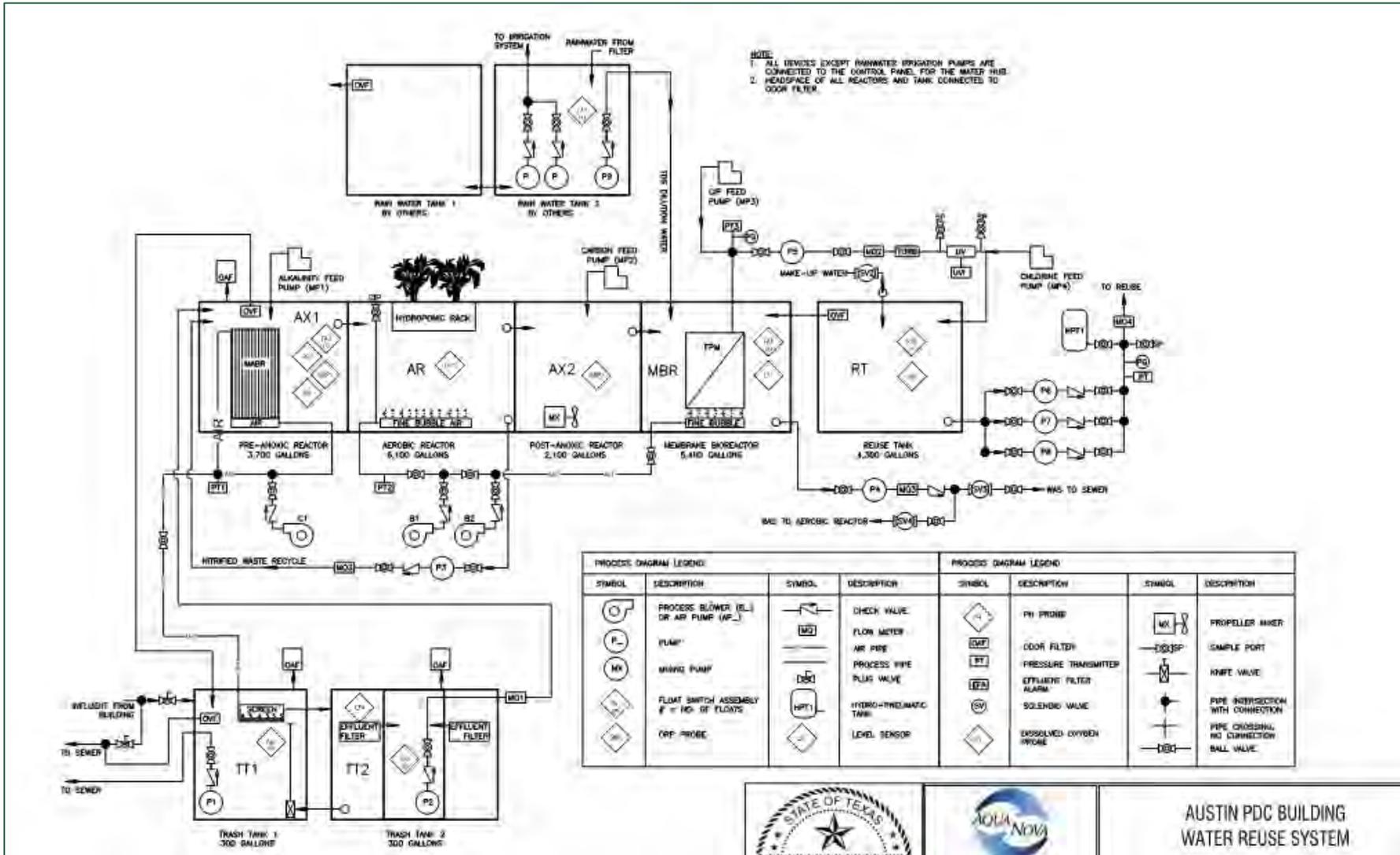
Recycle toilet waste water for re-flushing toilets.

Goal: Reduce potable water consumption by 60-70%





Primary Screening -> Pre-Anoxic Reactor -> Hydroponic Reactor (Plants) -> Post Anoxic Reactor -> Membrane Filtration -> Disinfection



AUSTIN PDC BUILDING
WATER REUSE SYSTEM

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Considerations/Opportunities

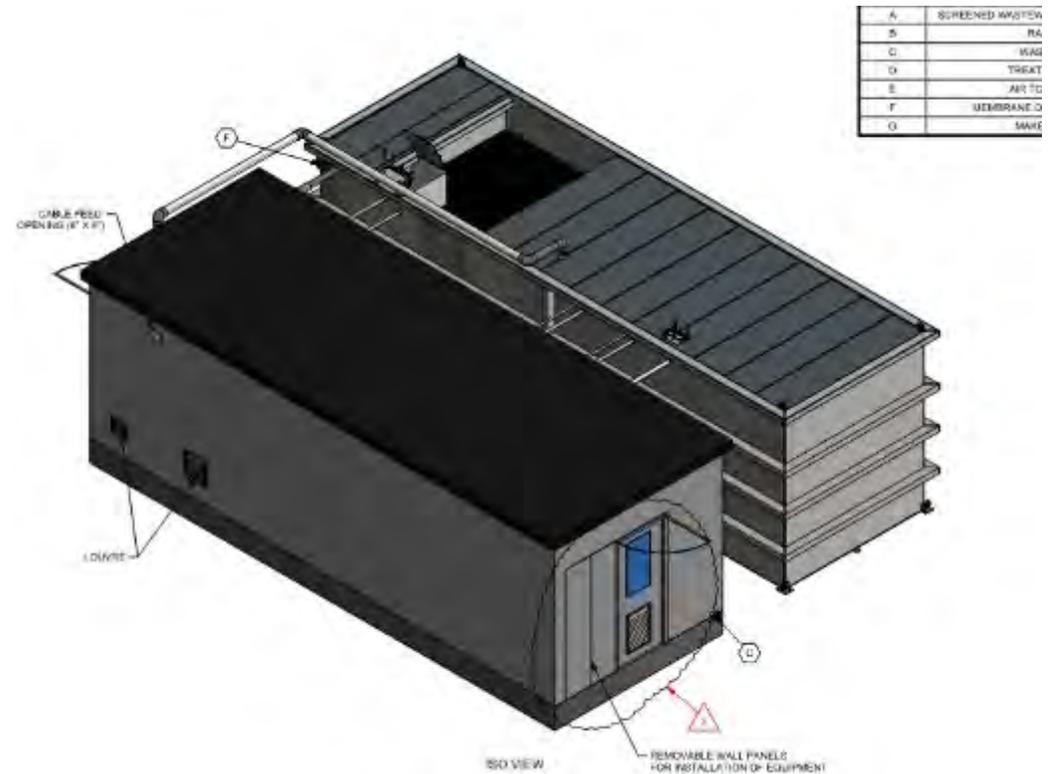
- Size of the System: 40' x 40'
- How to conceal system yet provide visibility?
- Future Maintenance and Operation of System
- Above vs Below Grade
- Schedule



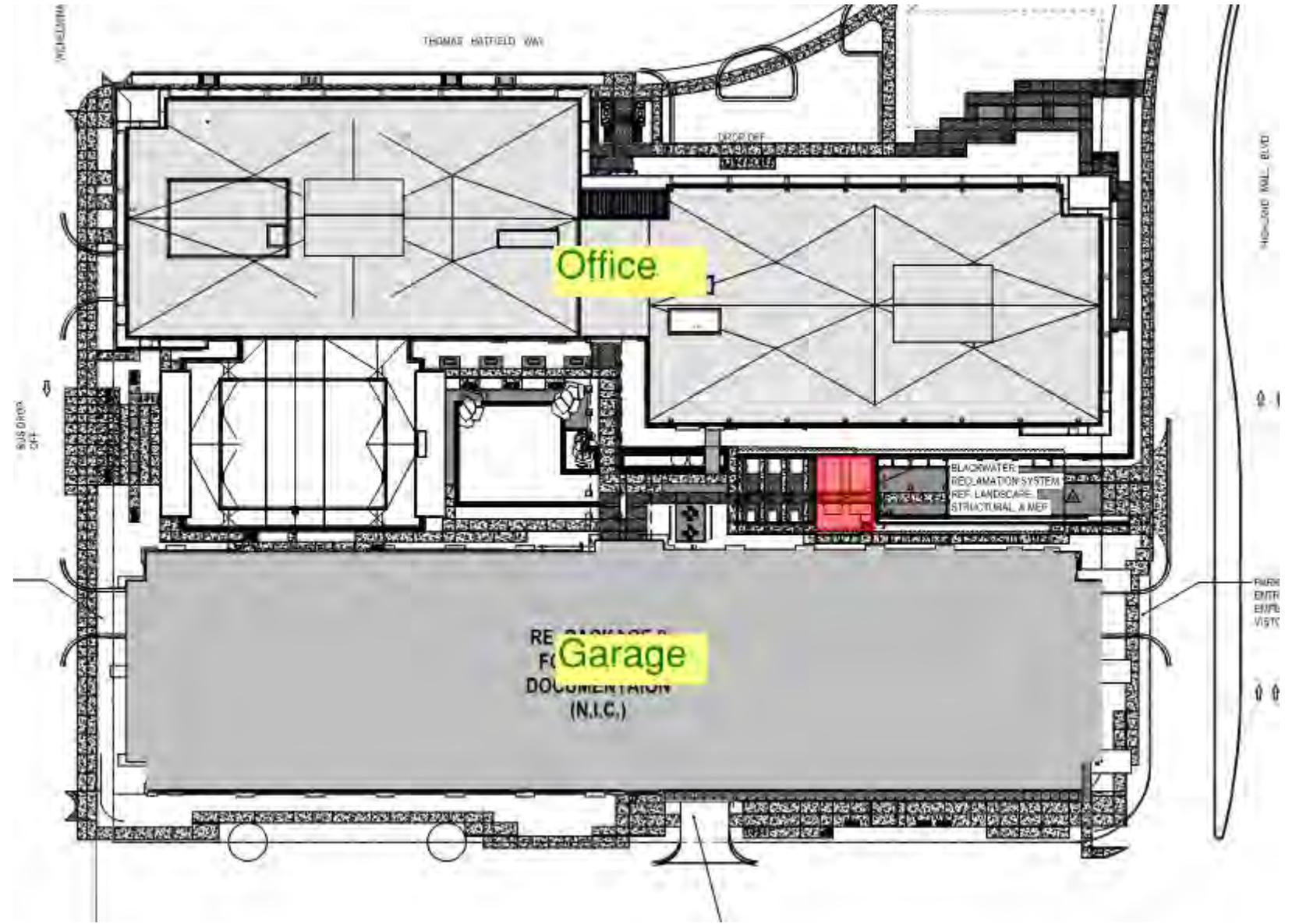


Outcomes

- Give System It's Own Space
- Locate System Above Grade, Outside of Buildings
- Prefabricate System Off Site
- Prefabricated Tank and Mechanical Buildings
- Deliver to Site -> Plug and Play



Where Does This Thing Go On Site?





Lessons Learned

- Meet with TCEQ Early for Permitting Discussion
- Set Up Utilities To Isolate System if Needed
- Lift Station May Be Required
- Prefabricate As Much As Possible, Plug and Play
- One Year+ From Vendor Selection to Delivery
- Need Occupants for Final Commissioning

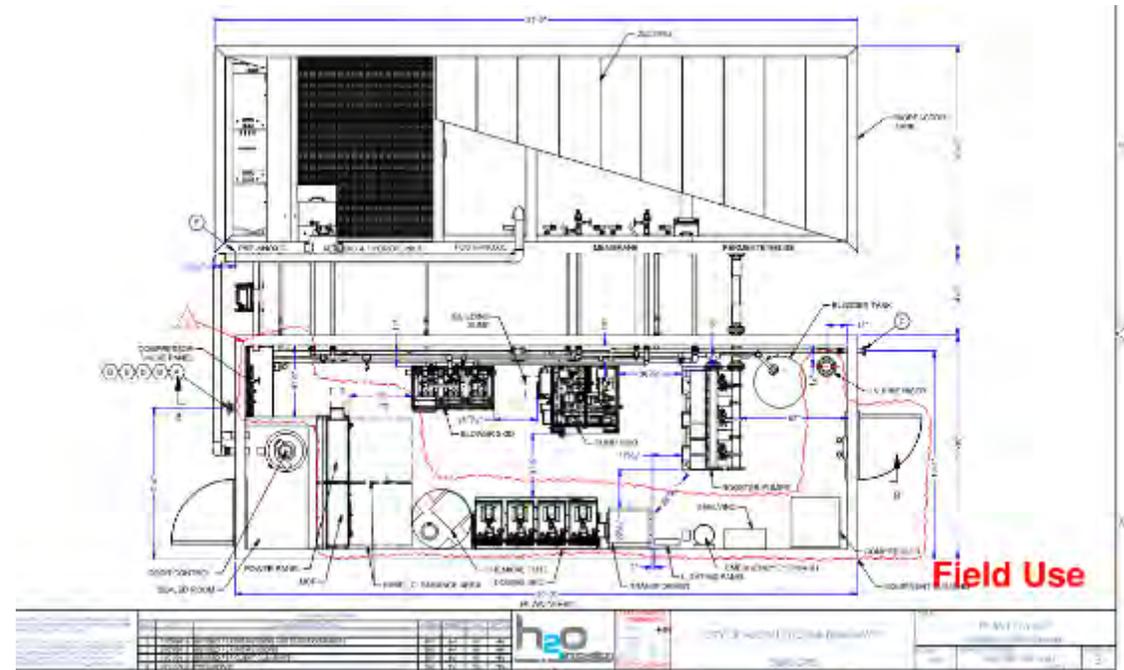


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What's Next?

- **Acquire TCEQ Permit:**
 - July 2019
- **Prefabrication Plant Visit:**
 - September 2019
- **System Delivery:**
 - October 2019
- **Hook Up System / Pre Test:**
 - Nov 2019 Thru April 2020
- **Bio Ramp Up:**
 - May 2019
- **Full Waste Water Flow:**
 - August 2019



Questions?



Amelia Luna, PE, LEED AP, ENV SP

Sherwood Design
Engineers



On-site Non-potable Water Systems: Drivers for Owners from a National Perspective

Alternative On-site Water Use Workshop

AUSTIN WATER - June 25, 2019

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ENV SP

Project Manager (Water/Wastewater)

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Food for Thought...

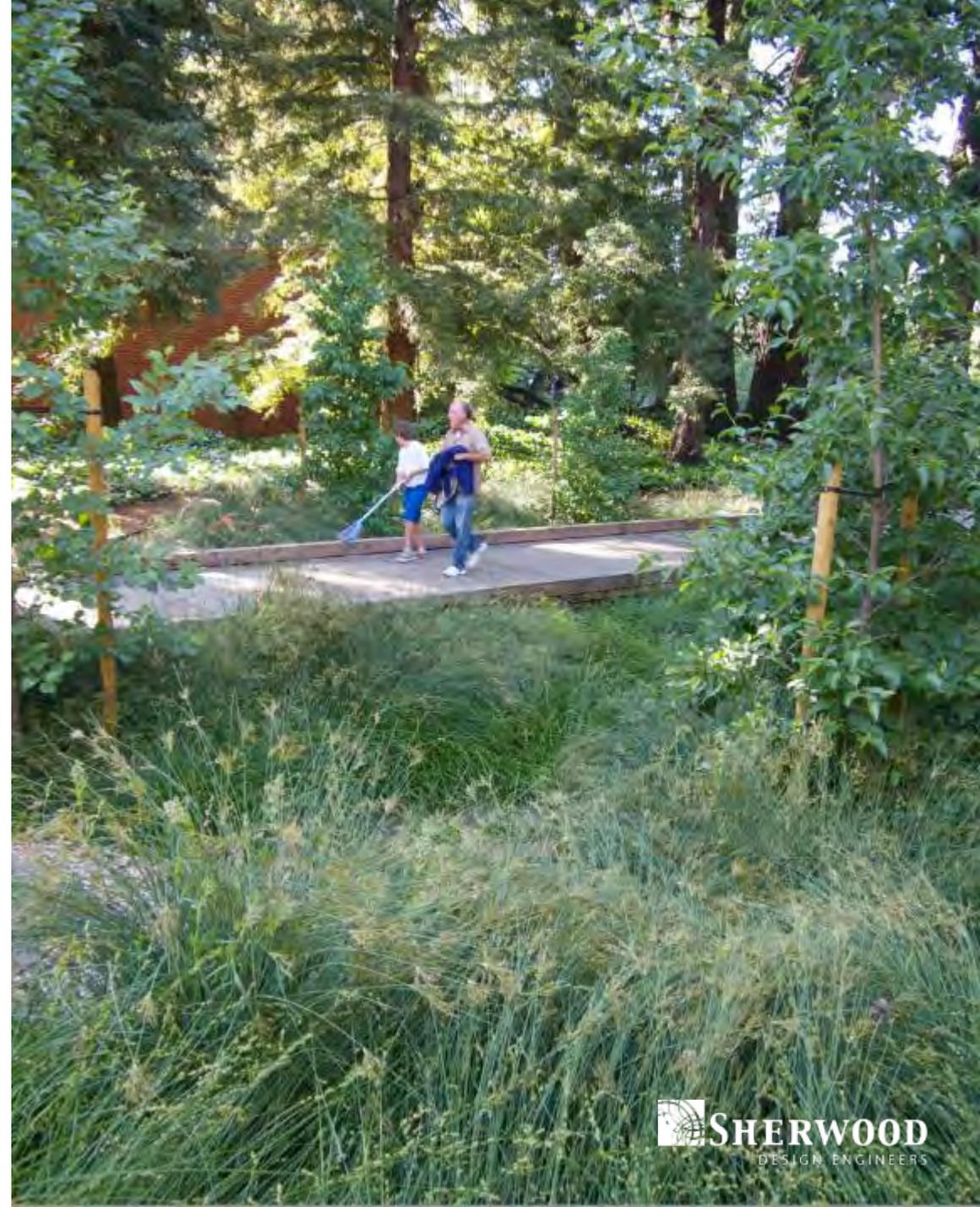
1. On-site non-potable water systems can be a transformative opportunity

...but there is a risk that the benefits may not be realized, so...

2. Consider all driving forces

...because a one-size-fits-all approach does not work!

3. Changes to market demands are driving developers away from “business-as-usual” thinking.



“For utilities and developers, ONWS can be a means of complying with new regulations while maximizing the social, environmental, and economic benefits of each project.”

– US Water Alliance, *Making the Utility Case for Onsite Non-Potable Water Systems*

Mutually Beneficial Outcomes

Developers

1. Insulation from market volatility
2. Potential to reduce connection fees
3. Return on investment
4. Increase allowable density (FAR)
5. Demystify water entitlements process for predictable outcomes and to meet permitting schedules

Utilities

1. Bolster regional infrastructure
 - Flexibility + Resilience
 - ONWS as “second line of defense”
2. Contribute to a diverse future water supply (reuse as conservation)
3. Help meet wastewater treatment needs
4. Potential to defer capital-intensive projects

Agenda

It is abundantly clear that our society must reevaluate the way in which we use and dispose of water if we are to avoid serious environmental, social, and economic hardships.

- Amazon Reviewer,
Water 4.0 by David Sedlak

1. Project Delivery Considerations

2. Water Balance

3. Water Characterization

4. Business Case Studies

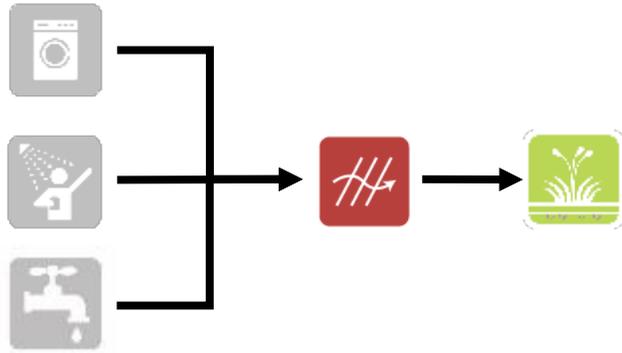
5. Design Solutions

6. What's Next for the Industry?

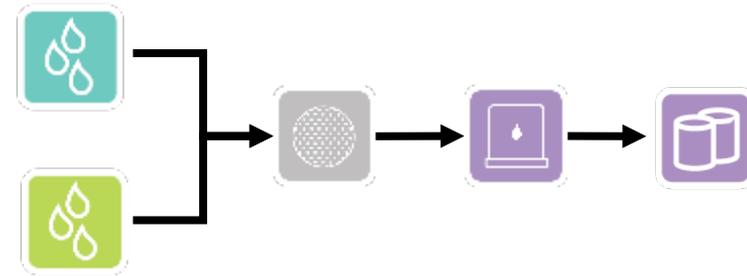
PROJECT DELIVERY CONSIDERATIONS

What is the opportunity?

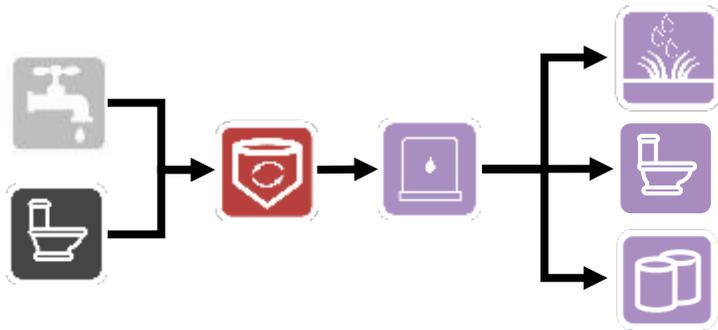
RESIDENTIAL BUILDING: graywater can be separately drained, filtered and reused for subsurface irrigation.



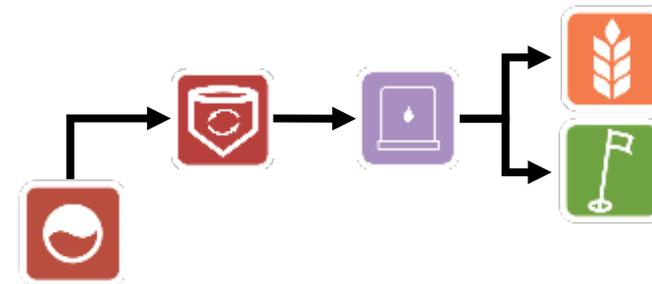
COMMERCIAL BUILDING: Precipitation can be harvested, treated, stored and reused as makeup for evaporative cooling applications.



SITE: Wastewater from buildings can be treated and reused to irrigate landscapes, flush toilets and provide cooling makeup.



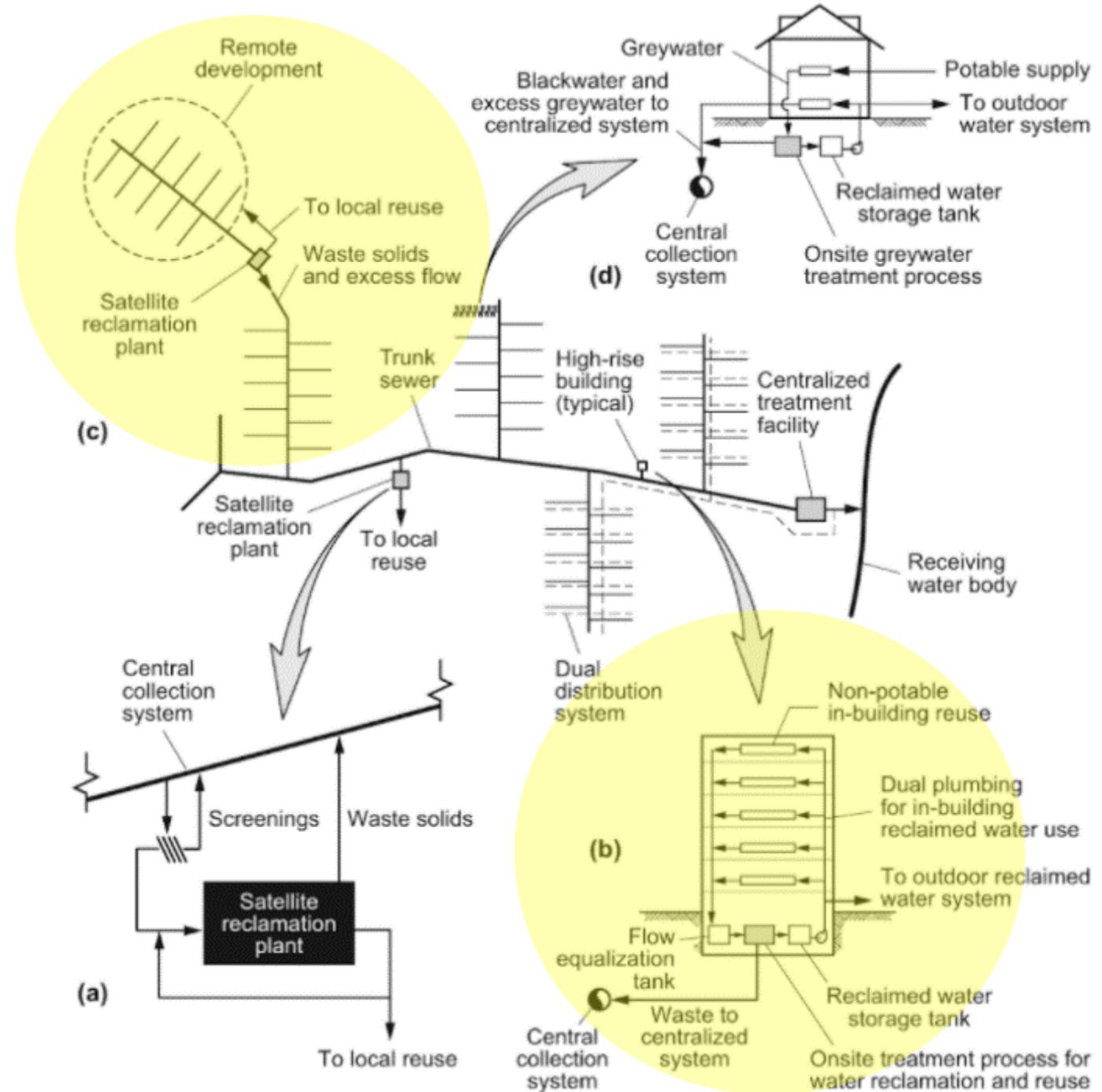
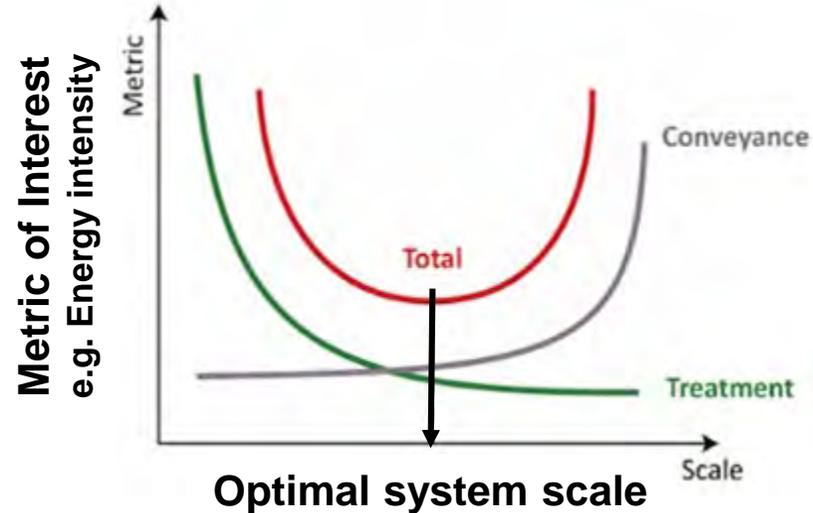
DISTRICT: Wastewater can be mined from a nearby sanitary sewer, treated and reused to irrigate crops and golf courses.



Location + Scale

- Urban (satellite)
- Remote (decentralized)
- Water infrastructure is spatially sensitive

Scale/Location	Treatment Energy	Distribution Energy
Centralized	40%	60%
On-site	85%	15%



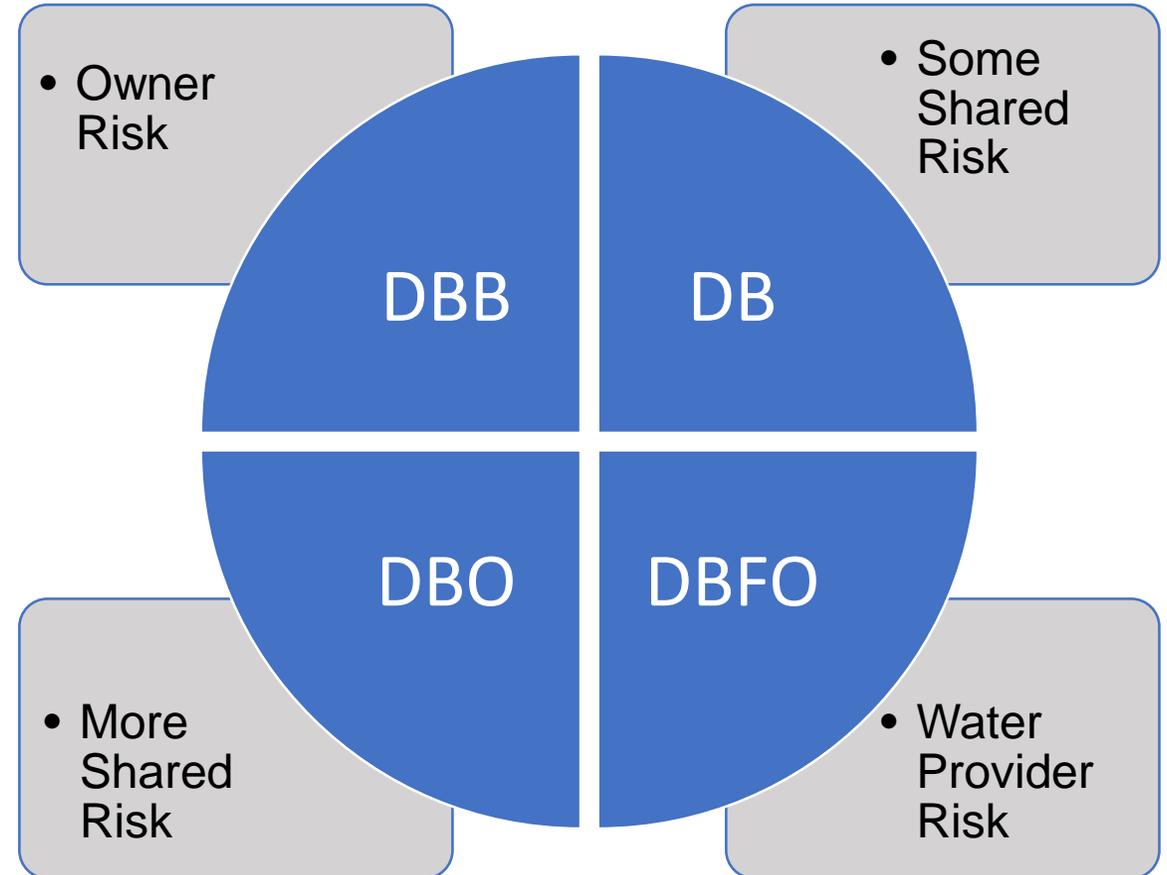
Ownership Typologies

- **Terminology**

- Project Delivery:
Design (D), Bid/Build (B), Finance (F)
- On-going:
Operate (O), Maintain (M),
Monitoring + Reporting (M+R)

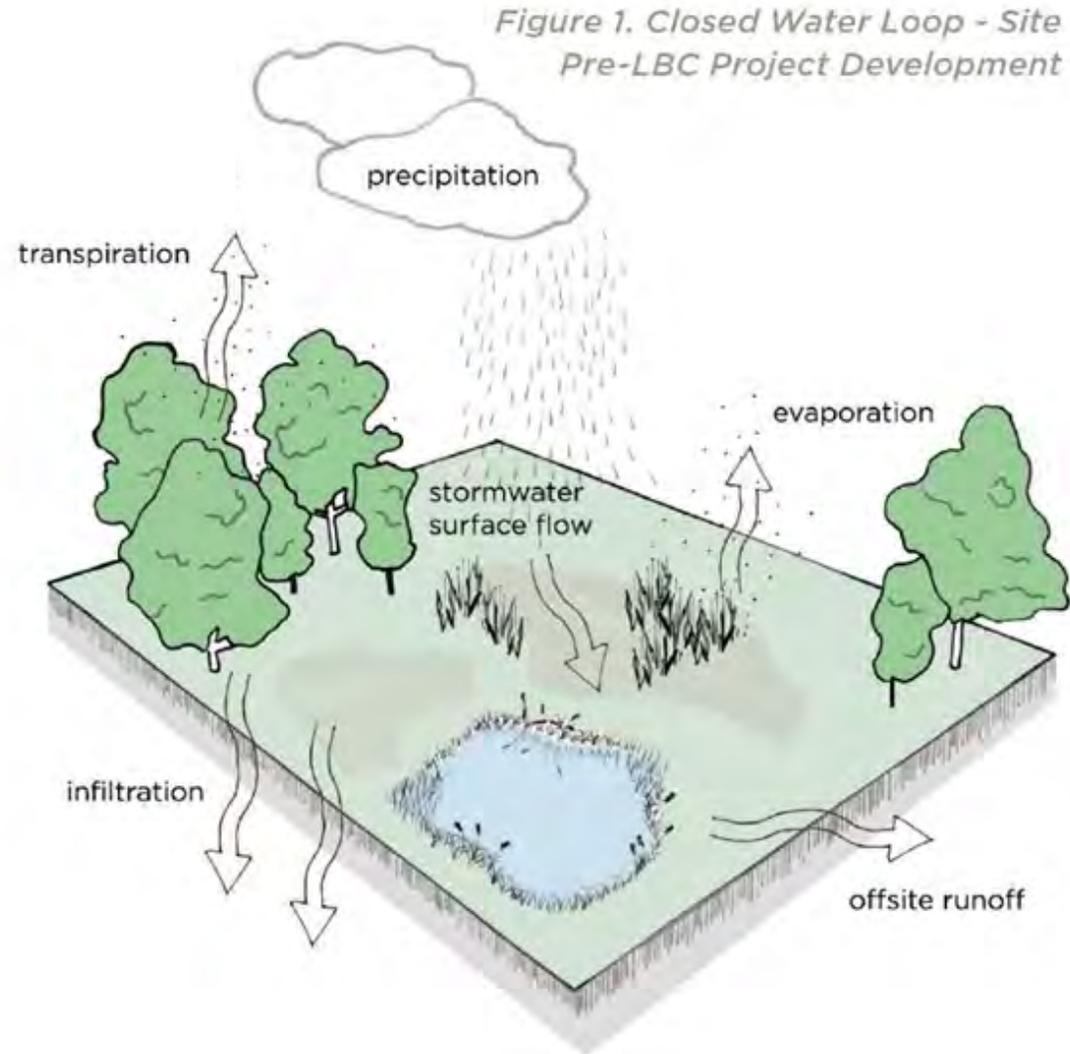
- **Development**

- Owner-Builder → Owner-Occupied
(campuses)
- Developer-Builder → Ownership Transfer
(everything else)
- Public-private partnerships (P3)

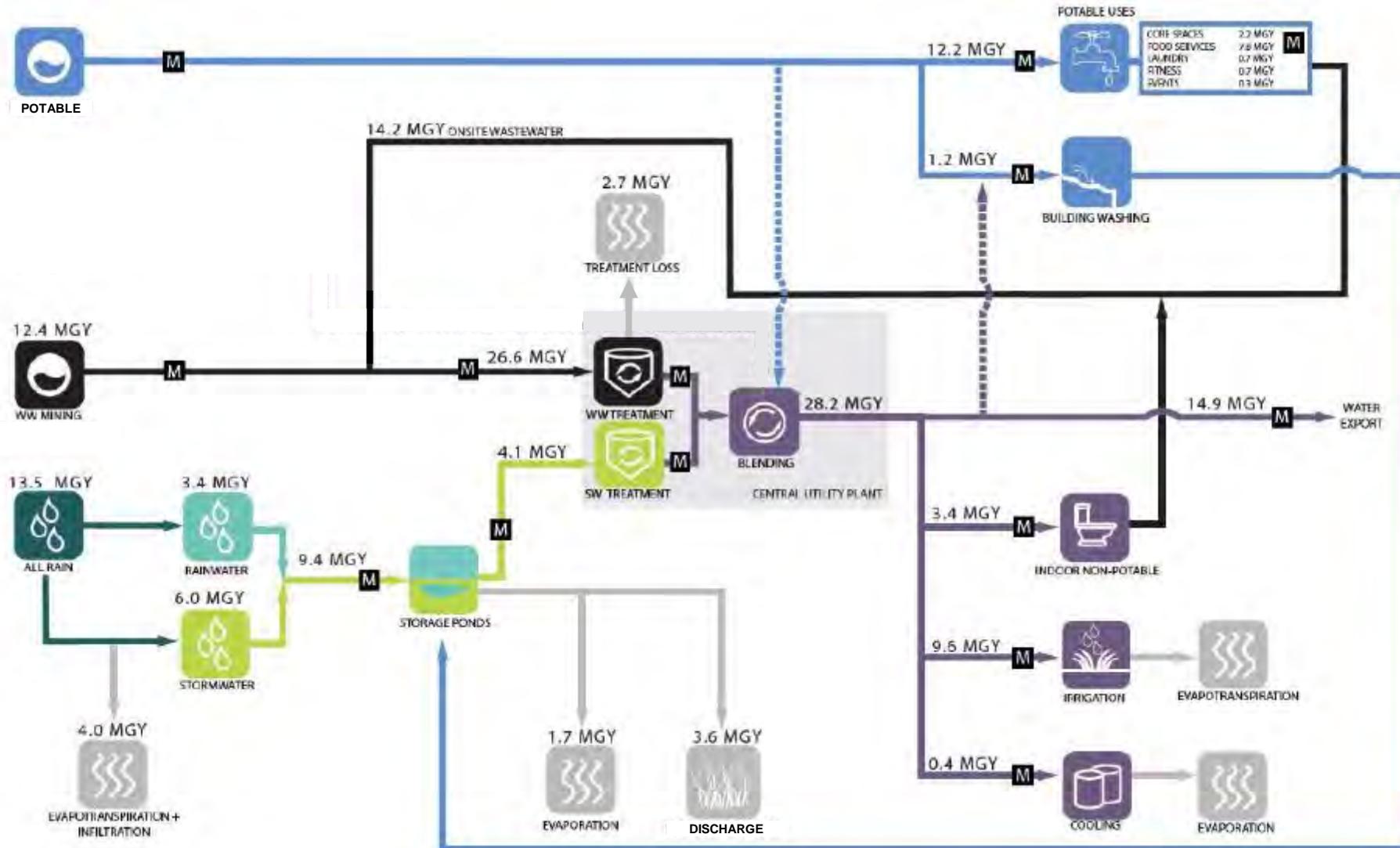


STEP 1: WATER BALANCE

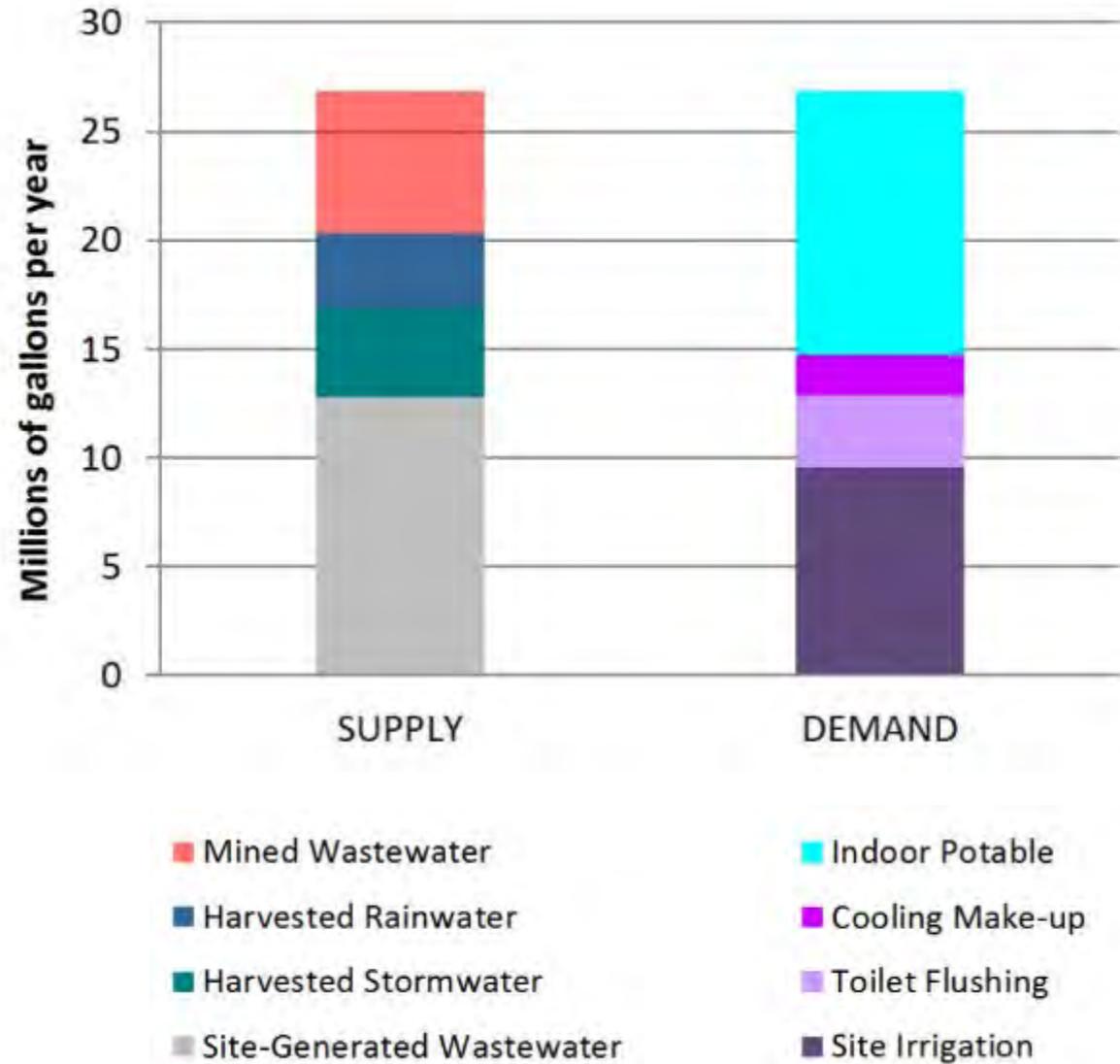
Green Building Standards



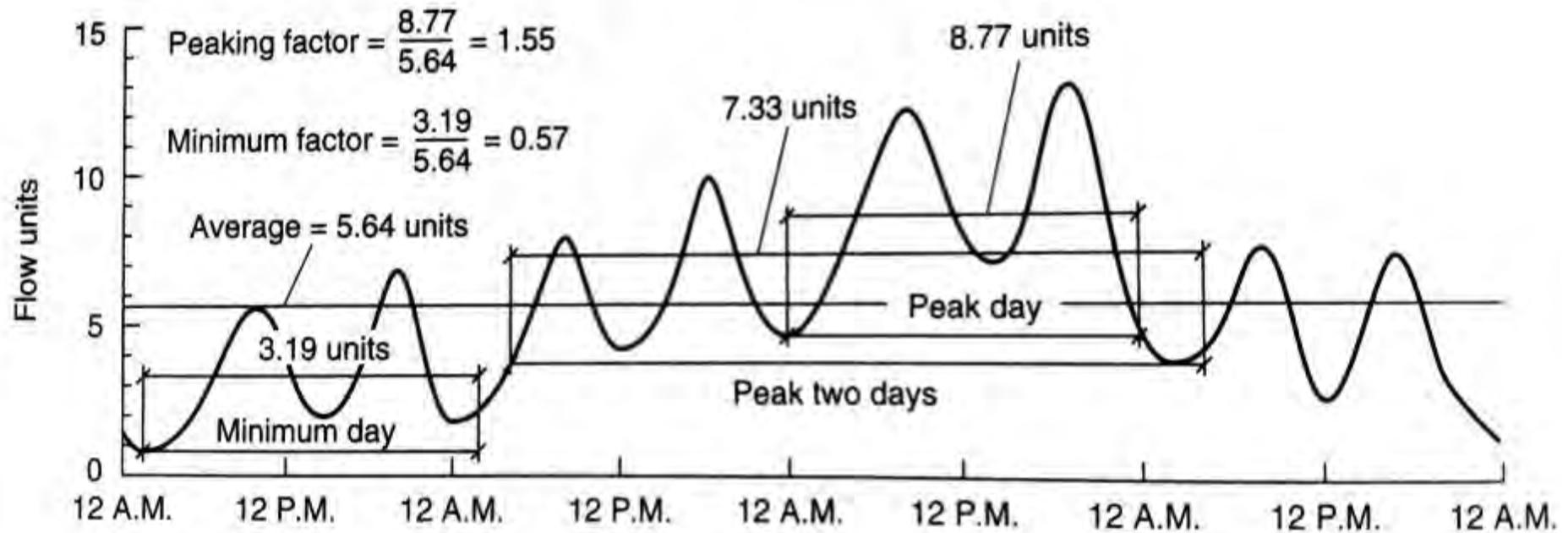
Water Balance Concept



Annual Water Balance



Peaking Factors

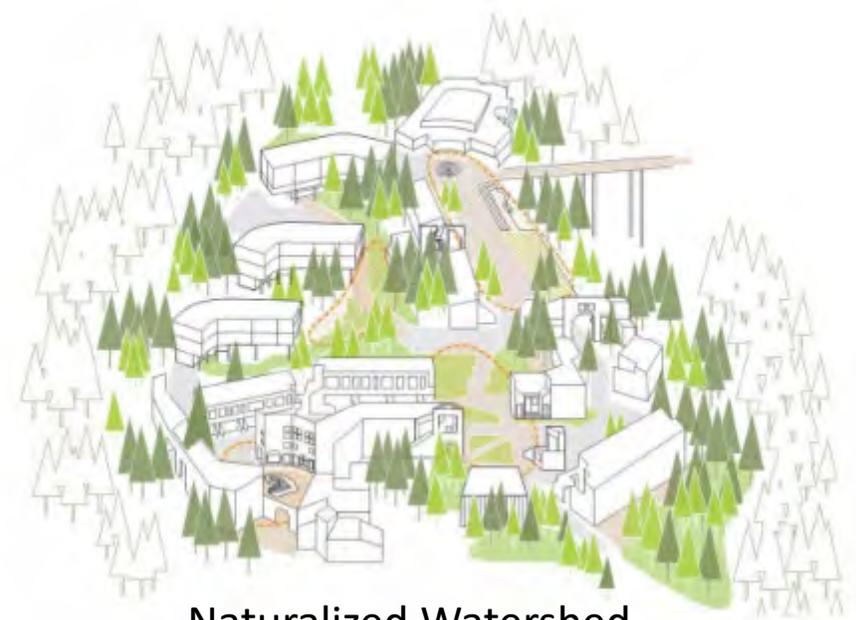


STEP 2: WATER CHARACTERIZATION

Rainwater, stormwater, graywater, wastewater

Considering collecting the rain?

- Rainwater vs. Stormwater
- Watershed land cover type
- Proximity to sources of airborne pollutants
- Vehicle traffic type and frequency
- Source control of potential pollutants
- Event-driven (requires on-demand treatment)



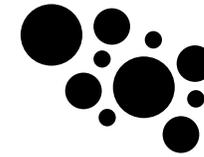
Naturalized Watershed



Urbanized Watershed

Taking the waste out of water!

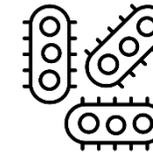
- Program: what's activities?
- Occupancy: how many people?
- Dilution volume: which fixtures?
- Timing: when will the highest flows occur? Lowest flows?
- Special considerations (e.g., hospitals)?



SOLIDS



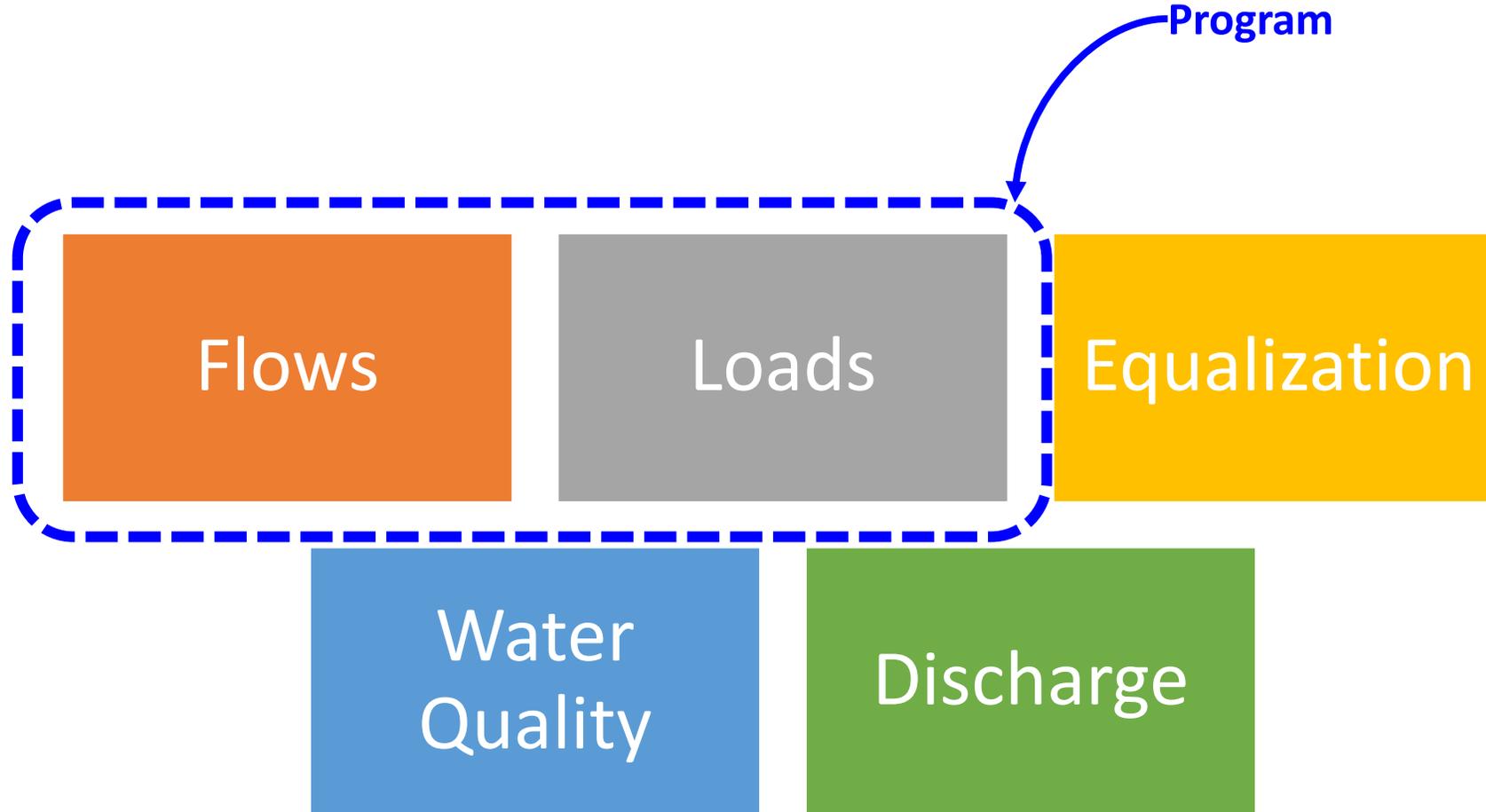
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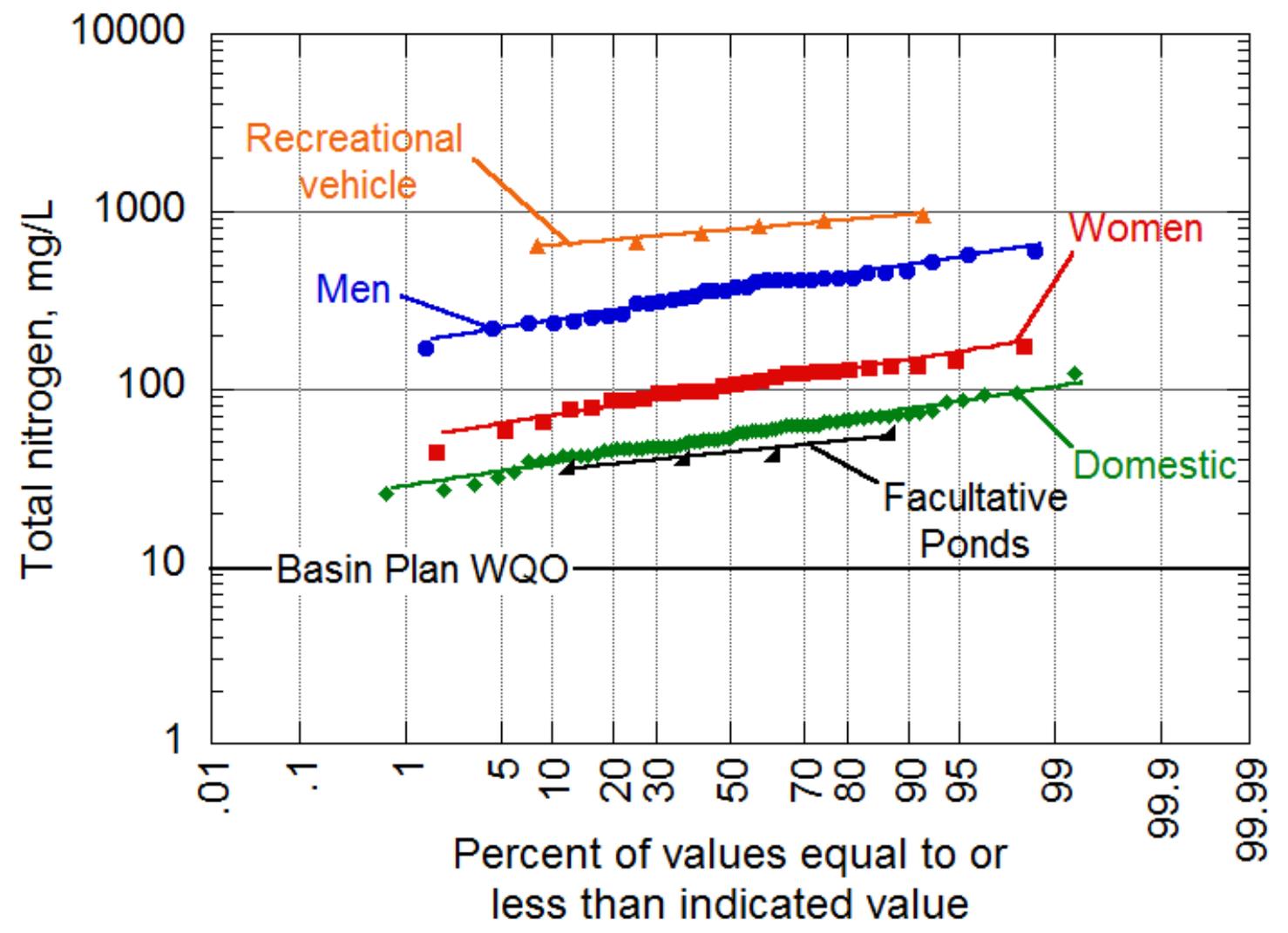
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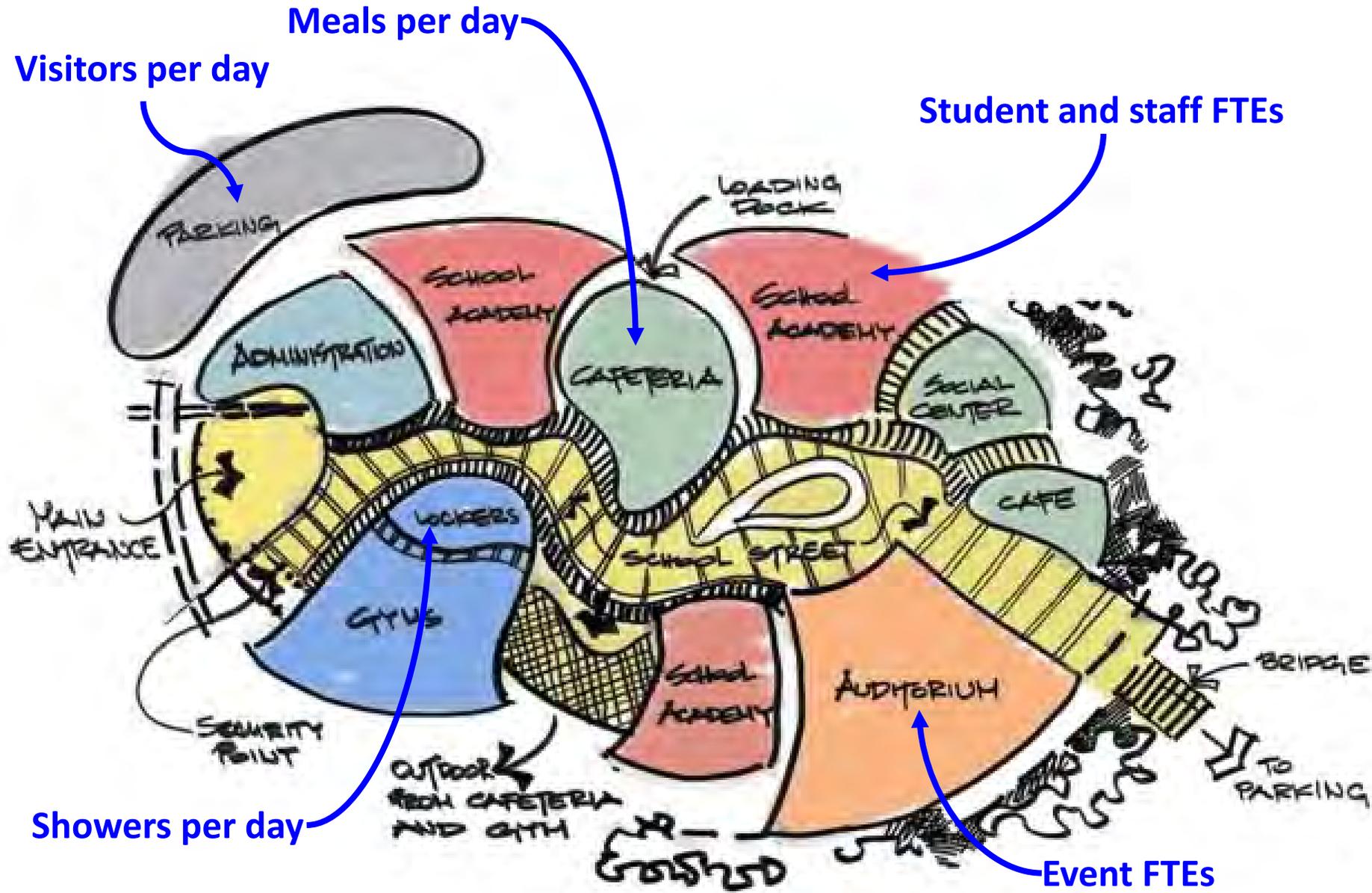
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Sizing Considerations



Water Quality Goals





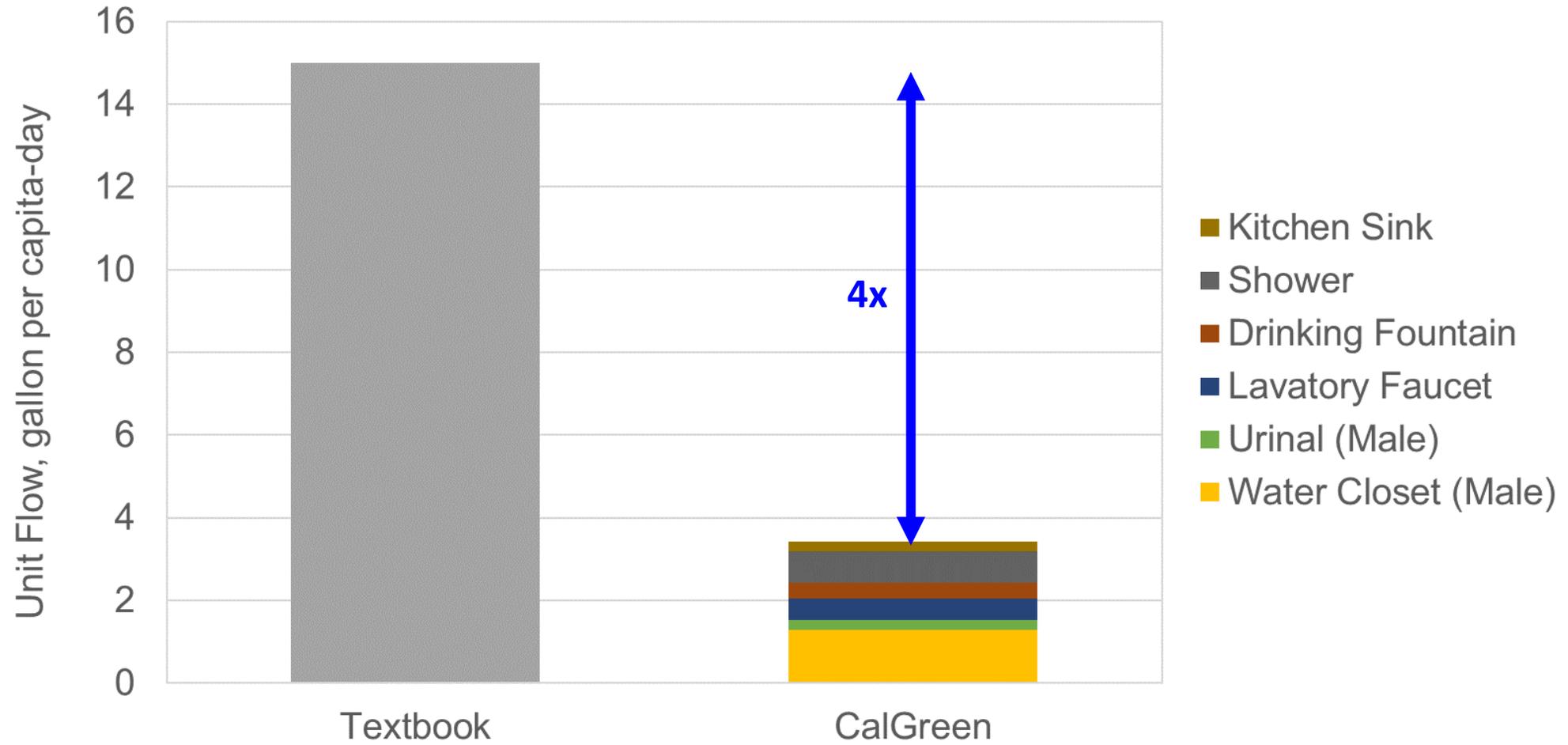
"Unfortunately, bedrooms do not generate wastewater, people do."

Occupancy Profile

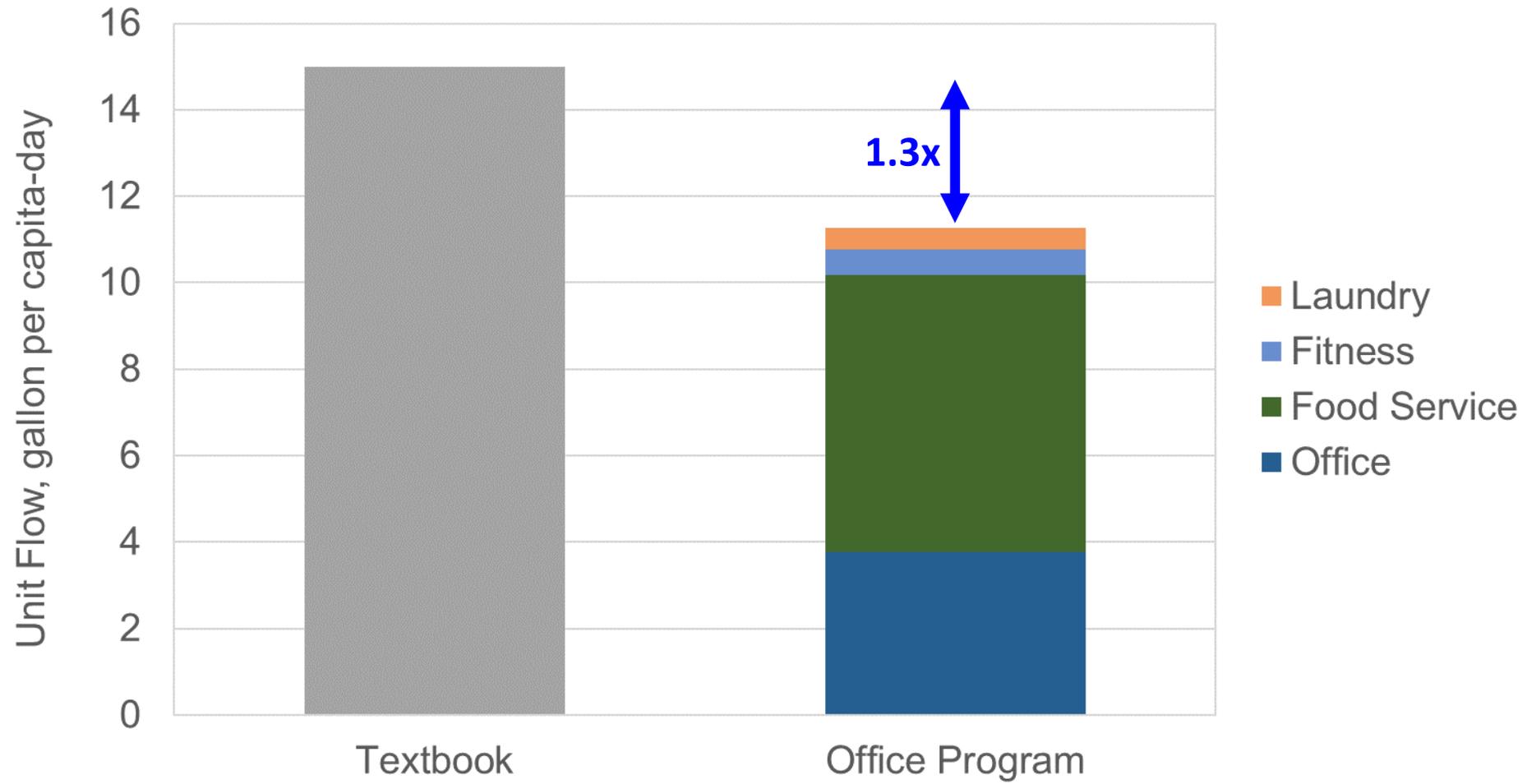
Schedules - Office - Weekday



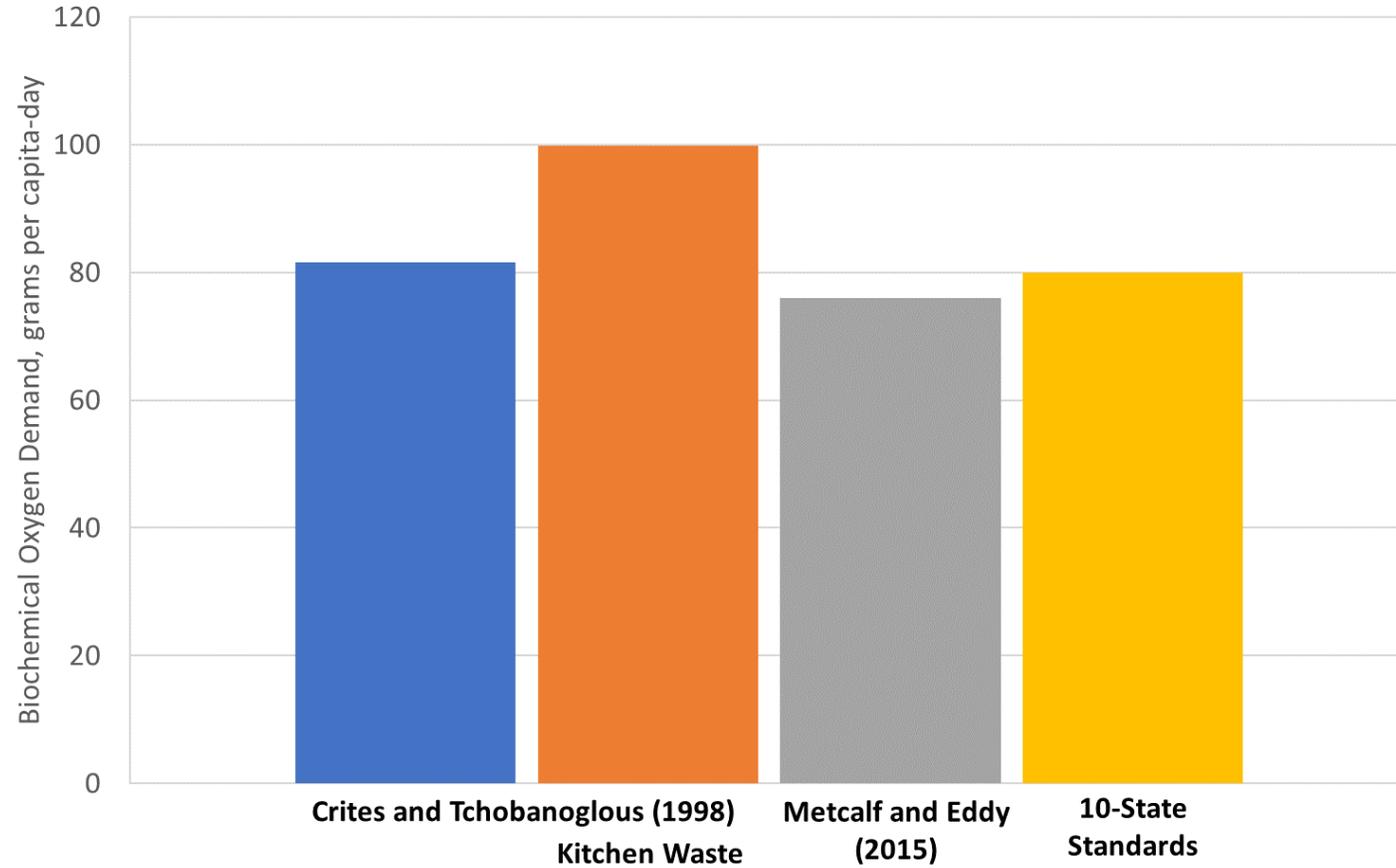
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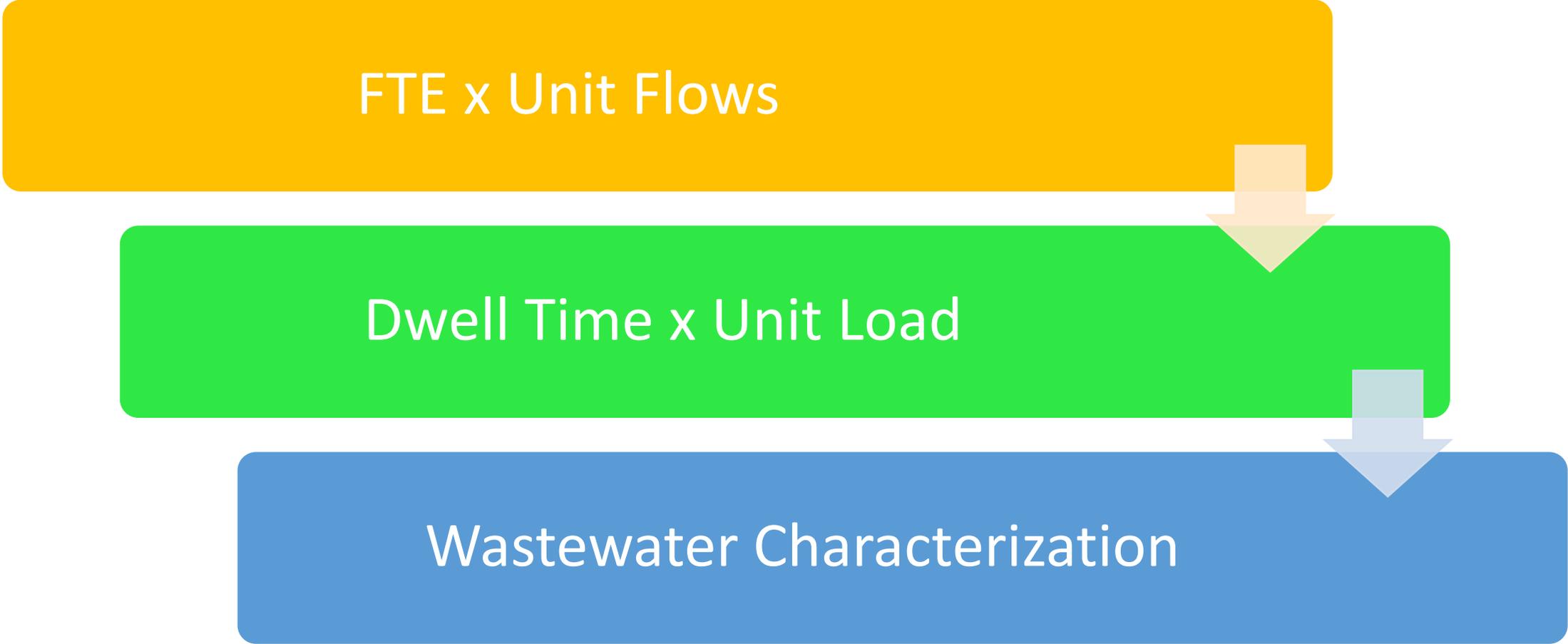


Unit Loading



Model build-up: wastewater

FTE x Unit Flows

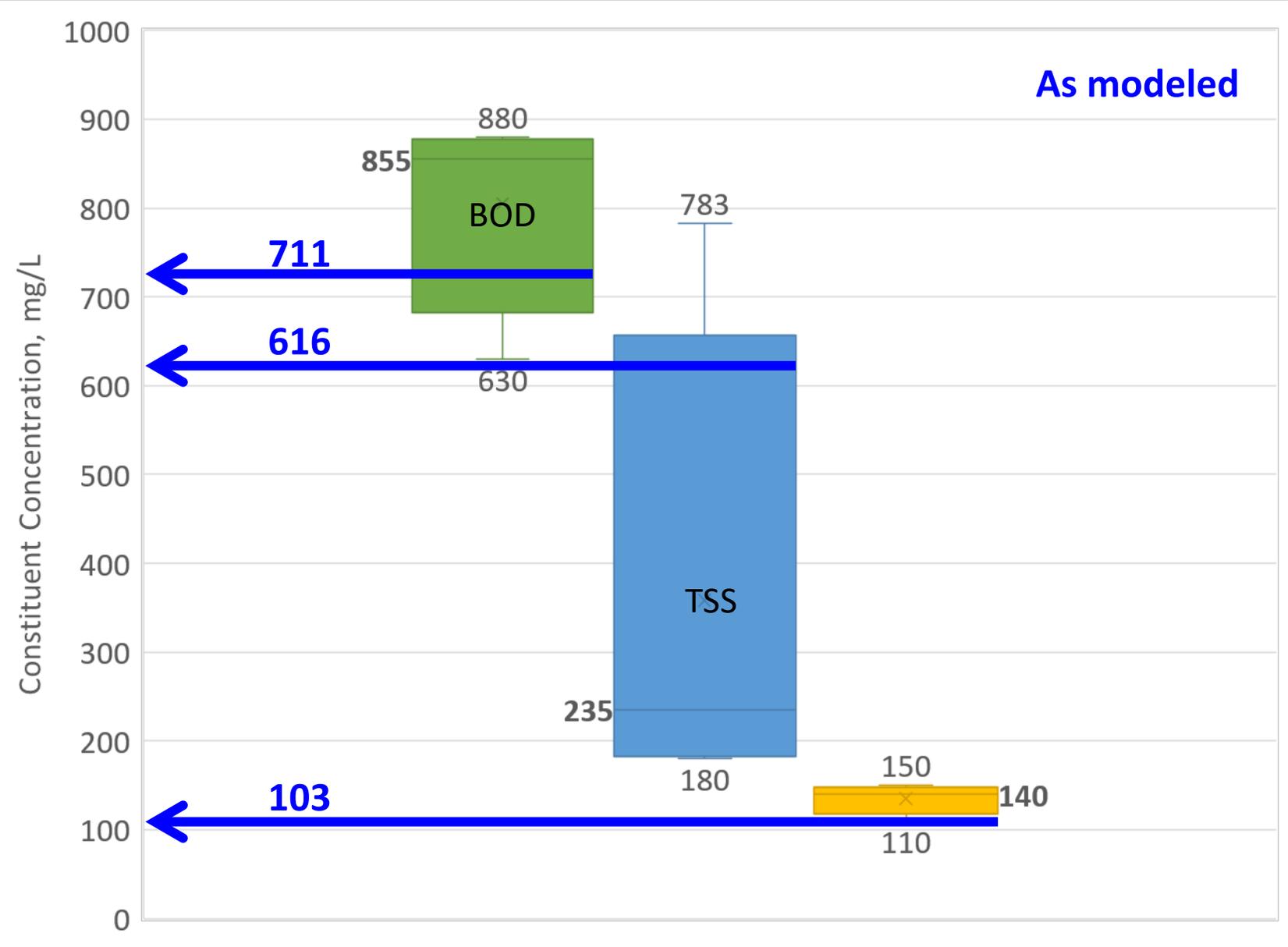


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Dwell Time x Unit Load

Wastewater Characterization

Office: Characterization (n = 4)



STEP 3: BUSINESS CASE STUDIES

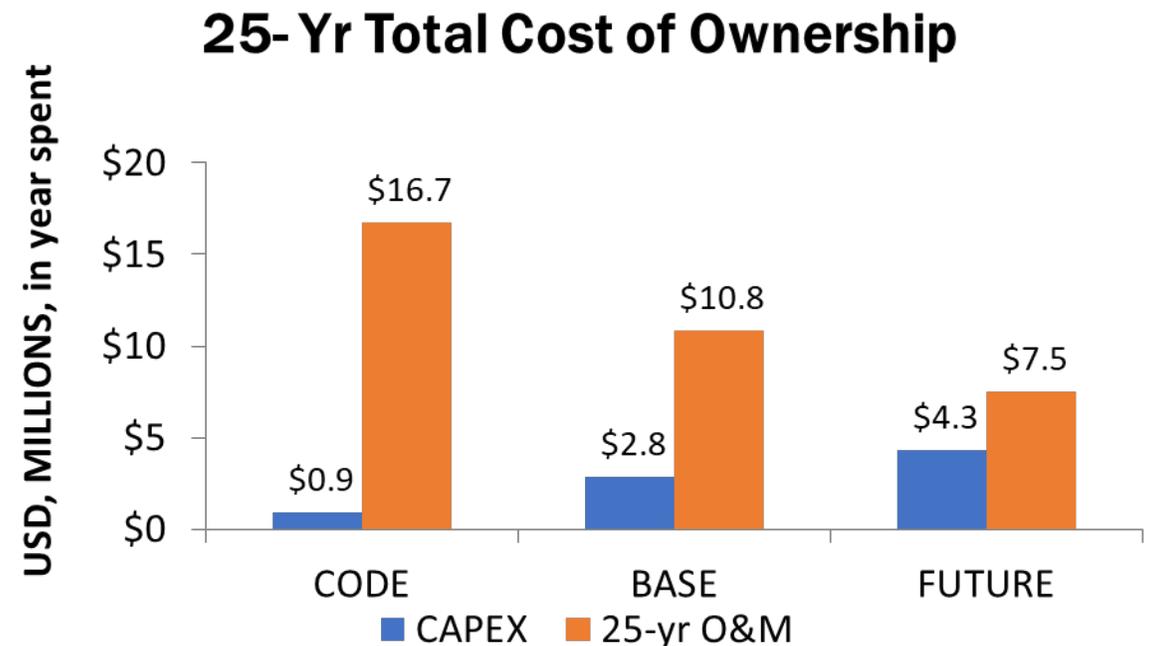
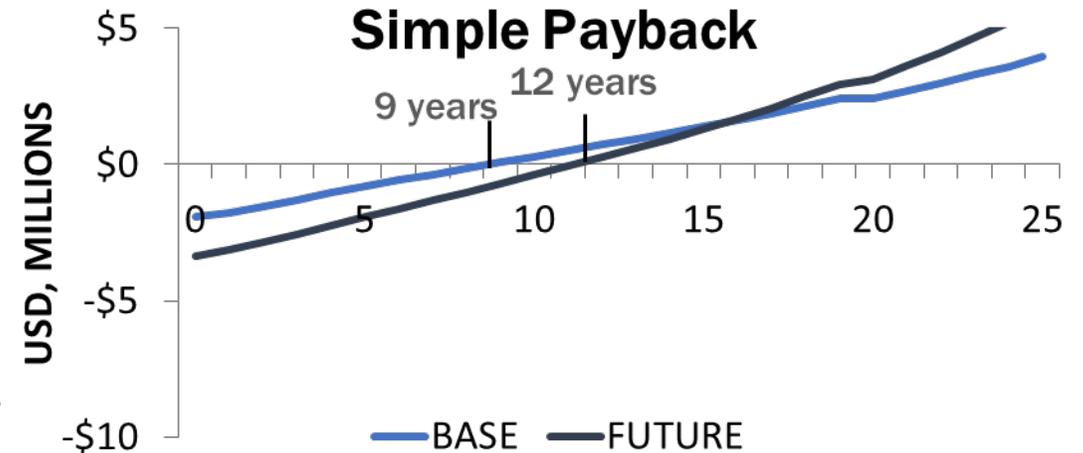
Water infrastructure is not optional...

...now what?

1. Are investments required to support my development?
2. If so, what type of investment is needed?
3. How can I gain confidence in commitments I make to specific investments?

How will I pay for this investment?

1. Review true delta between “business as usual” and ONWS
 - If not, what costs can be recovered via water purchase agreement?
2. Assess whether lifecycle costs are important for your development
 - Identify incentives, connection fee discounts
3. Determine first cost offsets
 - Community benefits
4. Articulate less tangible benefits
 - Create business case
5. Review water, sewer, stormwater rates

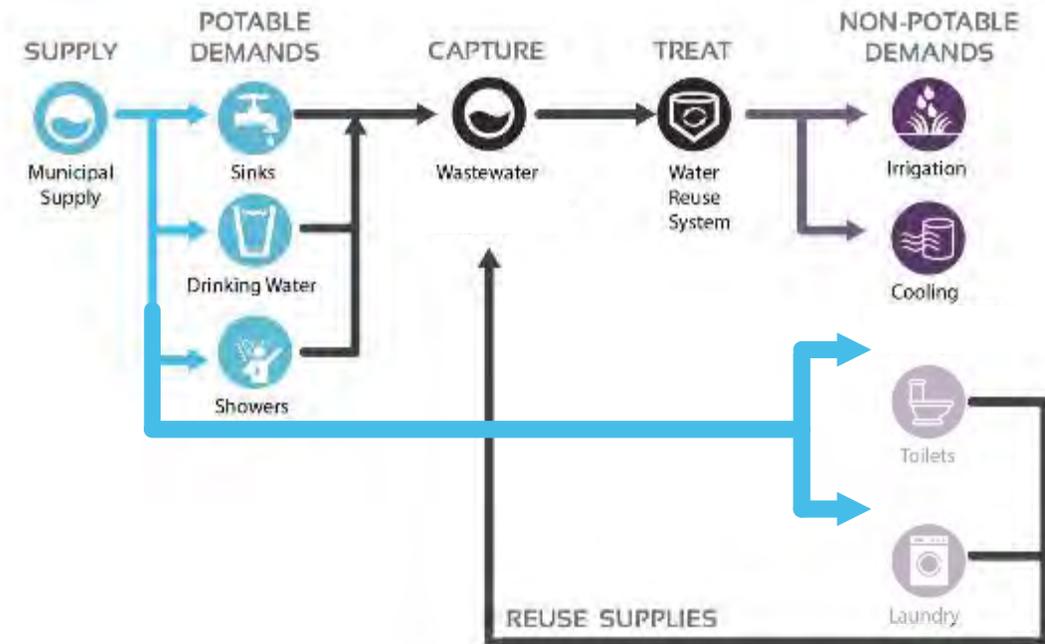


Water Reuse in Atlanta

District-Scale Reuse Concepts

Alt 1

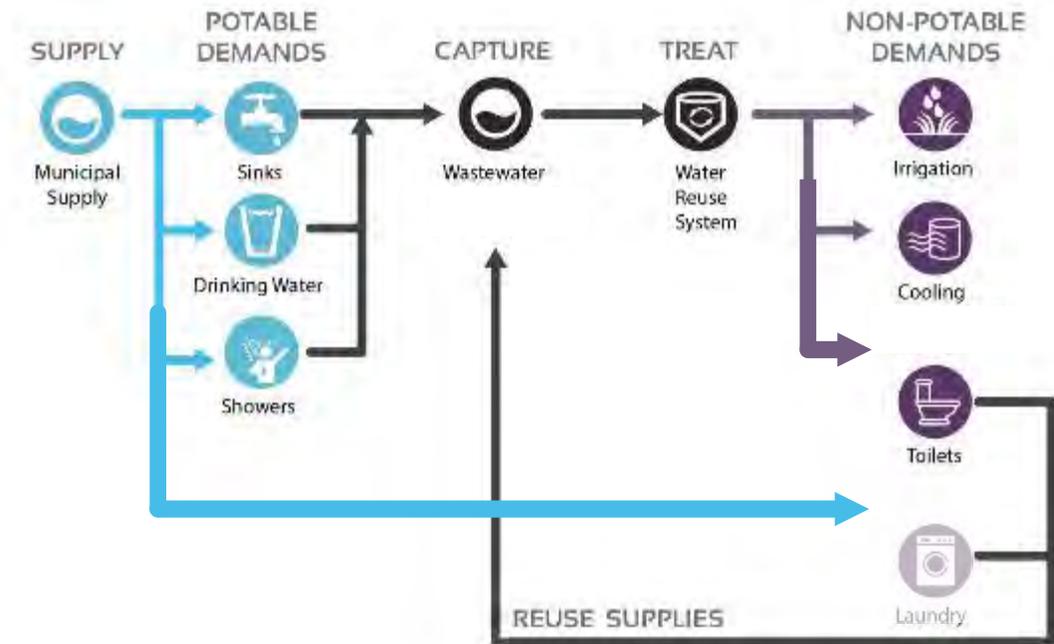
- Harvest wastewater from sanitary system
- Treat in central treatment plant
- Supply from: O+C & Multi-Family Buildings
- Reuse for: Site & Park Irrigation
Office and Residential Cooling



Alt 2

- Harvest wastewater from sanitary system
- Treat in central treatment plant
- Supply from: O+C & Multi-Family Buildings
- Reuse for: Site & Park Irrigation
Office Cooling
All Toilets

Alt 2 includes water reuse for toilet flushing



Financial Comparison

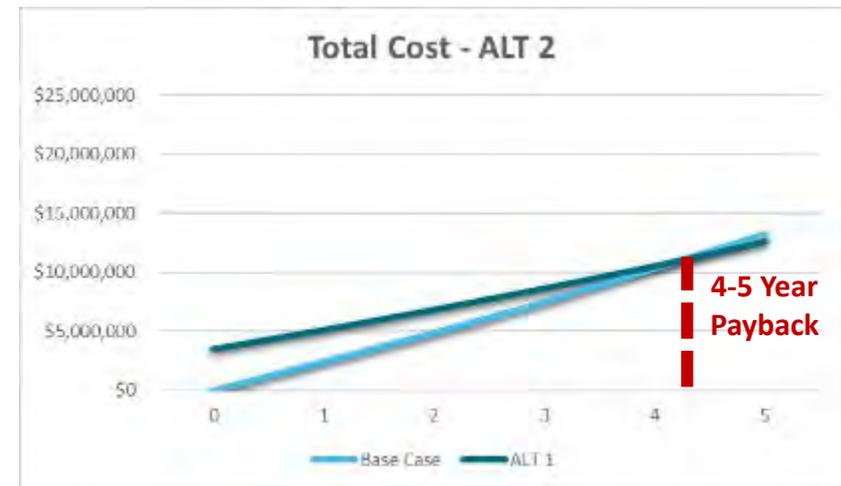
Total cash flow includes CapEx, OpEx, savings from water and sewer bills compared to no reuse

ESTIMATED WATER REUSE DEMANDS AND WATER RATES NEEDED FOR ECONOMICALLY VIABLE RECLAMATION SYSTEMS



Financial Comparison

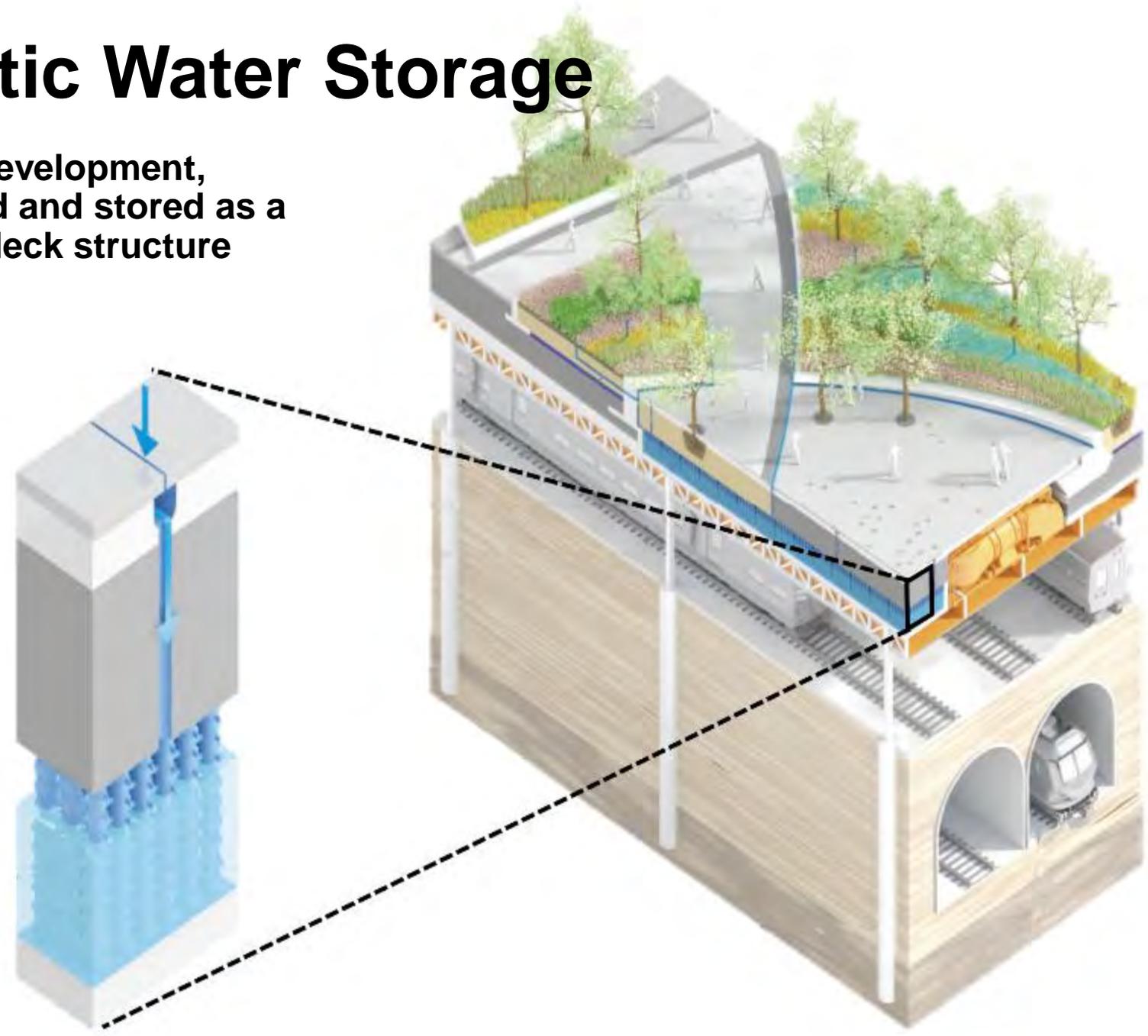
5.95% Historic Water Escalation Rate



DESIGN SOLUTIONS

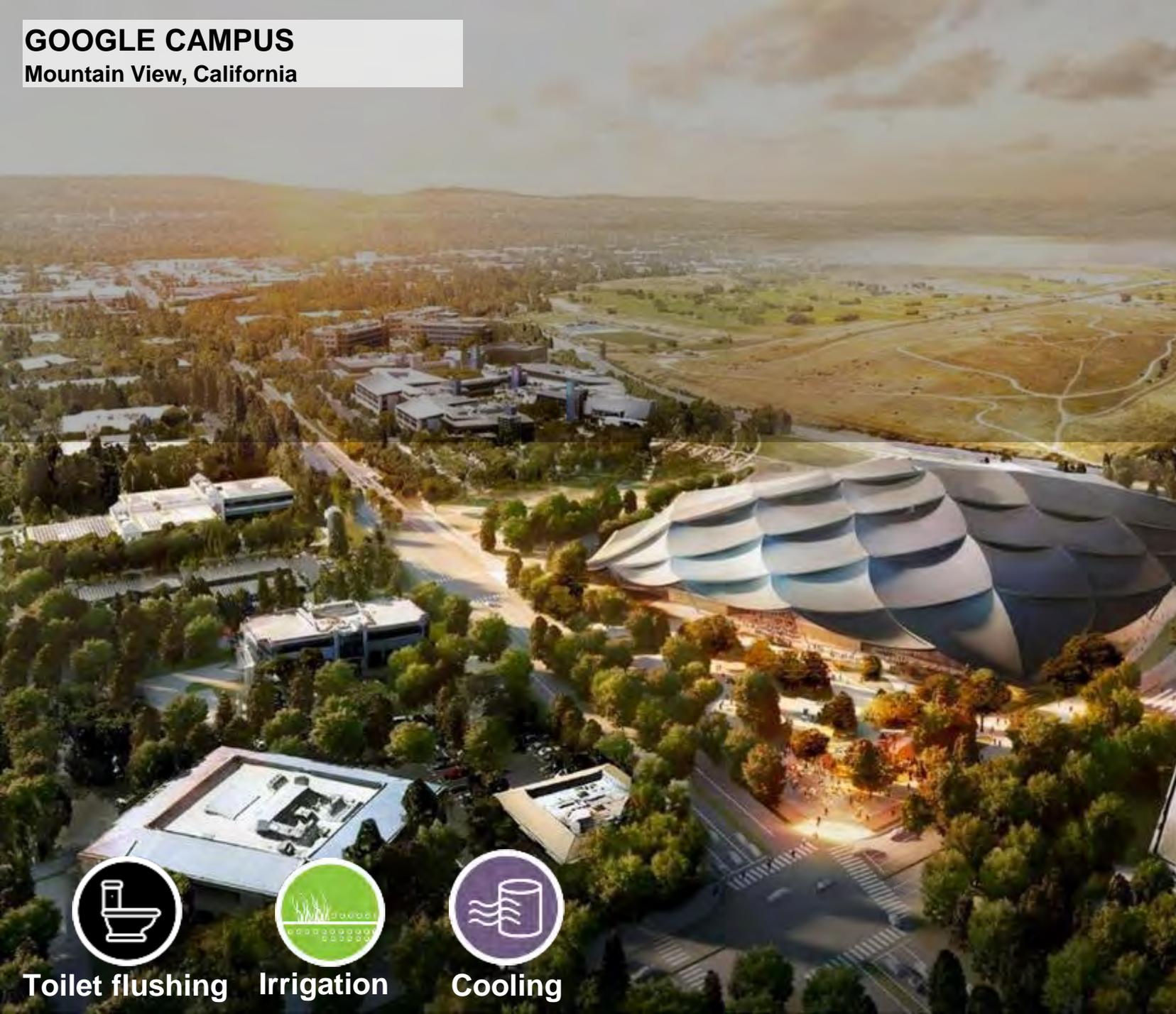
Opportunistic Water Storage

At the Hudson Yards development, stormwater is collected and stored as a part of the landscape deck structure built over the rail yard.



GOOGLE CAMPUS

Mountain View, California



Rain Harvesting +
Municipal Recycled Water
595,000 gross square feet

18.6 acres
Total site area

5.8 acres
Landscape area

9.4 acres
Collection area

720,000
Gallons of storage



Toilet flushing



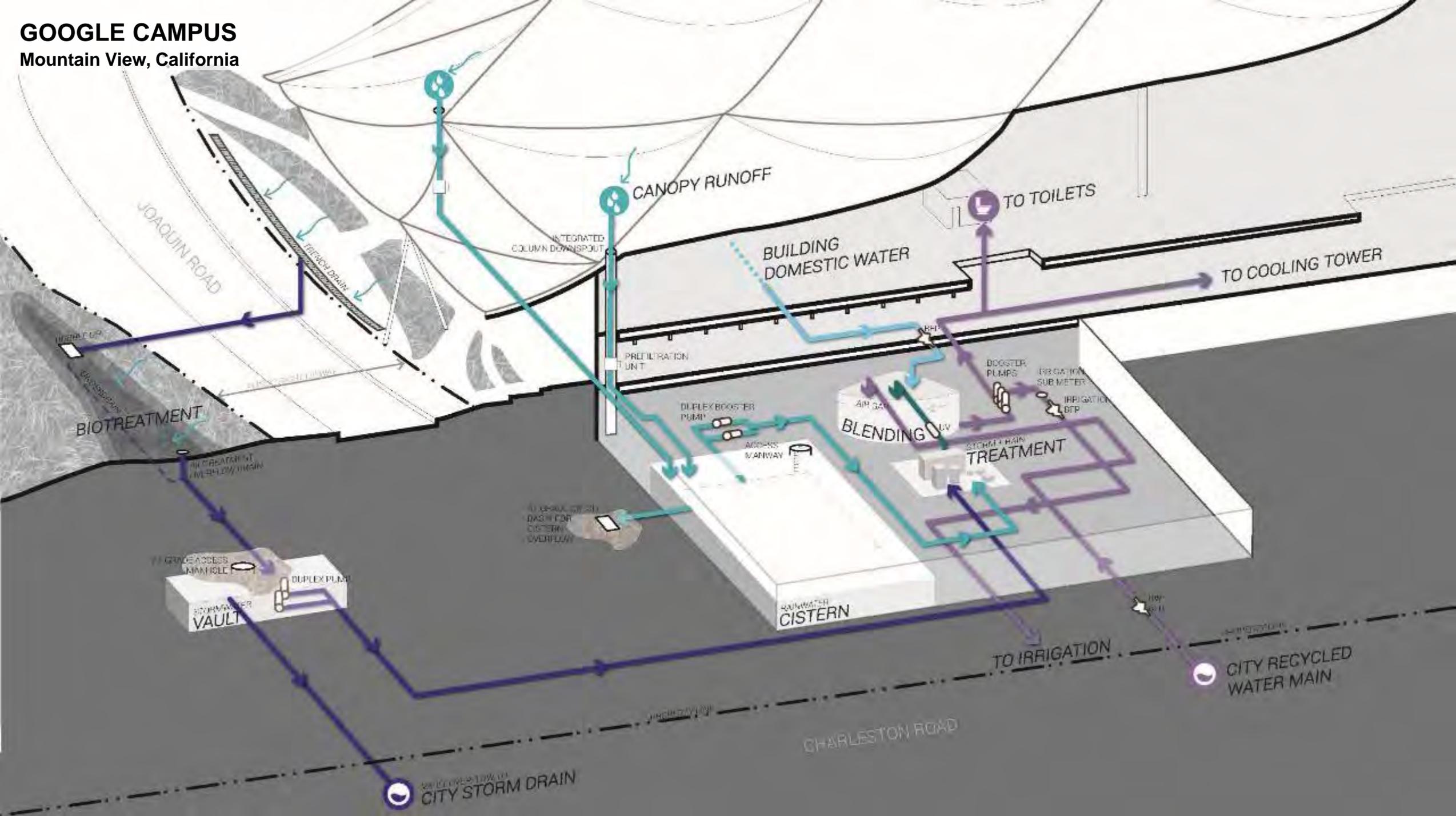
Irrigation



Cooling

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Mountain View, California



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Mountain View, California



Flexible integration into the built environment

centralized wastewater treatment plants are becoming increasingly space constrained



MICROSOFT CAMPUS

Mountain View, California



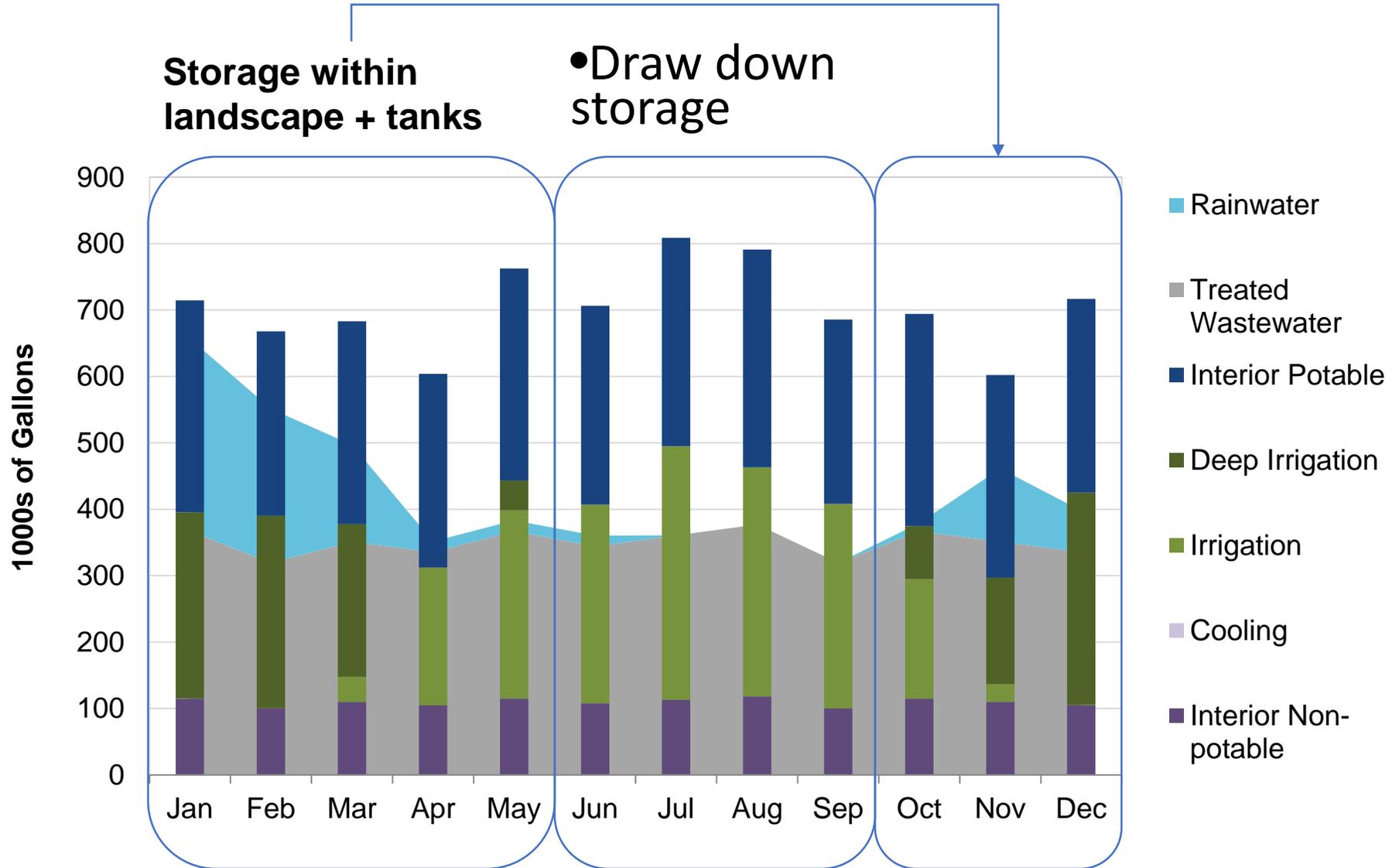
Campus Scale

- 15-acre site (4 acres living roof)
- 643,000 gross square feet
- 2,000 employees
- Wastewater treatment and reuse
- Rainwater treatment and reuse

Net Zero Non-Potable Water

- 55% water use reduction despite added headcount
- 4 MGY potable use savings
- 100% of wastewater reused onsite

Seasonal balancing act



MICROSOFT CAMPUS

Mountain View, California



MICROSOFT CAMPUS
Mountain View, California



CAMP HESS CRAMER

Malibu, California



TREATMENT WETLANDS

Precedents



Case Study: Caltrans Pilot Study CLOSED LOOP REUSE FOR TOILET FLUSHING



Remote Location | Building Scale

- **Low maintenance**

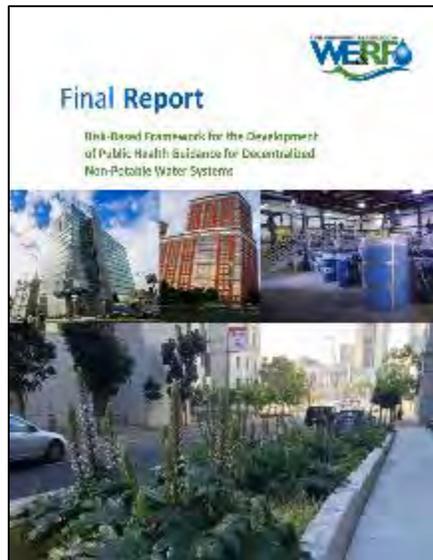
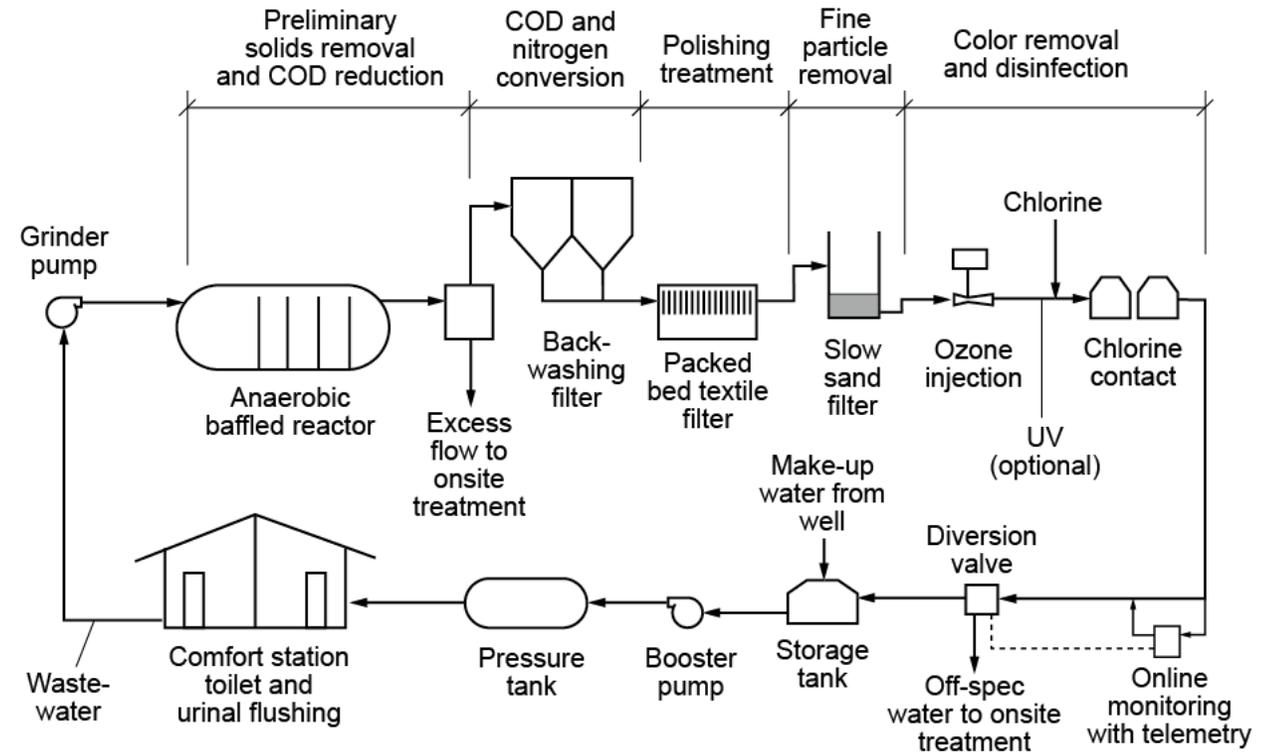
- Reliable remote monitoring
- Minimal dedicated staff time

- **Water Quality**

- Very high strength wastewater
- Comply with CCR Title 22, Disinfected Tertiary
- Acceptable color and odor

- **Replicable**

- Project to serve as a model for other rest areas
- Affordable to ensure budget feasibility



WHAT'S NEXT FOR THE INDUSTRY?

Themes

Actions

1. On-site non-potable water systems can be a transformative opportunity



Engage in an engineering assessment early to inform decision-making

2. Consider all driving forces



Water supply characterization is paramount

3. Changes to market demands are driving developers away from “business-as-usual” thinking



Create a project-appropriate business case framework that considers water risk factors

THANK YOU!

Alternative On-site Water Use Workshop
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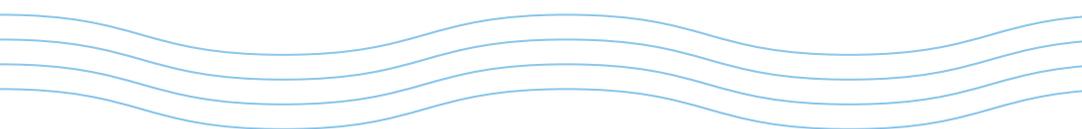


Lunch



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Assistant Director,
Water Resource
Management



**Paula
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ADVANCING ONSITE WATER REUSE IN SAN FRANCISCO AND ACROSS THE US

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Water Delivery 24 hours/7 Days a Week Not an Easy Task





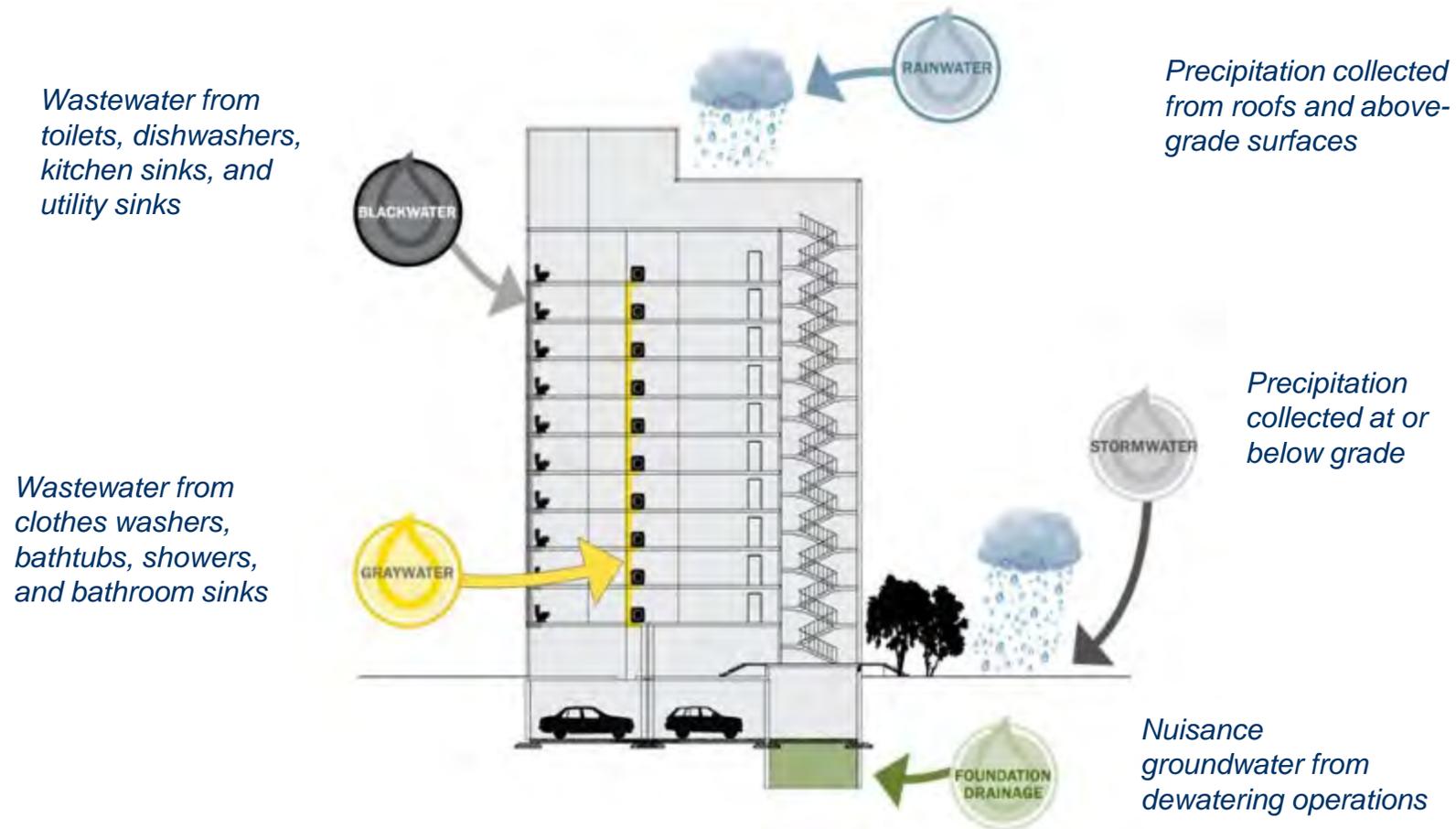
Source: San Francisco Public Utilities Commission



Opportunity to Re-think Building Design & Re-imagine How We Use Water



Buildings are Sources of Water



Solaire & Verdesian – Battery Park, NYC

45% Reduction in Potable Water



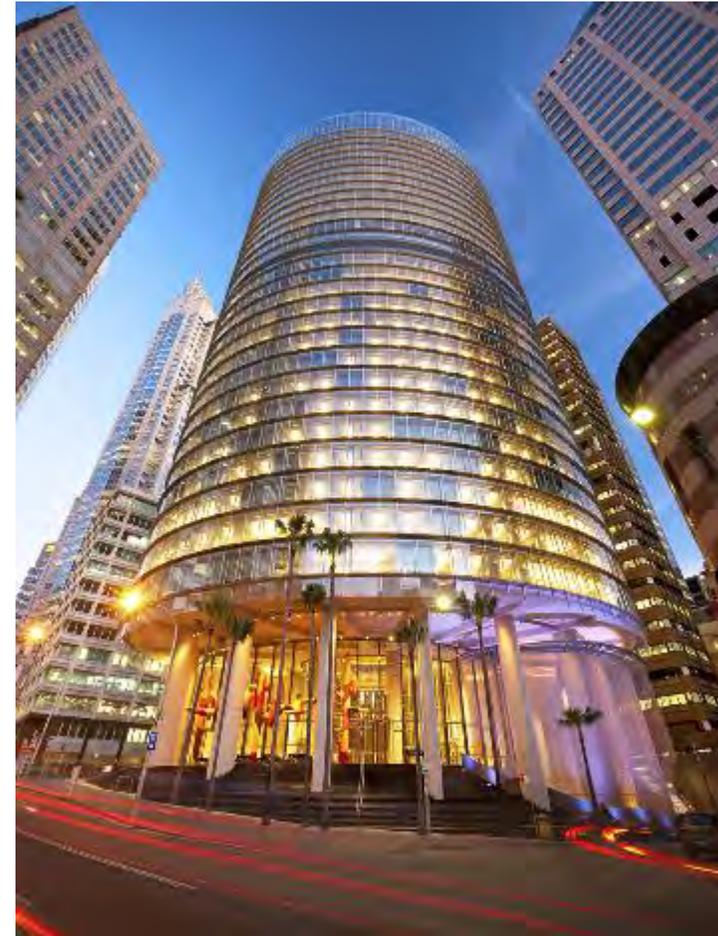




WATERHUB, Emory University- Atlanta, GA 40% Reduction in Potable Water



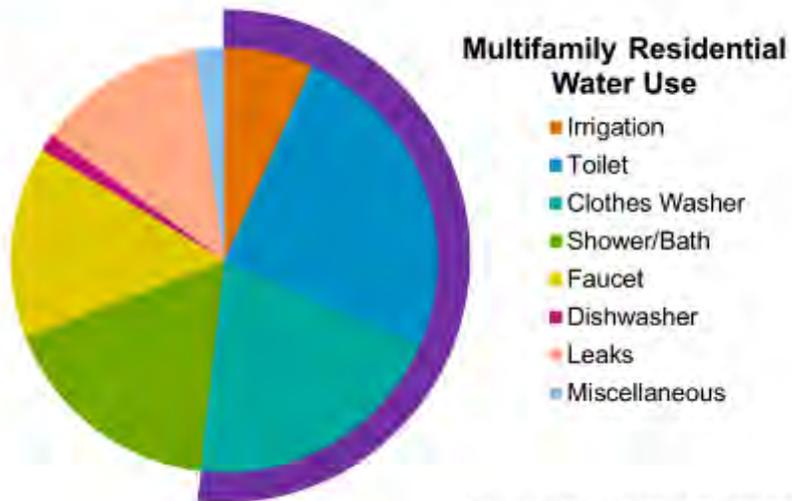
1 Bligh Street- Sydney, Australia 6M GPY Potable Water Offset



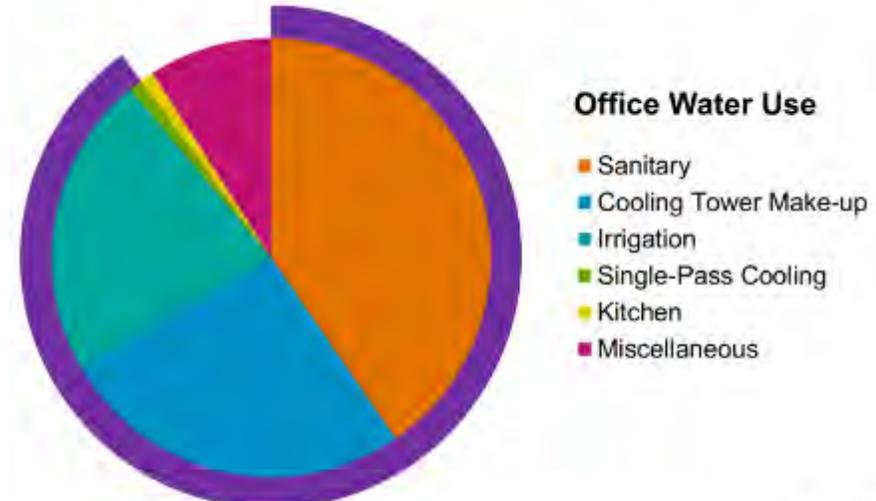
Dockside Green – Victoria, Canada 65% Reduction in Potable Water



Non-potable Water Demand in Multi-family and Commercial Buildings



Source: adapted from Alliance for Water Efficiency



Source: USFPA



LEED shows the elements that go into a high-performance and sustainable built environment.

- Integrating Processes
- Location and Transportation
- Sustainable Sites
- Water Efficiency
- Energy and Atmosphere
- Materials and Resources
- Indoor Environmental Quality
- Innovation
- Regional Priority

Pioneer New Ways to Treat and Reuse Water in San Francisco



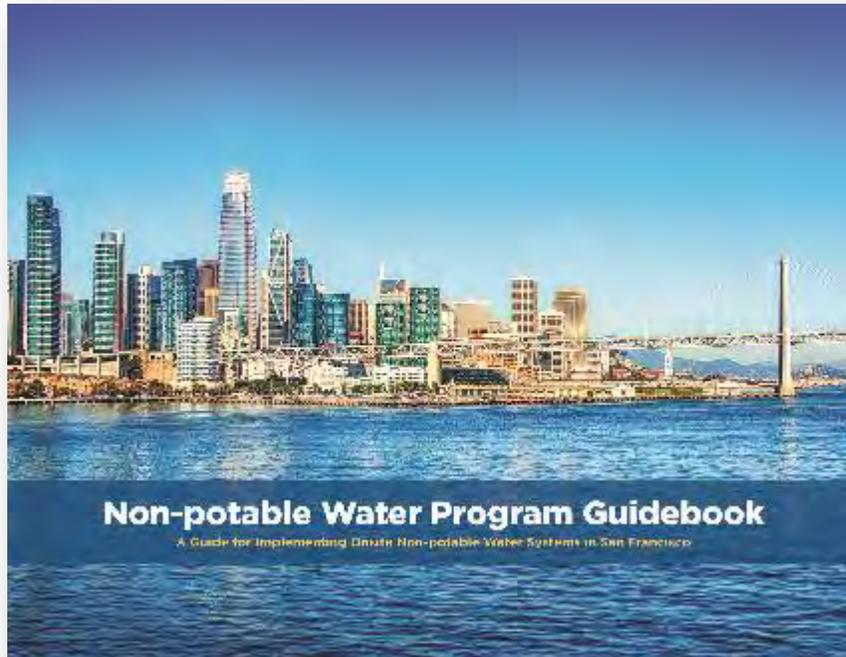
Barriers to Scaling Up Decentralized Water Systems: Water Quality and Oversight and Management





Local SF Ordinance Streamlines Permitting

SFPUC	SFDPH	SFDBI	SFPW
Program Administration and Cross-Connection Control	Public Health	Construction	Right of Way and Mapping
<p>Review onsite non-potable water supplies & demands</p> <p>Administer citywide project tracking & annual potable offset achieved</p> <p>Provide technical support & outreach to developers</p> <p>Manages Cross-Connection Control Program</p>	<p>Issue water quality & monitoring requirements</p> <p>Review and approve non-potable engineering report</p> <p>Issue permit to operate onsite systems</p> <p>Review water quality reporting</p>	<p>Conduct Plumbing Plan check and issue Plumbing Permit</p> <p>Inspect and approve system installations</p>	<p>Issue Encroachment Permits as needed for infrastructure in the Right-of-Way (if needed)</p> <p>Includes condition on a subdivision map or a parcel map requiring compliance with the Non-potable Ordinance prior to approval and issuance of said map (if applicable)</p>



Grant Assistance for Large Alternate Water Source Projects
Grant Guidelines and Terms

Grant Assistance Overview
The SFPUC's Grant Assistance for Alternate Water Source Projects (Grant Assistance) is a program designed to encourage and assist those who wish to implement the use of alternative and non-potable water source including but not limited to rainwater, stormwater, graywater, foundation drainage, and blackwater. The goal is to maximize the use of non-potable water for toilet flushing, irrigation, and other non-potable uses. The SFPUC has approximately \$1,000,000 in funding available for two types of non-potable water projects: 1) household projects that consist of two or more parcels that share a central alternate water source, or 2) building scale projects that include any residential or non-residential building of at least 100,000 square feet in area. Grants will be awarded to those applicants who demonstrate they will significantly and permanently reduce or eliminate the use of existing drinking water supply for non-potable applications.

Types of activities considered for funding include the installation of harvesting or collection systems for on-site water treatment systems to improve the water quality of an alternate water source, and the storage of the treated water. The SFPUC will make funding available for eligible projects. The deadline for applications for Calendar Year 2014 is December 31, 2014. Provision of grant funding is based on the suitability of the proposed activity and availability of funds. Each application will be reviewed and evaluated on a case-by-case basis. Grant funding is available on a first-come, first-served basis and is limited to \$250,000 per on-site project and \$500,000 per district-wide project. Projects that meet the Grant Assistance eligibility criteria for District-wide Grant Assistance may not apply for Building Scale Grant Assistance.

Grant assistance will support customer efforts to implement sustainable water use practices in San Francisco. In addition to supporting water conservation, this grant assistance will support the SFPUC's Shared Water System Improvement Program (SWSIP) goals adopted by Resolution No. 98-300 on October 26, 2008. The SWSIP included a goal of developing an additional 10 million gallons per day (mgd) of locally available water resources.

Definitions
Terms used in the grant application package have the meanings described below.
Alternate Water Source – Non-potable source of water that includes graywater, rainwater, stormwater, foundation drainage, and blackwater. The level of treatment and quality of the alternate water source shall be approved by the City's Department of Public Health and comply with all applicable federal, state, and local regulations.
Applicant – property owner that is a valid water customer of the SFPUC, proposing the installation of a building scale or district scale treatment system on their property, and is seeking grant funds from the SFPUC for an alternate water source project, pursuant to the instructions and guidelines set forth in this application package.
Award – the decision by the SFPUC to provide grant funds, following the review and evaluation of a completed application. An award is made through a Grant agreement.
Blackwater – wastewater containing bodily or other biological wastes, as from toilets, dishwashers, kitchen sinks and utility sinks. Recovery of plumbing configurations, blackwater, leaving a building generally includes graywater.

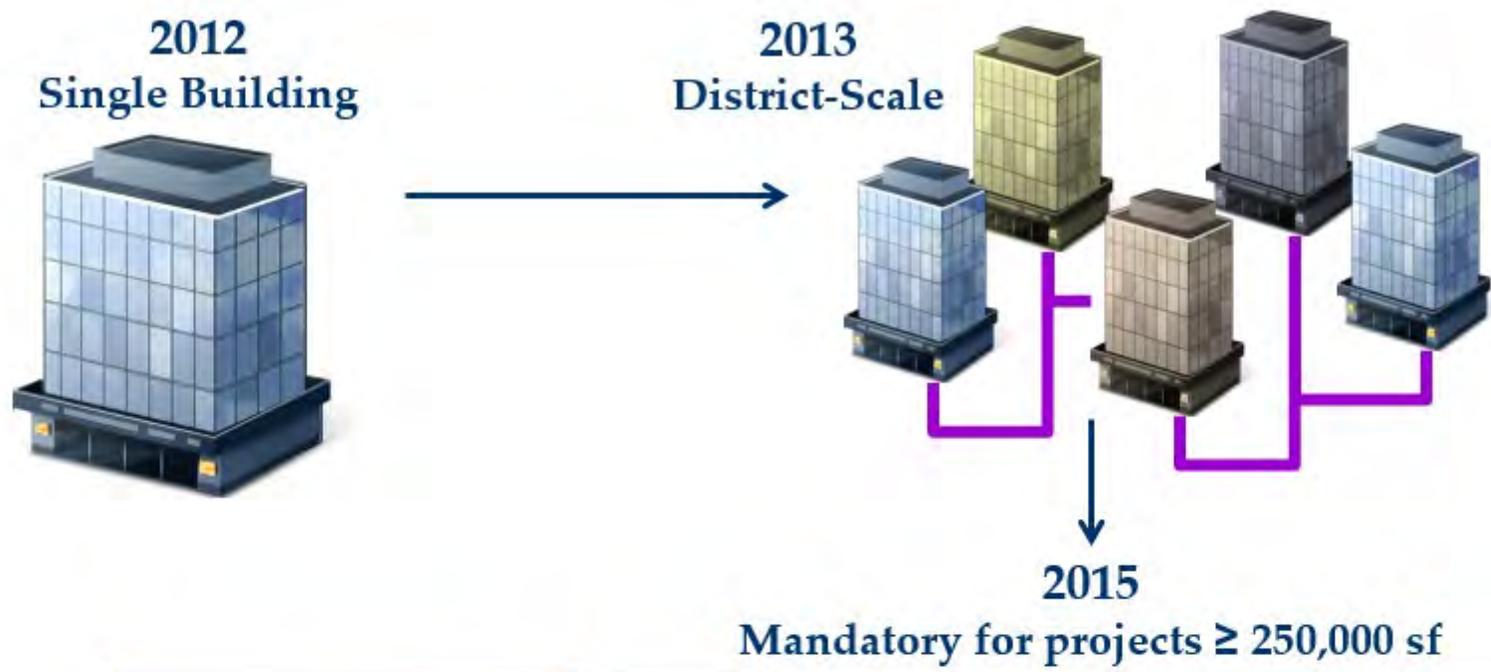
NON-POTABLE WATER CALCULATOR
City and County of San Francisco

Region: City: ZIP:
 City: ZIP:
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City and County of San Francisco

Category	City	County										
RESIDENTIAL	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
COMMERCIAL	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
INDUSTRIAL	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
TOTAL	3,000	3,000	3,000	3,000	3,000	3,000	3,000	3,000	3,000	3,000	3,000	3,000

Evolving Non-potable Water Program





Salesforce Tower, San Francisco

Blackwater for Flushing, Cooling, and Irrigation
7.8M GPY Potable Offset



Moscone Convention Center, San Francisco

Foundation Drainage for Flushing, Irrigation, and Street Sweeping
15M GPY Potable Offset



Chase Center, San Francisco

Rainwater, Stormwater, Graywater, and Condensate for Flushing
3.7M GPY Potable Offset







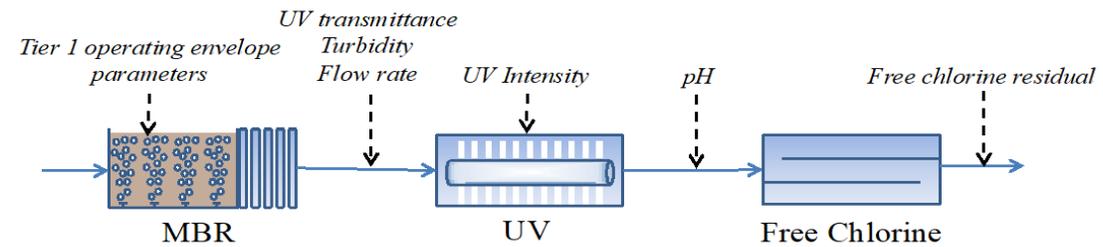


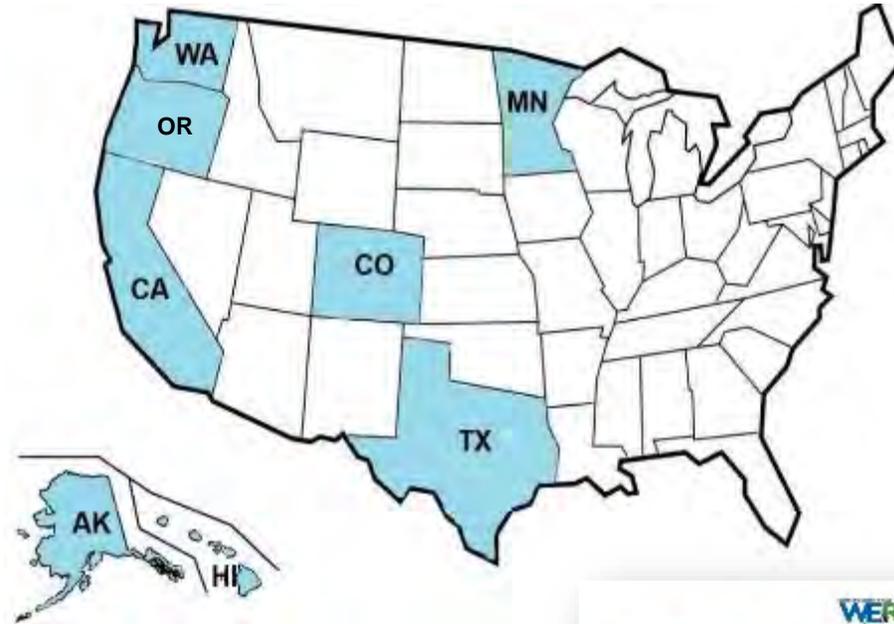
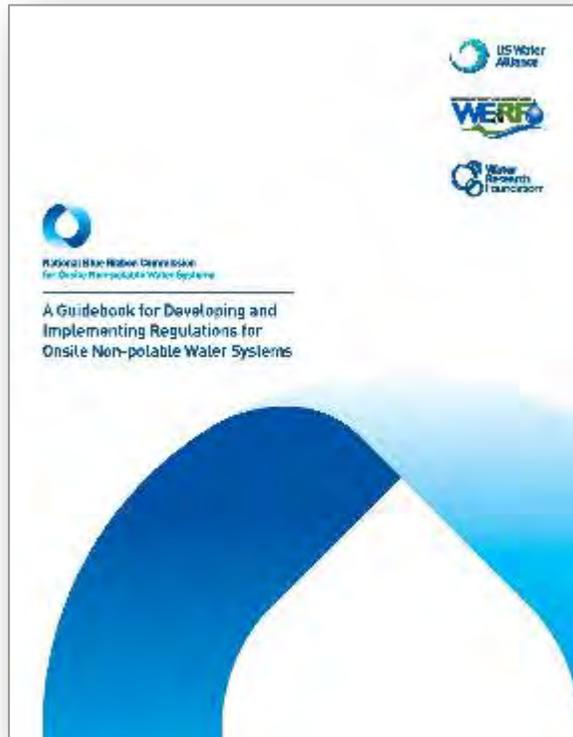


Developing a local program to manage onsite water systems offers a proactive way to increase water resiliency and promote green building practices while protecting public health. The development of a program should follow a sequence of steps and associated actions, which will inform critical decisions regarding the scope, structure, and implementation of the program.

- 1 Convene a Working Group**
Establish a small working group to guide the development of the local program.
- 2 Select the Types of Alternate Water Sources**
Name the specific types of alternate water sources covered in the program.
- 3 Identify End Uses**
Classify specific non-potable end uses for your program.
- 4 Establish Water Quality Standards**
Establish water quality standards for each alternate water source and/or end use.
- 5 Identify and Supplement Local Building Practices**
Integrate your program into local construction requirements and building permit processes.
- 6 Establish Monitoring and Reporting Requirements**
Establish water quality monitoring and reporting requirements for ongoing operations.
- 7 Prepare an Operating Permit Process**
Establish the permit process for initial and ongoing operations for onsite water systems.
- 8 Implement Guidelines and the Program**
Publicize the program to provide clear direction for project sponsors and developers.
- 9 Evaluate the Program**
Promote best practices for onsite water systems.
- 10 Grow the Program**
Explore opportunities to expand and encourage onsite water systems.

Graywater Use to Flush Toilets						
	BOD ₅ (mg L ⁻¹)	TSS (mg L ⁻¹)	Turbidity (NTU)	Total Coliform (cfu/ 100ml)	<i>E. Coli</i> (cfu/ 100ml)	Disinfection
California	10	10	2	2.2	2.2	0.5 – 2.5 mg/L residual chlorine
New Mexico	30	30	-	-	200	-
Oregon	10	10	-	-	2.2	-
Georgia	-	-	10	500	100	-
Texas	-	-	-	-	20	-
Massachusetts	10	5	2	-	14	-
Wisconsin	200	5	-	-	-	0.1 – 4 mg L ⁻¹ residual chlorine
Colorado	10	10	2	-	2.2	0.5 – 2.5 mg/L residual chlorine
Typical Graywater	80 - 380	54 -280	28-1340	10 ^{7.2} –10 ^{8.8}	10 ^{5.4} –10 ^{7.2}	N/A





Addressing Utility Considerations



Utilities Incorporating Onsite Water Systems

SAN FRANCISCO

Mandatory for new development
over 250,000 sq ft

DENVER WATER

Blackwater system at new admin building

AUSTIN WATER

10 mgd from decentralized
systems by 2040

SANTA MONICA

Downtown stormwater, groundwater,
wastewater reuse by 2020

NEW YORK CITY

Battery Park operating decentralized
system since 2003;
Grant program for onsite systems

ANAHEIM

Operating blackwater system for
irrigation around City Hall and toilet
flushing in Anaheim West Tower



**DESIGN
ENGINEER**



OPERATOR



REGULATOR



**PROGRAM
ADMINISTRATOR**

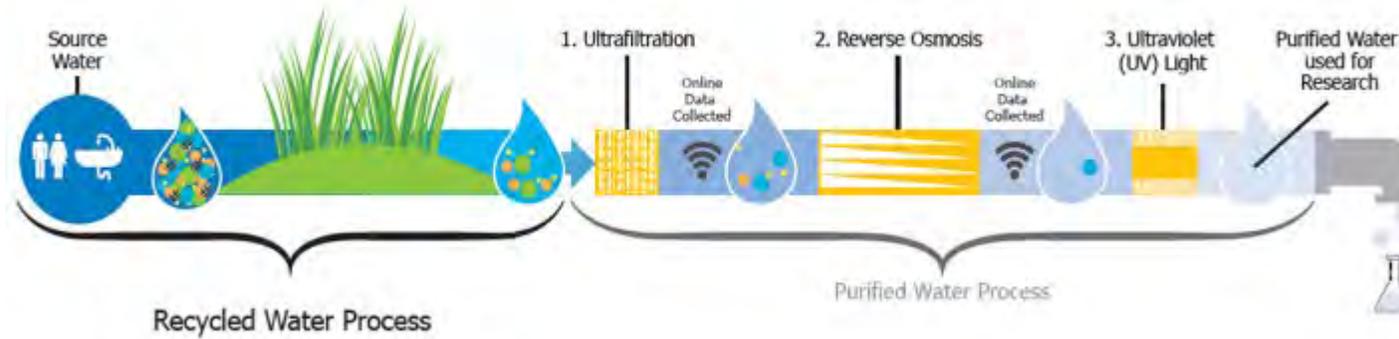


**SYSTEM
OWNER**



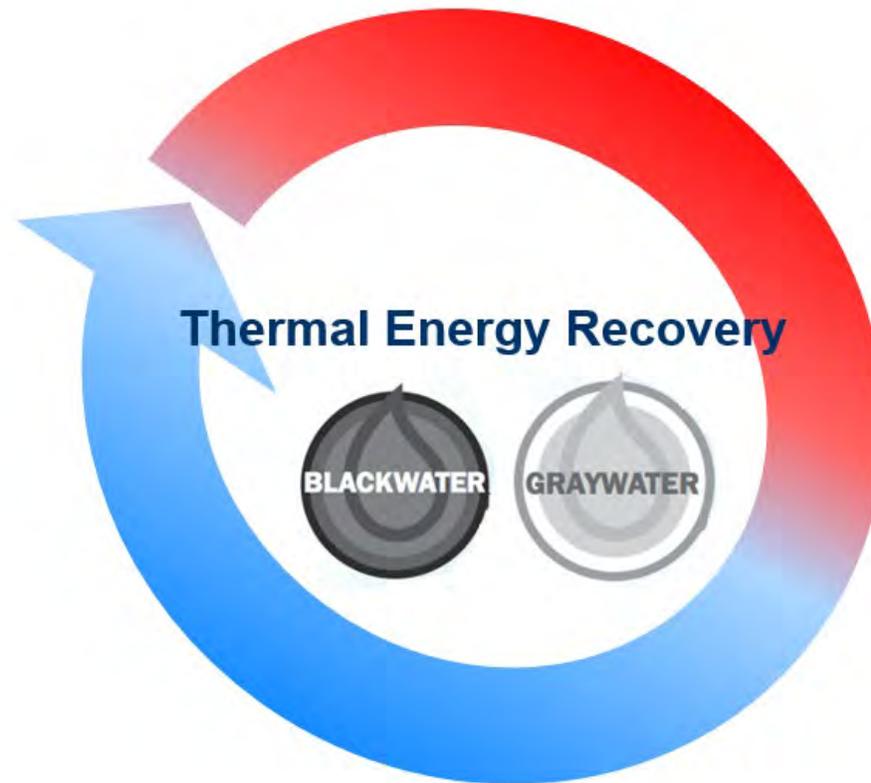


SF Piloting Decentralized Purified Water



Atmospheric Water Generation Technologies





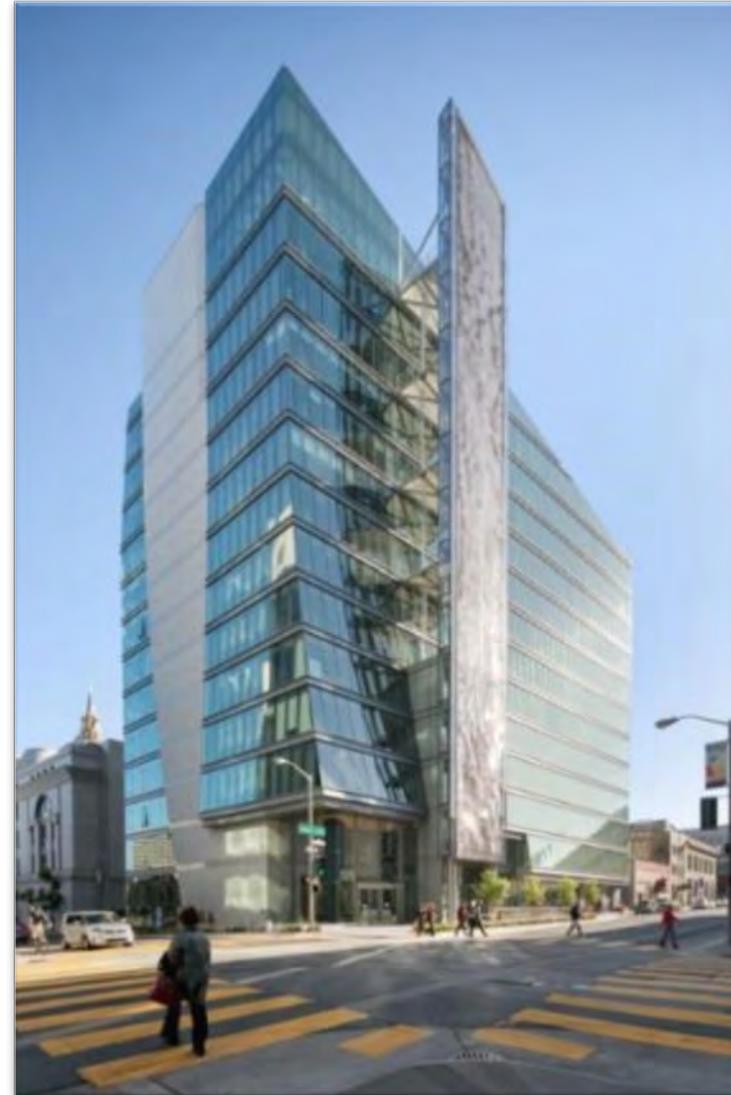
Opportunities to Adapt and Reimagine Our Water Systems



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WATER FORWARD

INTEGRATED WATER RESOURCE PLAN

Water Forward Ordinances Workshop

June 25, 2019



Workshop Format

- Brief overview presentation
- Breakout discussions
 - We will cycle through three tables
 - Water Balance Submittal
 - Regulatory Framework and Water Quality Requirements
 - Permitting Process
 - Twenty minutes per table, five minute transitions
 - We are asking for your help in identifying issues to address in the development of these ordinances
- Staff facilitators will report out on discussions and workshop will end with an open house

Water Forward

Austin's Integrated Water Resource Plan

- Austin Water-led interdepartmental effort to develop a 100 year water plan that:
 - Reflects our community's values
 - Ensures a diversified, sustainable, and resilient water future
 - Places strong emphasis on conservation
- Council-appointed Task Force met monthly
- Plan approved by Council in November 2018, with planned updates on a five year cycle

Water Forward Plan Strategies

Demand Management

Implement Advanced Metering Infrastructure (AMI)

Enhance distribution system water loss control

Provide customer water use benchmarking information and implement water budgets

Transform to regionally appropriate landscapes

Expand irrigation efficiency incentives

Water Supply

Store water for drought via Aquifer Storage and Recovery and a new Off Channel Reservoir

Bring on additional supplies via Brackish Groundwater Desalination

Expand the Centralized Reclaimed Water System

Use Indirect Potable Reuse as a deep drought strategy

Capture local inflows to Lady Bird Lake

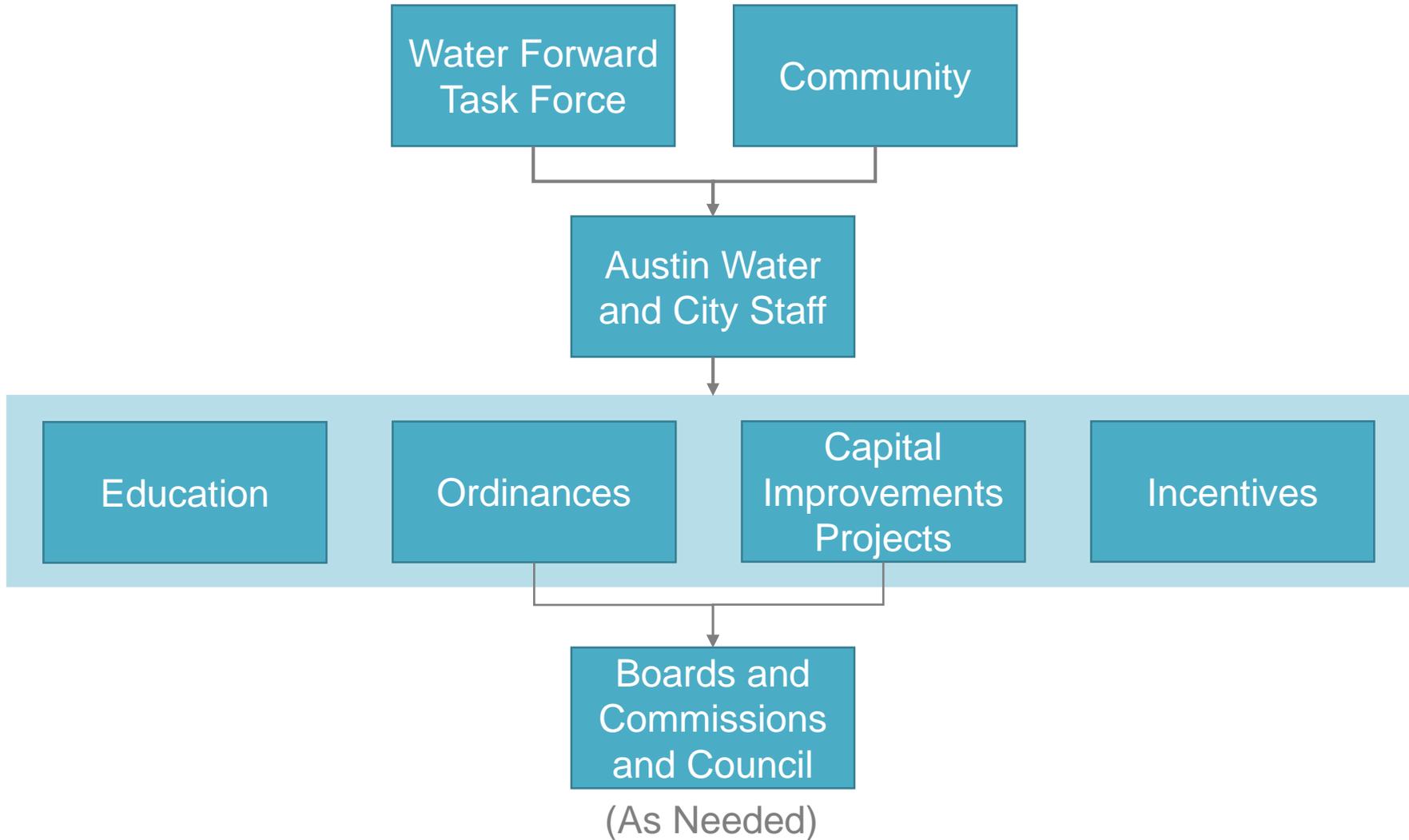
Use on-site and neighborhood scale alternative water sources for non-potable end uses
Rainwater, Stormwater, Wastewater, Graywater, and AC Condensate

Decentralized

Planning and Development Center Pilot



Water Forward Implementation Approach



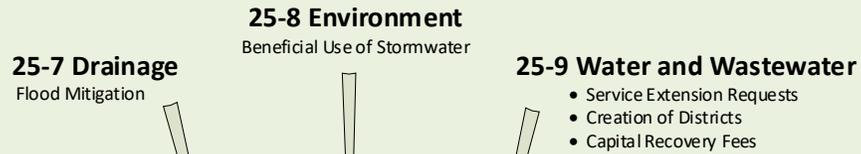
City Code Refresh

Title 25 - Land Development Code

The set of rules and processes that guides how land is used and developed in the city of Austin. Austin's Land Development Code regulates new development, redevelopment, zoning, subdivisions, transportation and parking, outdoor signs, site plans, drainage, watershed protection, open space, and more.

Key Sections Included In Scope of LDC Revision

Other sections not listed include – 25-1 General Requirements, 25-3 Traditional Neighborhood District, 25-4 Subdivision, 25-5 Site Plans, 25-6 Transportation, 25-10 Sign Regulations, 25-11 Building Demolition and Relocation Permits, and 25-13 Airport Hazards

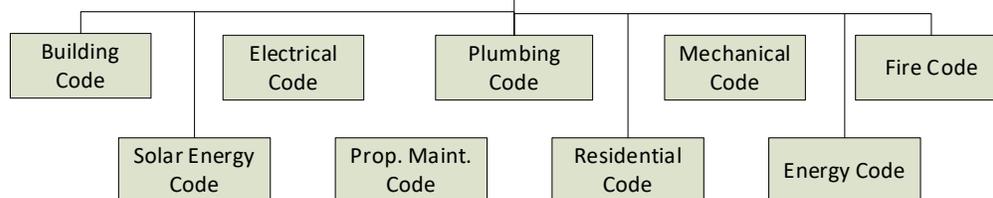


25-2 Zoning

Development regulations for different land uses
Commercial landscape

Outside the Primary Scope of LDC Revision

25-12 Technical Codes



Outside the Primary Scope of LDC Revision

Other Code Titles

Title 6 – Environmental Control and Conservation

Title 15 – Utility Regulations

Technical Criteria Manuals

Design Requirements

Building

Drainage

Environmental

Fire Protection

Transportation

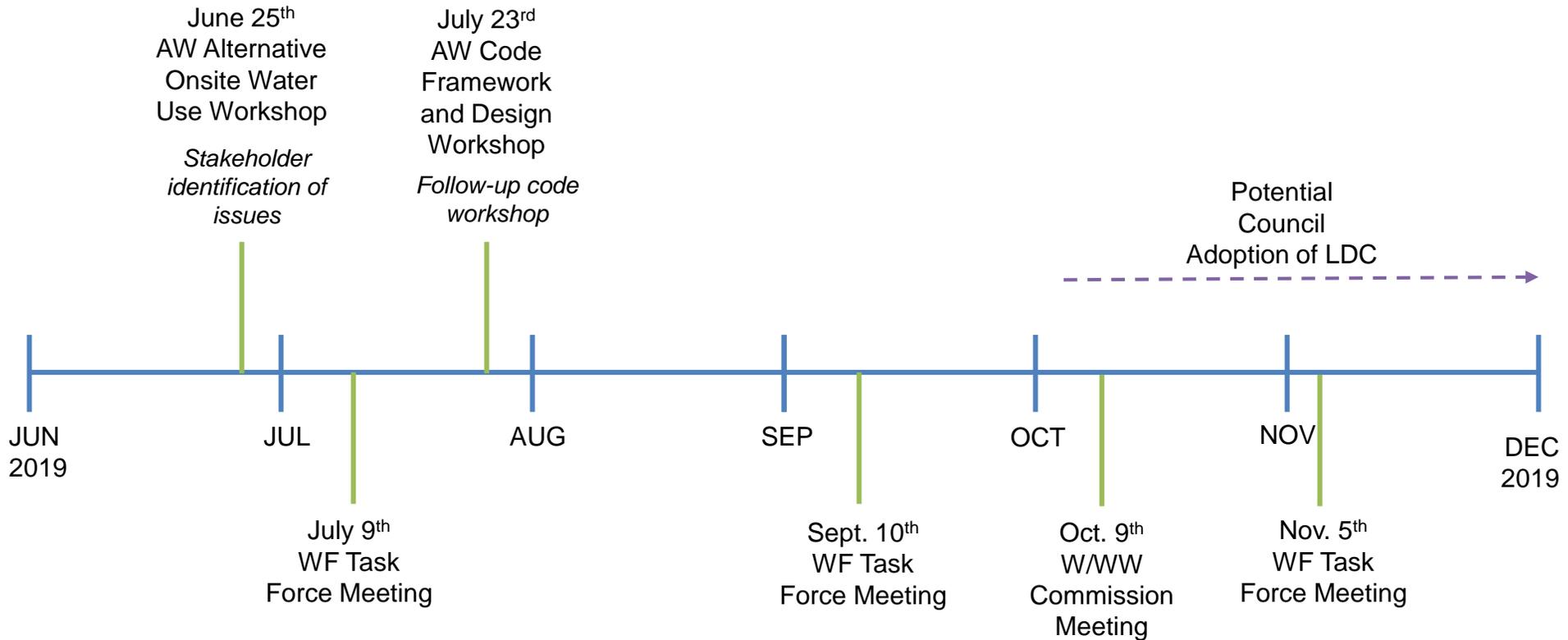
Utilities

Direction from Council 5/2/19

“To ensure that the Land Development Codes and permitting process are streamlined to the greatest extent possible upon adoption of any revision to the Land Development Code, the regulatory requirements adopted as part of Water Forward, Austin's 100-year integrated water resource plan, that are related to the Land Development Code and are able to be accelerated and implemented this year should be codified and implemented as part of this comprehensive land development code revision process.

The staff should report back at least on the following areas if they were not able to accelerate and implement this year (especially as concerns commercial buildings larger than 250,000 square feet): water benchmarking, dual plumbing, landscape transformation, and alternative water.”

Timeline – Subject to Change



Code Concepts	Code Outline	Code Language	RCA Backup	Presentations to Boards, Commissions, and Council
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Continued Analysis, Technical Criteria, and Regulatory Program Development

Proposed Code Concept Breakdown

Code
 Adopted
 Fall
 2019

New development submitting a site plan must also submit a water balance



Concept 1

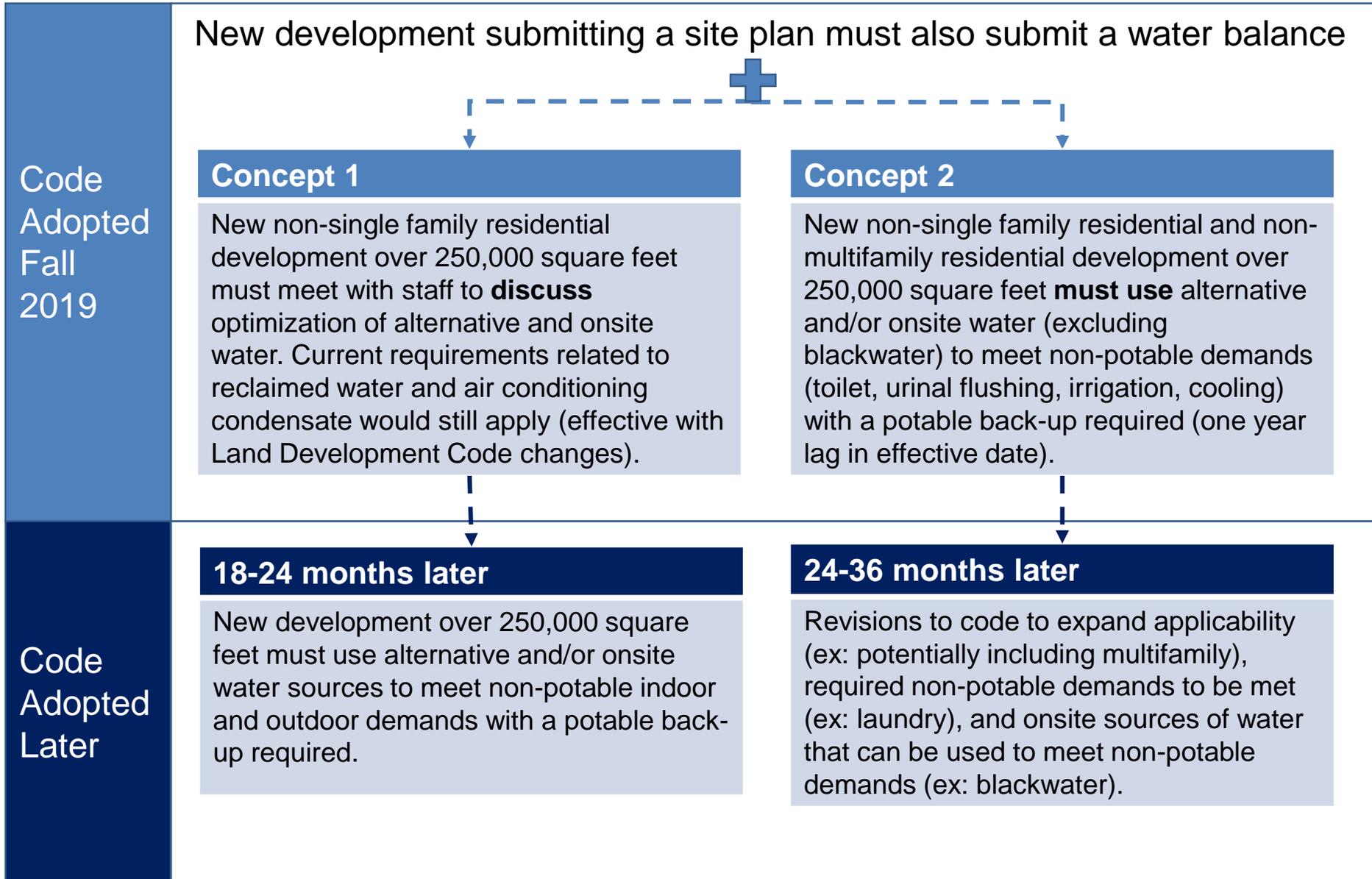
New non-single family residential development over 250,000 square feet must meet with staff to **discuss** optimization of alternative and onsite water. Current requirements related to reclaimed water and air conditioning condensate would still apply (effective with Land Development Code changes).

Concept 2

New non-single family residential and non-multifamily residential development over 250,000 square feet **must use** alternative and/or onsite water (excluding blackwater) to meet non-potable demands (toilet, urinal flushing, irrigation, cooling) with a potable back-up required (one year lag in effective date).

Acceptable onsite water sources include rainwater, stormwater, AC condensate, foundation drainage, graywater.

Proposed Code Concept Breakdown



What is needed beyond code language to be able to effectively implement requirements?

- Development of technical criteria
 - Code tells you what to do, criteria tells you how to do it
- Integration the development review process
 - Definition of roles and responsibilities
 - Dedicated staff for review, inspection, and monitoring
- Development of guidance and educational materials for the development community

COA Development Review Process for Multifamily and Commercial Properties

Zoning Review	Land Use Review			Commercial Plan Review
Ex: PUDS	Development Assessment (optional)	Subdivision/Plat	Site Plan	Building Permit
Designates “uses” (e.g. residential, commercial, or industrial), the size of buildings, and how buildings relate to their surroundings, including other buildings, open spaces, and the street.	A voluntary (and free) review step that developers may elect to undergo in order to obtain guidance on subsequent permitting processes.	A map of land that has been subdivided into lots showing the location and boundaries of individual parcels with the streets, alleys, easements, and rights of use over the land of another.	Review of detailed architectural and engineering designs of proposed improvements to a tract of land. Alternative Water Review	Review of detailed architectural and engineering designs of buildings and accessory structures. Alternative Water Review

Save the Date

Austin Water
Code Framework and Design Workshop

Tuesday, July 23rd
Waller Creek Center
625 East 10th Street

Breakout Discussions

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Report Out

Open House

