

Water Planning and Stewardship Committee

Update on Water Surplus and Drought Management

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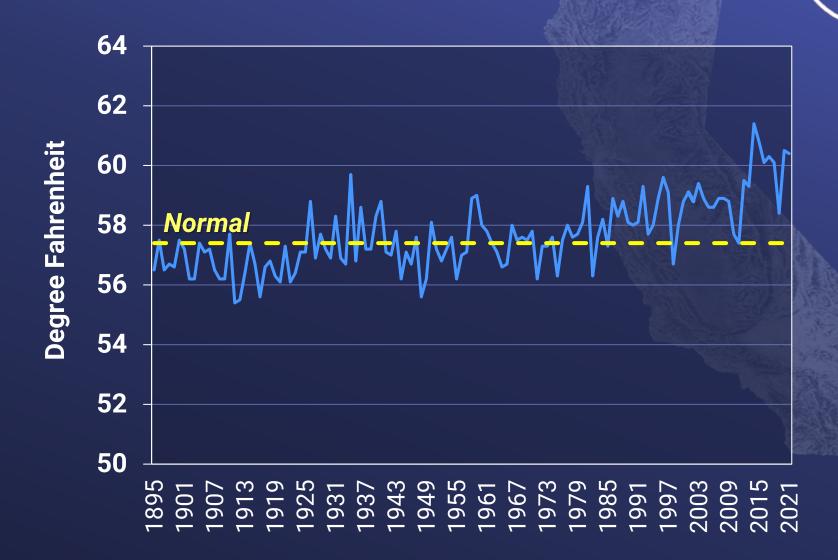
Outline

- Hydrologic Conditions
- Supply and Demand Balances

Statewide Average Temperature

Statewide

Unprecedented warming trend since the turn of the century



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Northern California

WY 2020-2022
is Currently the
Driest 3
Consecutive
Years on
Record



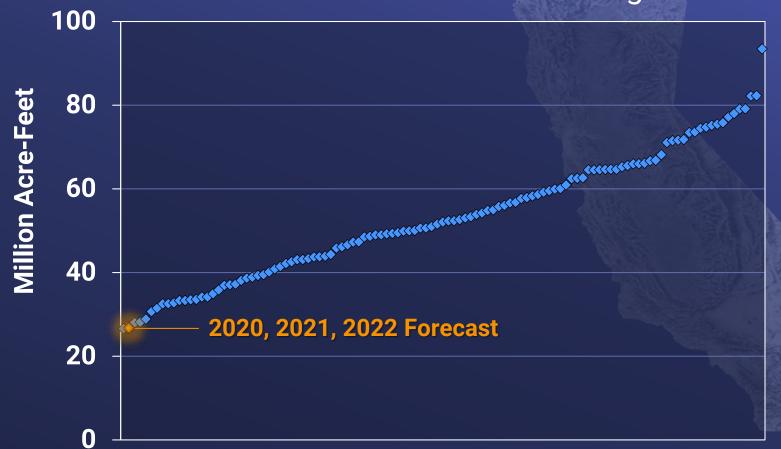


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Northern California

WY 2020-2022
Projected to be the Second Lowest on Record





Upper Colorado River Basin

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Ranking Powell Unregulated Inflow for 3 Consecutive Years

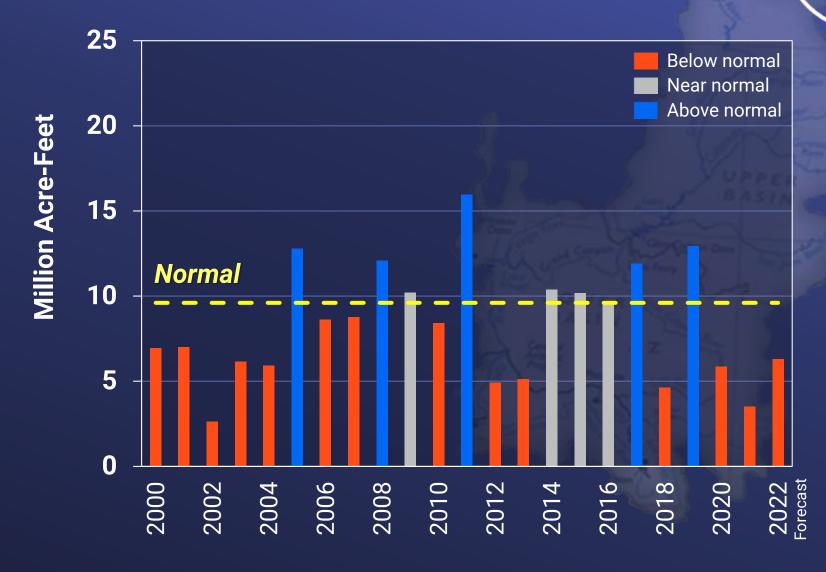


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Annual Powell Unregulated Inflow

Upper Colorado River Basin

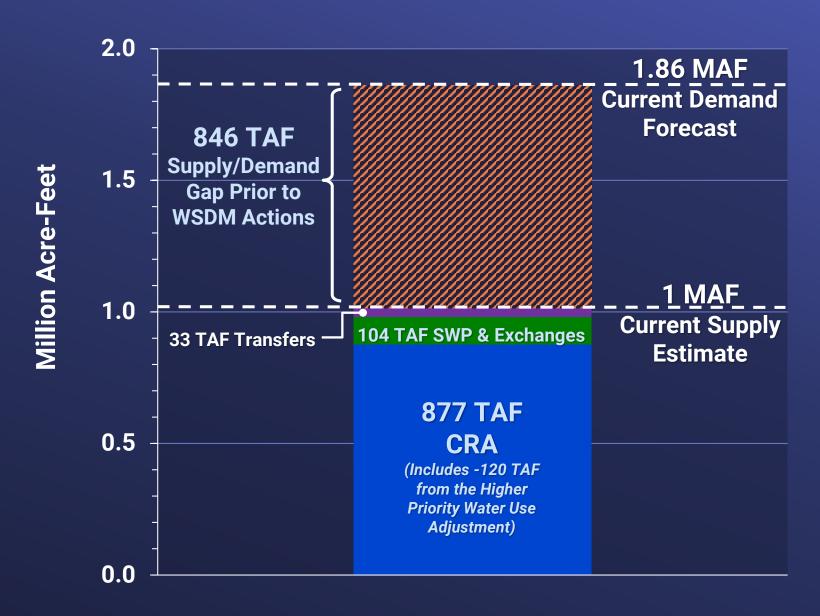
Below Normal Runoff Prevalent in the Last Two Decades



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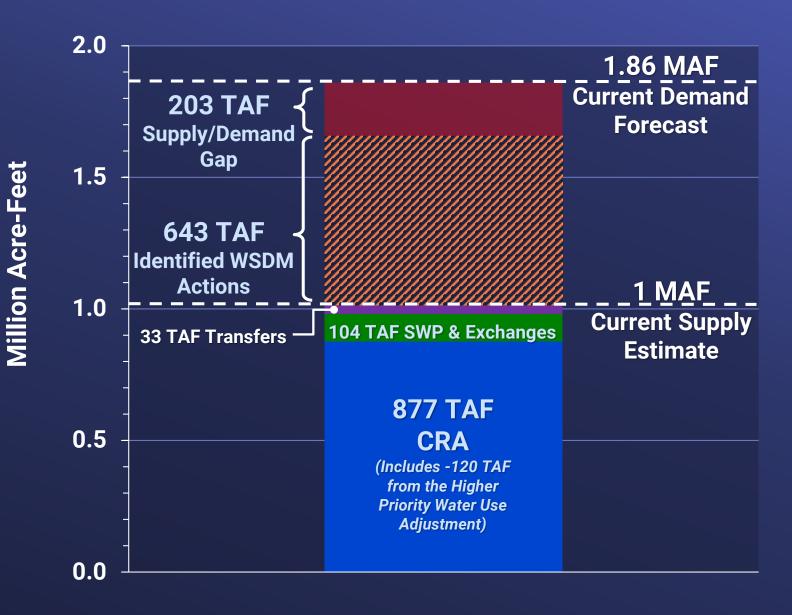
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Supply Demand Balance



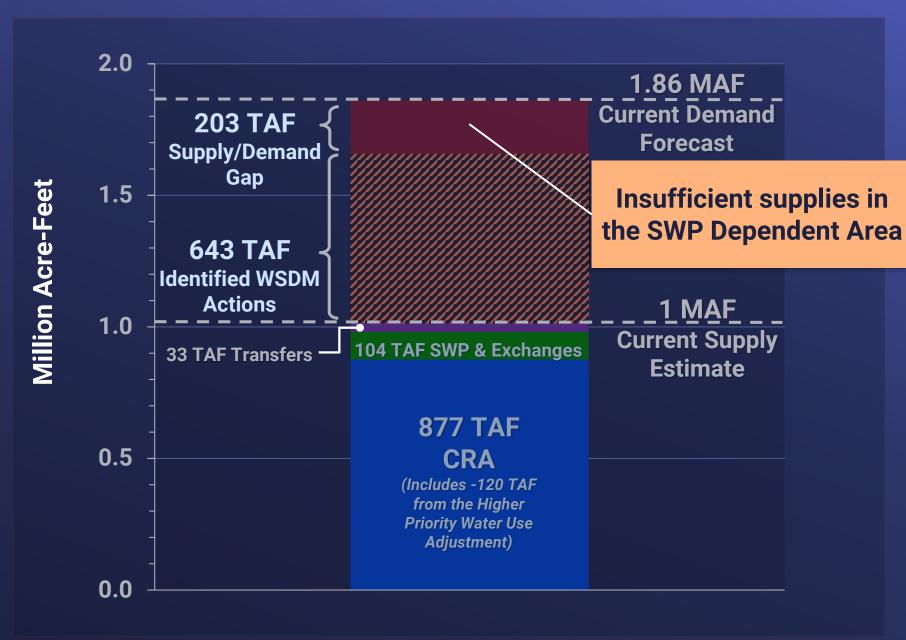
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Summary

- Combined runoff for the last 3 years is projected to be one of the lowest on record for both imported supply watersheds
- A majority of the supply/demand balance will be satisfied with WSDM actions like storage withdrawals
- There is not enough supply to meet normal demands for the Metropolitan's SWP Dependent Area
- Metropolitan's Board declared a Water Shortage Emergency Condition and approved an Emergency Water Conservation Program in April 2022

