

Urban Water Management Compliance

Anderson-Cottonwood Irrigation District diverts surface water for irrigation purposes.

Per the Urban Water Management Planning Act, the City of Live Oak is not required to produce an Urban Water Management Plan since it serves less than 3,000 water connections and provides less than 3,000 acre-feet of water annually. In accordance with CWC section 525, all water connections in the city have had water meters installed since 2006. However, as the instructions state that just urban water suppliers must provide a Water Metering compliance self-certification form, the City is not providing this form since the City is not considered an “urban water supplier” per the definition in the CWC section 10617.

The City of Shasta Lake is behind schedule with its 2010 Urban Water Management Plan (UWMP) submittal principally due to uncertainties with water supply reliability and ongoing discussions with the U.S. Bureau of Reclamation (BOR) regarding approval of the transfer of 2,000 acre feet of water pursuant to a long-term water transfer agreement between the City and the Anderson-Cottonwood Irrigation District. BOR will not approve the transfer due to purported impacts to the Cold Water Pool at Shasta Dam and indications that withdrawing additional water at the existing intake at the Dam will adversely impact downstream temperatures in the Sacramento River.

The City has completed a Draft 2010 UWMP which is scheduled for adoption by City Council following a public hearing on August 19, 2014. Once adopted, the UWMP will be submitted to DWR for verification.

Per the Urban Water Management Planning Act, the Rio Alto Water District is not required to produce an Urban Water Management Plan since it serves fewer than 3,000 water connections and provides less than 3,000 acre-feet of water annually.