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**Public Notice**

The Antelope Valley Integrated Regional Water Management (IRWM) Program is preparing an update to the Antelope Valley IRWM Plan adopted in 2007. IRWM Plans are regional plans designed to improve collaboration in water resources management. The first IRWM Plan for Antelope Valley was published in 2007, following a multi-year effort among water retailers, wastewater agencies, storm water and flood managers, watershed groups, the business community, agriculture representatives, and non-profit stakeholders to improve water resources planning in the Antelope Valley IRWM Region.

In response to changes in the State's integrated planning requirements, the Antelope Valley IRWM Program is preparing an update to the 2007 IRWM Plan. This update is an opportunity to incorporate additional stakeholder interests into the IRWM Plan, and revisit the Plan in light of changes that have occurred since 2007.

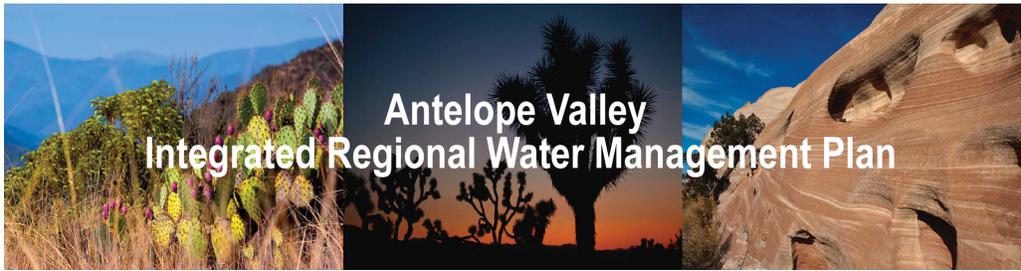
The 2007 IRWM Plan and information concerning the update may be viewed online at <http://avwaterplan.org>.

Questions regarding the AV IRWM update should be directed to: Aracely Jaramillo at [AJaramillo@dpw.lacounty.gov](mailto:AJaramillo@dpw.lacounty.gov)

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# Antelope Valley Integrated Regional Water Management Plan

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November 20, 2013  
[AVIRWM] Salt and Nutrient  
Management Plan  
Stakeholder Meeting

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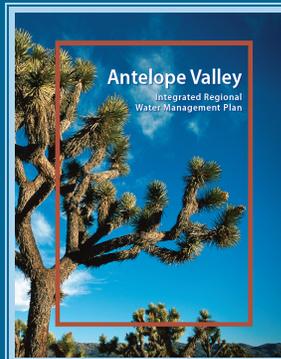
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## Antelope Valley Integrated Regional Water Management Plan

The Antelope Valley Integrated Regional Water Management Plan (IRWMP), A.K.A. The AV Water Plan, is a multi-county collaboration effort developed to address regional concerns about water supply reliability, water quality, flood protection, environmental resources and land use management in the Antelope Valley.

### ANNOUNCEMENT:



The Antelope Valley Water Plan is now COMPLETE and has been posted for review.

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## SPOTLIGHT

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Round 2  
Implementation  
Grant Proposal –  
BCSD Arsenic  
Management  
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Proposition 1E,  
Round 2 Stormwater  
Flood Management  
Grant Application  
Little Rock Reservoir  
Sediment Removal  
Project  
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Salt/Nutrient  
Management Plan -  
Scope of Work  
(PDF, 24 KB)

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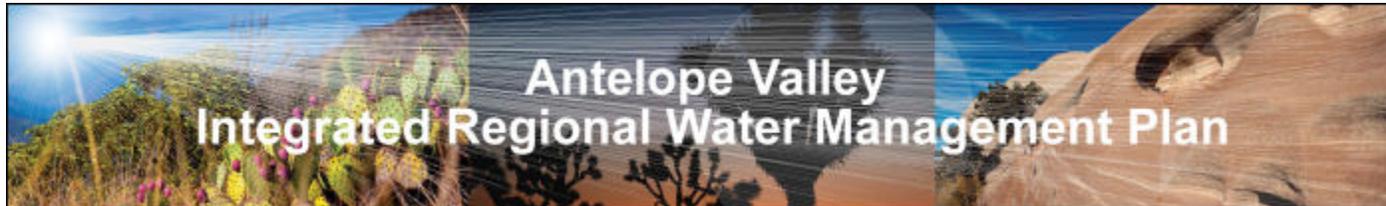
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[AVIRWM] IRWM Stakeholder Meeting	11/20/2013, 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM	Larry Chimbole Cultural Center - Lilac Room at Palmdale City Hall 38350 Sierra Highway Palmdale,		<a href="#">Get Driving Directions</a>	<a href="#">Send me Reminder</a>

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[AVIRWM] Salt and Nutrient Management Plan Stakeholder Meeting	11/20/2013, 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM	Larry Chimbole Cultural Center - Lilac Room at Palmdale City Hall 38350 Sierra Highway Palmdale, 93550		<a href="#">Get Driving Directions</a>	<a href="#">Send me Reminder</a>

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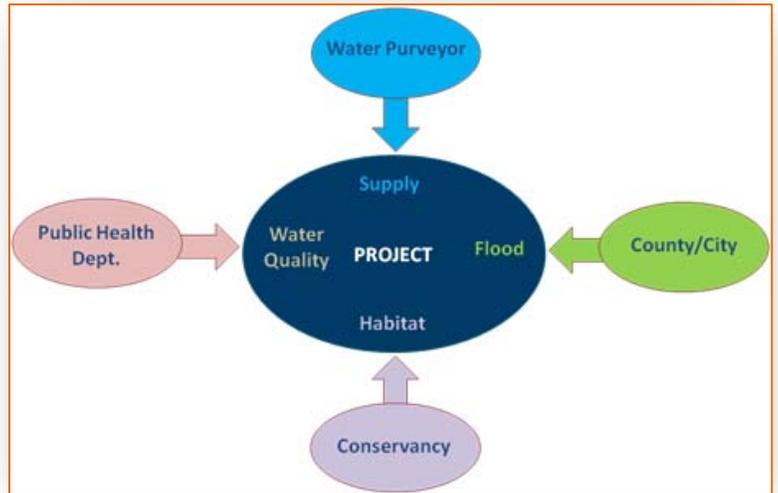
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# Antelope Valley Integrated Regional Water Management

## What is integrated regional water management?

*Integrated Regional Water Management (IRWM)* is a collaborative effort to manage all aspects of water resources in a region. IRWM crosses jurisdictional, watershed, and political boundaries; involves multiple agencies, stakeholders, individuals, and groups; and attempts to address the issues and differing perspectives of all the entities involved using mutually beneficial solutions.

This State program encourages local agencies to work cooperatively to manage local and imported water supplies to improve quality, quantity, and reliability.

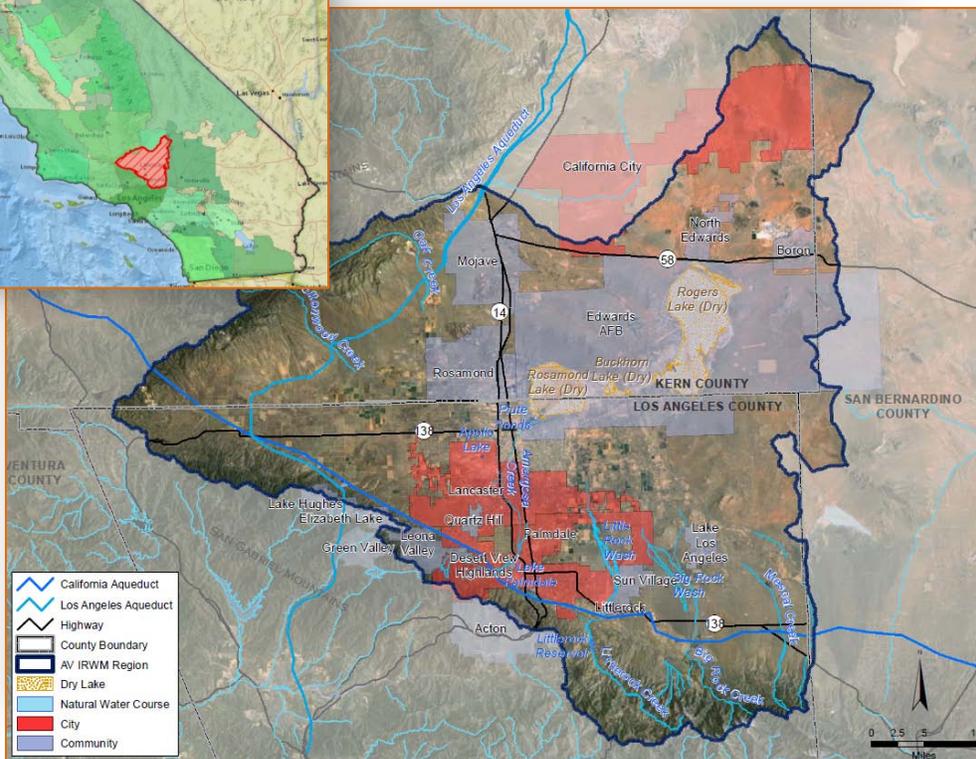


## The IRWM Program organizes the State into Regions based on shared challenges & responsibilities

The Antelope Valley is one of 48 regions in the State of California. Regions are defined as contiguous geographic areas encompassing the service areas of multiple local agencies, and are defined to maximize the opportunities to

integrate water management activities. Each region is self defined, and is approved by the California Department of Water Resources. Approved Regions are eligible to apply for grant funding.

The Antelope Valley Region encompasses approximately 2,400 sq miles in northern Los Angeles County, southern Kern County, and western San Bernardino County.



## Numerous Antelope Valley stakeholders have been engaged in the Program since 2006

Leaders and agencies in the Antelope Valley joined together to form a Regional Water Management Group (RWMG):



Other stakeholders also participate in the Antelope Valley IRWM process:

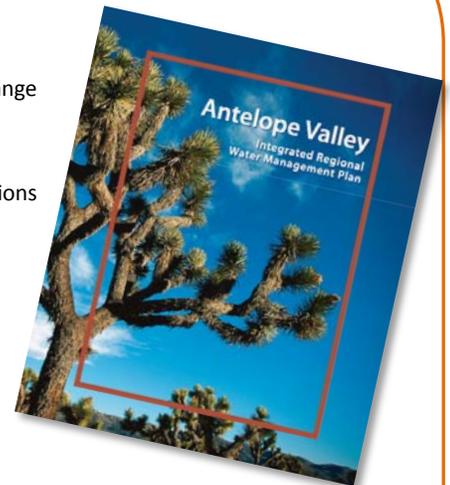
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- Antelope Valley Conservancy
- Antelope Valley Resource Conserv. District
- Antelope Valley United Water Purveyors
- Building Industry Association
- California Dept. of Fish & Game
- California Dept. of Public Health
- California Dept. of Water Resources
- CA State Water Resources Control Board
- California State Parks
- City of Boron
- City of California City
- Edwards Air Force Base
- Kern County Board of Supervisors, Dist. 2
- Kern County Farm Bureau
- Kern County Planning Department
- Lahontan Reg. Water Qual. Control Board
- Lake Los Angeles Town Council
- Leona Valley Town Council
- LA County Board of Supervisors
- LA County Dept. of Public Works
- LA County Dept. of Regional Planning
- LA County Farm Bureau
- Mojave Desert Mountain Resource Conservation and Development Council
- National Education Association
- National Resources Conservation Service
- Roosevelt Town Council
- Sierra Club
- Sundale Mutual
- U.S. Department of Agriculture
- Westside Park
- White Fence Farms

## Stakeholders have collaborated to develop water management objectives, to develop projects, and to write an IRWM Plan that is periodically updated

The Region's objectives help to manage current and future resources.

- Water Supply
- Water Quality
- Flood Management
- Environmental Resources Management
- Land Use Planning/ Management
- Climate Change

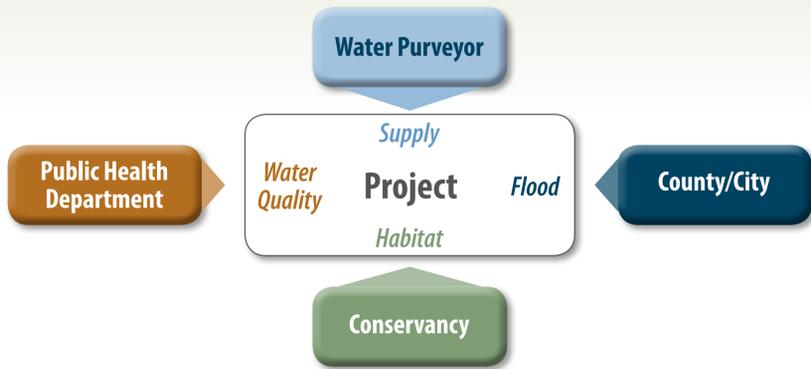
- Provide reliable water supply and adapt to climate change
- Establish a supply contingency plan
- Stabilize groundwater levels
- Meet regulatory requirements and customer expectations
- Protect and maintain aquifers
- Protect streams and recharge areas
- Maximize beneficial use of recycled water
- Reduce negative impacts of stormwater, urban runoff, and nuisance water
- Preserve open space and natural habitats, and enhance water resources and species in the Region
- Maintain agricultural land use
- Meet growing demand for recreational space
- Improve integrated land use planning
- Mitigate against climate change



**BECOME AN IRWM STAKEHOLDER!**  
 Please visit [www.avwaterplan.org](http://www.avwaterplan.org) or contact the Los Angeles County Department of Public Works at (626) 300-3353 for stakeholder meeting information.

# Antelope Valley Integrated Regional Water Management (IRWM)

The IRWM Program was developed to encourage collaboration on water issues



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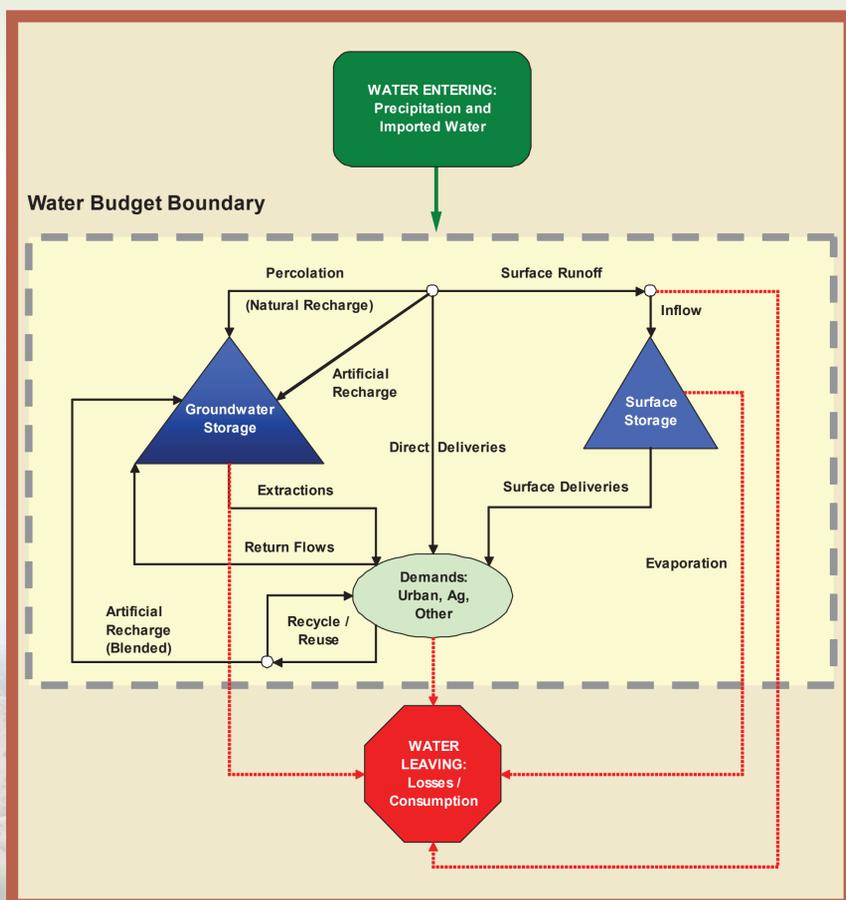
### Regional Water Management Group



### Other Stakeholders

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- Lake Los Angeles Park
- Leona Valley Town Council
- Los Angeles Co. Board of Supervisors Office, District 5
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- Los Angeles Co. Farm Bureau
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- Mutual Water Companies
- National Education Association, Antelope Valley
- National Resources Conservation Service
- Roosevelt Town Council
- Sierra Club
- Sundale Mutual Water
- Town Councils
- Tybrin Corporation at Edwards Air Force Base
- U.S. Department of Agriculture
- Westside Park Mutual Water Company
- White Fence Farms Mutual Water Company

## The Region has a complex water balance



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### Flood Management

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### Environmental Resources Management

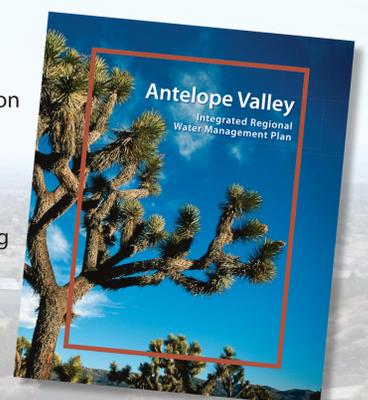
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### Land Use Planning/Management

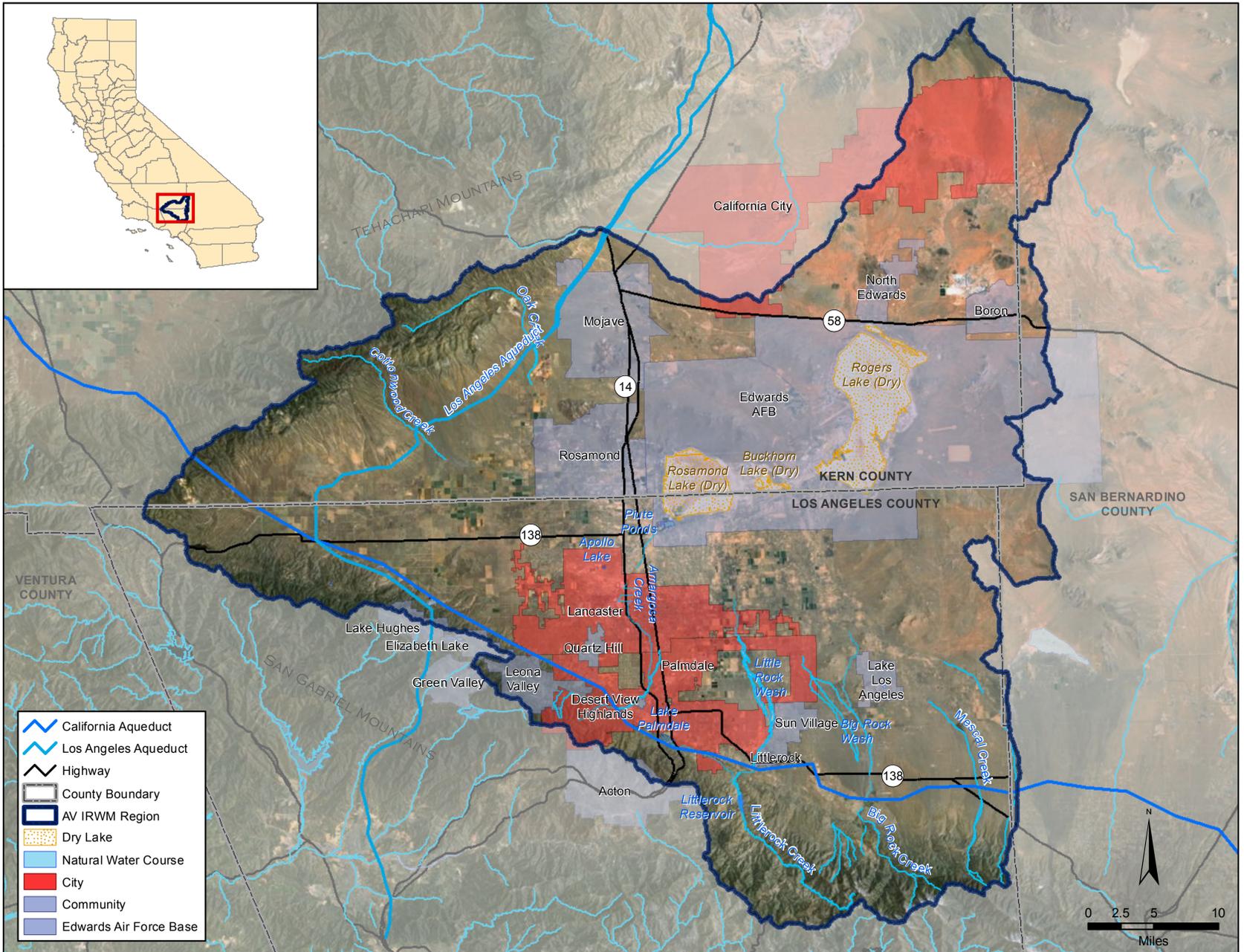
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### Climate Change

- Mitigate against climate change



# The Antelope Valley IRWM Region is made up of many unique cities and communities.



## The Antelope Valley communities are working together through IRWM to implement water projects for the benefit of all.

