

SECTION 1

Plan Preparation

This Urban Water Management Plan (Plan) addresses the City of Roseville (City). The Plan is required by the Urban Water Management Planning Act (Act) (California Water Code Division 6, Part 2.6, Sections 10610 through 10657). This chapter provides an overview of the Plan, public participation, and agency coordination.

1.1. Urban Water Management Planning Act

One of the purposes of this Plan is to ensure the efficient use of available water supplies, as required by the Act. The Act became part of the California Water Code with the passage of Assembly Bill 797 during the 1983–1984 regular session of the California legislature. Subsequently, assembly bills between 1990 and 2009 amended the Act. Most recently the Act was amended in 2009 by SBx7-7 that requires a 20% reduction in statewide water usage.

The Act requires every urban water supplier providing water for municipal purposes to more than 3,000 customers or supplying more than 3,000 acre-feet of water annually to adopt and submit an urban water management plan every five years to the California Department of Water Resources (DWR). According to DWR, the Act states that these urban water suppliers should make every effort to assure the appropriate level of reliability in its water service sufficient to meet the needs of its various categories of customers during normal, dry, and multiple dry years. The Act describes the contents of the Plan as well as how urban water suppliers should adopt and implement the Plan. It is the intention of the Legislature, in enacting this part, to permit levels of water management planning commensurate with the numbers of customers served and the volume of water supplied.

The Plan describes the availability of water and discusses water use, reclamation, and water conservation activities. The Plan concludes that the water supplies available to the City's customers are adequate over the next 25-year planning period.

1.2. Coordination

This section of the Plan describes the coordination efforts that have taken place during Plan

development and approval.

1.2.1 Public Participation

The Act requires the encouragement of public participation and a public hearing as part of the Urban Water Management Plan approval process. As required by the Act, prior to adopting this Plan, the City made the Plan available for public inspection and held a public hearing. This hearing provided an opportunity for City's customers and all residents and employees in the service area to learn about the water supply situation and the plans for providing a reliable, safe, high-quality water supply for the future. The hearing was an opportunity for people to ask questions regarding the current situation and the viability of future plans.

A Notice of Public Hearing was published twice in the Press Tribune and copies of the draft Plan were made available for public inspection at the Environmental Utilities Department and at local public libraries. A copy of the published Notice of Public Hearing is included in Appendix A. The Plan was presented to the Roseville Public Utilities commission on May 24, 2011 with a recommendation provided to Roseville City Council. The Plan was adopted by the City Council on August 17, 2011. The Plan is available for public review at the City's Corporation Yard located at 2005 Hilltop Circle, Roseville, California, 95747.

1.2.2 Agency Coordination

The Act requires the City to coordinate the preparation of its plan with other appropriate agencies in the area, including other water suppliers that share a common source, water management agencies, and relevant public agencies including Cities and Counties, to the extent practicable. The City coordinated the preparation of its plan with Placer County, Placer County Water Agency, San Juan Water District, and Citrus Heights Water District, as well as its own planning and wastewater departments. A copy of this plan was provided to the DWR, Placer County, and Placer County Water Agency. Table 1-1 provides a summary of the plan coordination with the appropriate agencies.

Table 1.1

Coordination with appropriate agencies

Coordinating Agencies^{1,2}	Participated in developing the plan	Commented on the draft	Attended public meetings	Was contacted for assistance	Was sent a copy of the draft plan	Was sent a notice of intention to adopt	Not involved / No information
Placer County Water Agency					X	X	
San Juan Water District						X	
Citrus Heights Water District						X	
Placer County					X	X	
City of Roseville	X		X			X	
General public							
Other							

1.2.3 Notification Requirement

The Act requires the City to notify any city or county within which the City provides water. Notification must occur at least 60 days prior to the public hearing on the Plan.

Pursuant to this requirement, the City is required to notify Placer County. Appendix C includes a copy of the notification sent to Placer County.

1.2.4 Plan Submittal and Availability

The Act requires the City to submit to the Department, the California State Library, and any city or county within which the City provides water supplies a copy of its plan no later than 30 days after adoption. The Plan will also be available at the City Clerks office at 311 Vernon Street and the City of Roseville Corporation Yard at 2005 Hilltop Circle.

1.3 Plan Implementation

The City plans to implement its Urban Water Management Plan through its ongoing water conservation programs, its ongoing planning work through its special planning areas and ongoing coordination with the United States Bureau of Reclamation on water supply planning issues.