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COMMUNITY WATER SUPPLY ASSESSMENT

NORTH DAVIS MEADOWS COUNTY SERVICE AREA

JULY 31, 2018

COUNTY SERVICE AREAS

■ Purpose

■ Governance

- *CSA Advisory Committee makes recommendations*
- *Board of Supervisors makes decisions*

■ Yolo County Priorities

- *Protect public health, welfare, and safety (CA. Constitution)*
- *Address critical service delivery and infrastructure needs**
- *Ensuring a **safe and reliable** water supply**

* *Goals adopted in 2016-19 Yolo County Strategic Plan*

WATER SUPPLY ASSESSMENT

■ Assessment Purpose

- *Evaluate the risk associated with each approach*
- *Ensure all previous efforts are understood by NDM community*

■ Assessment Process

- *Review and compile previous CSA work in one document*
- *Research and analyze new Point of Use regulations*
- *Obtain updated information, where feasible*

WATER SUPPLY RISK ASSESSMENT

Assessment contains description of the current alternatives, costs, pros and cons, and risk analysis. Risk factors include:

- *water quality reliability,*
- *water supply reliability,*
- *anticipated longevity of system,*
- *cost/frequency/responsibility of operations and maintenance (O&M), and*
- *uncontrollable external factors such as future regulation, drought and land subsidence.*

Risk describes the likelihood of future intervention.

Risk is categorized as **LOW**, **MEDIUM**, or **HIGH**.

NORTH DAVIS MEADOWS CSA

Existing water supply is shallow wells

- Flat rate for water services
- Approaching end of useful well life
- Deficient water quality
- Insufficient water capacity

WATER SUPPLY APPROACHES

Previously analyzed and rejected (2009 – 2014)

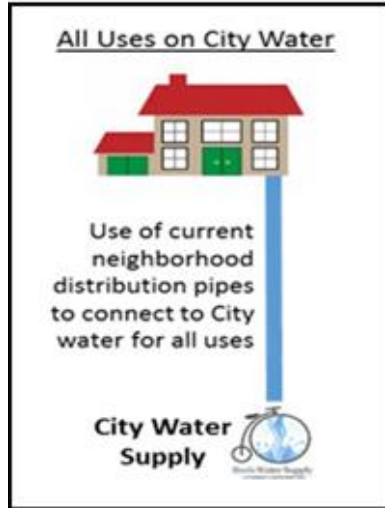
- Well rehabilitation with treatment system (~ \$5M)
- City consolidation during WDCWA buildout (~ \$2M)
- Individual wells for each household (~ \$30K / home)

WATER SUPPLY APPROACHES

This assessment looked at:

- Full City Consolidation (Approved Project, March 2018)
- Dual Water Supply
- New Deep Wells

FULL CONSOLIDATION WITH CITY



Cost

| Project Construction | Annual Water Consumption Est. | Estimated Annual Charges per parcel |
|---|-------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| \$8.3M total (\$4,157 per parcel/year) | \$3,655 - \$6,215 | \$7,813 - \$10,365 |

Risk Analysis

| Water Quality | Water Supply | System Longevity | O&M | External Factors |
|---------------|--------------|------------------|-----|------------------|
| LOW | LOW | LOW | LOW | LOW |

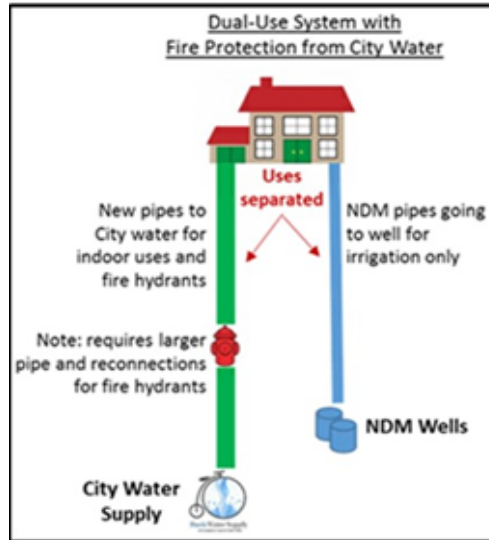
Pro

- Moderate const. cost with low risk
- Low interest, long-term financing
- No O&M
- Water quality and quantity assured
- Future repair and replacement City responsibility

Con

- Higher water charges
- Individual meters required

DUAL USE ALTERNATIVE



Cost

| Project Construction | Annual Water Consumption Est. | Estimated Annual Charges per parcel |
|---|-------------------------------|--|
| \$12.2 M total (\$9,242 per parcel/years 1-4) (\$5,174 per parcel/years 5-30) | \$3,200 | \$ 12,442 years 1-4 \$ 8,374 years 5-30 |

Risk Analysis

| Water Quality | Water Supply | System Longevity | O&M | External Factors |
|---------------|--------------|------------------|-----|------------------|
| LOW | LOW | MED | MED | MED |

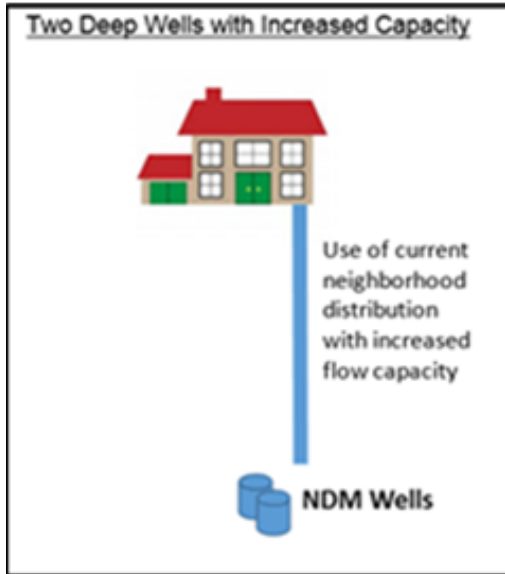
Pro

- Low interest, long-term financing for City portion of project
- Water quality and quantity assured
- Low cost water for outdoor uses

Con

- High construction costs
- Higher residential water charges
- Individual meters required
- Outdoor water uses need to be privately financed

NEW DEEP WELLS



Cost

| Project Construction | Annual Water Consumption Est. | Estimated Annual Charges per parcel |
|--|-------------------------------|--|
| \$4.6 M to \$6.6 M (\$2,090 - \$2,998 per parcel/year)) | \$2,000/year | \$ 4,090 -\$4,998/year plus \$ 8,505 per parcel (one time deficit repayment) |

Risk Analysis

| Water Quality | Water Supply | System Longevity | O&M | External Factors |
|-----------------|--------------|------------------|------------|------------------|
| MED/HIGH | MED | MED | MED | MED |

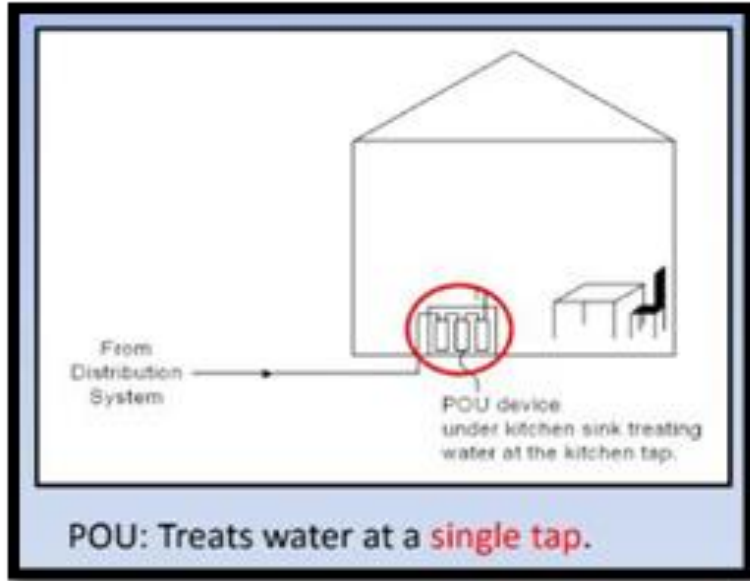
Pro

- Lowest construction costs
- Low interest, long-term financing may be available
- Low cost water for all uses

Con

- No guarantee of water quality
- CSA responsible for all system O&M costs
- Unknown regulatory future
- Infrastructure will need future replacement
- Individual meters required with public financing, no flat rates

NEW DEEP WELLS + POU



Pro

- Effective at reducing known contaminants
- Low cost to install and maintain

Con

- New wells still required to meet fire flow
- No guarantee of permit issuance/renewal
- CSA responsible for all system O&M costs
- Water quality monitoring burden is high
- Does not protect bacterial, fungal, etc contaminants

WATER SUPPLY ALTERNATIVES

Summary

- Risk is tied to cost
- Lack of community consensus on any alternative
- Consolidation does not prevent dual use at later date
- County focused on protecting public health, welfare, and safety