

# 2013 Water Management Workshop Series



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**Regulations and Ordinances– June  
26, 2013**  
Course ID 7254



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# Workshop series overview

Give conservation coordinators tools to educate and encourage customers to conserve water by emphasizing the importance of conservation and the role it plays in utility management, regulations and ordinances, water and revenues.

- 1. May 29: Utility planning and asset management**
- 2. June 26: Regulations and ordinances**
- 3. July 31: Indoor and outdoor water use**
- 4. August 28: Water rates and revenue**



# Key takeaways

- 1. Understand the role of regulations and ordinances on effective water supply management.**
- 2. Recognize the barriers to successful implementation of water conservation ordinances and identify strategies to reduce them.**
- 3. Become familiar with upcoming regulatory changes and how they will affect local water supply operations, including encouraging water conservation.**



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# Ordinances



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# Integrating and Implementing Water Conservation Ordinances

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## **Existing model ordinances in NE Illinois**

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# Role of water conservation ordinances

- Carrots and sticks
- Working with municipal staff
- Integrating with other ordinances

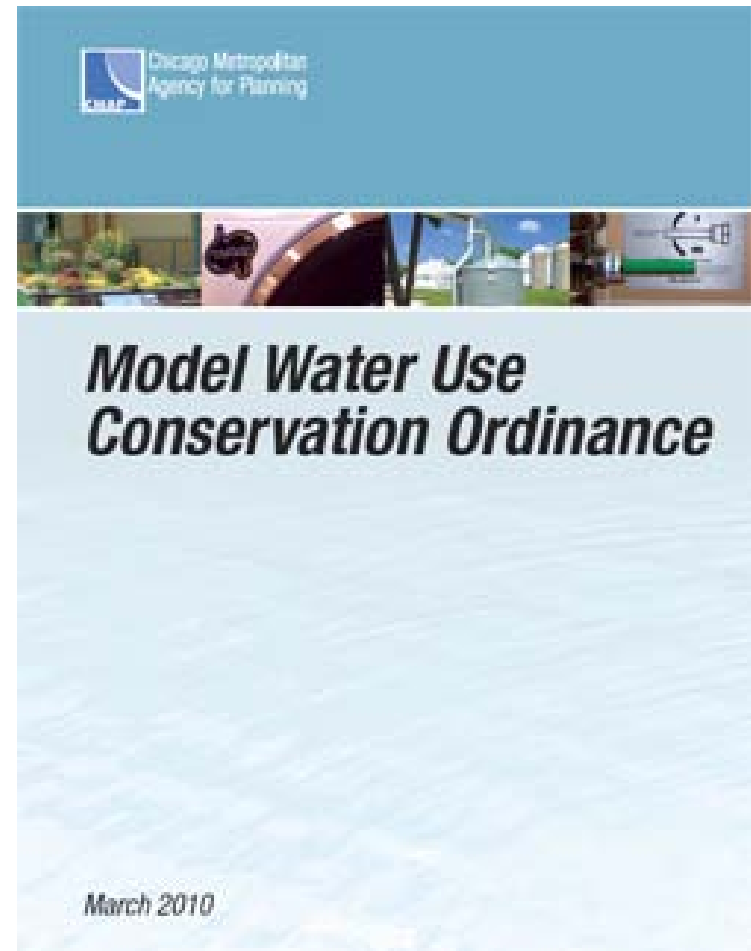
# Role of water conservation ordinances

- Lawn watering restrictions
- New sod restrictions
- Other watering restrictions
- Municipal operations
- Water rates
- Water meters
- Water billing
- Water charge
- Well setback zones
- Groundwater protection overlays
- Watershed protection
- Landscaping
- Native plants
- Nuisance weeds
- Plumbing code
- Water-efficient fixtures
- Drought



# Existing model ordinances: CMAP

- Residential – indoors and outdoors
- ICI – indoors and outdoors
- Rainwater harvesting
- Water waste
- Pricing
- Information and outreach
- Violations and enforcement










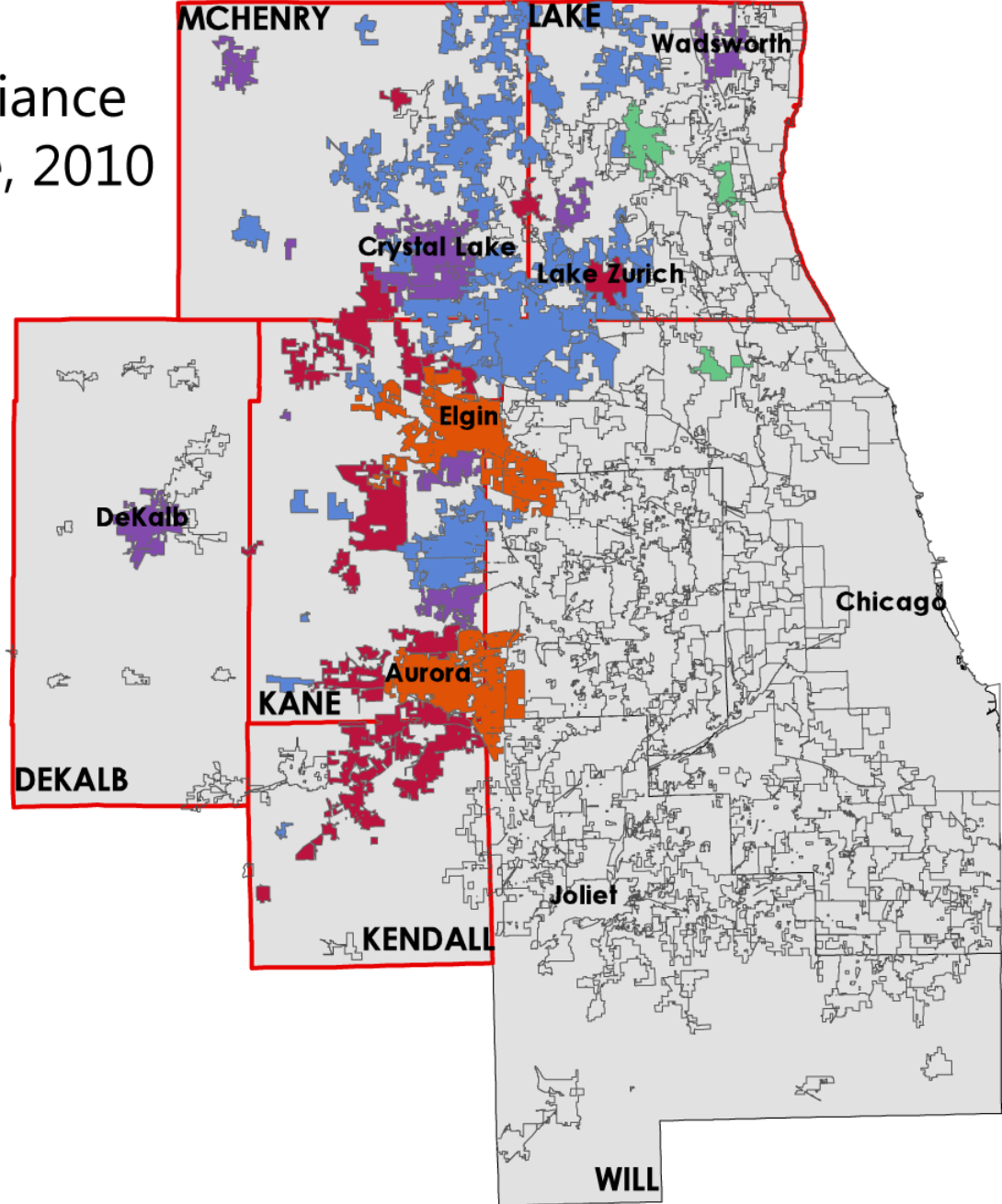
# Existing model ordinances: NWPA



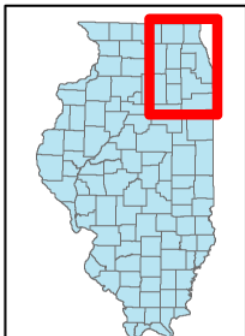
# Northwest Water Planning Alliance Communities by Water Source, 2010

## Northwest Water Planning Alliance Communities

-  NWPA Counties
  -  Non-NWPA Municipalities
- ### NWPA Municipalities by Water Source
-  Deep Aquifer
  -  Deep Aquifer and River
  -  Deep and Shallow Aquifer
  -  Lake
  -  Shallow Aquifer



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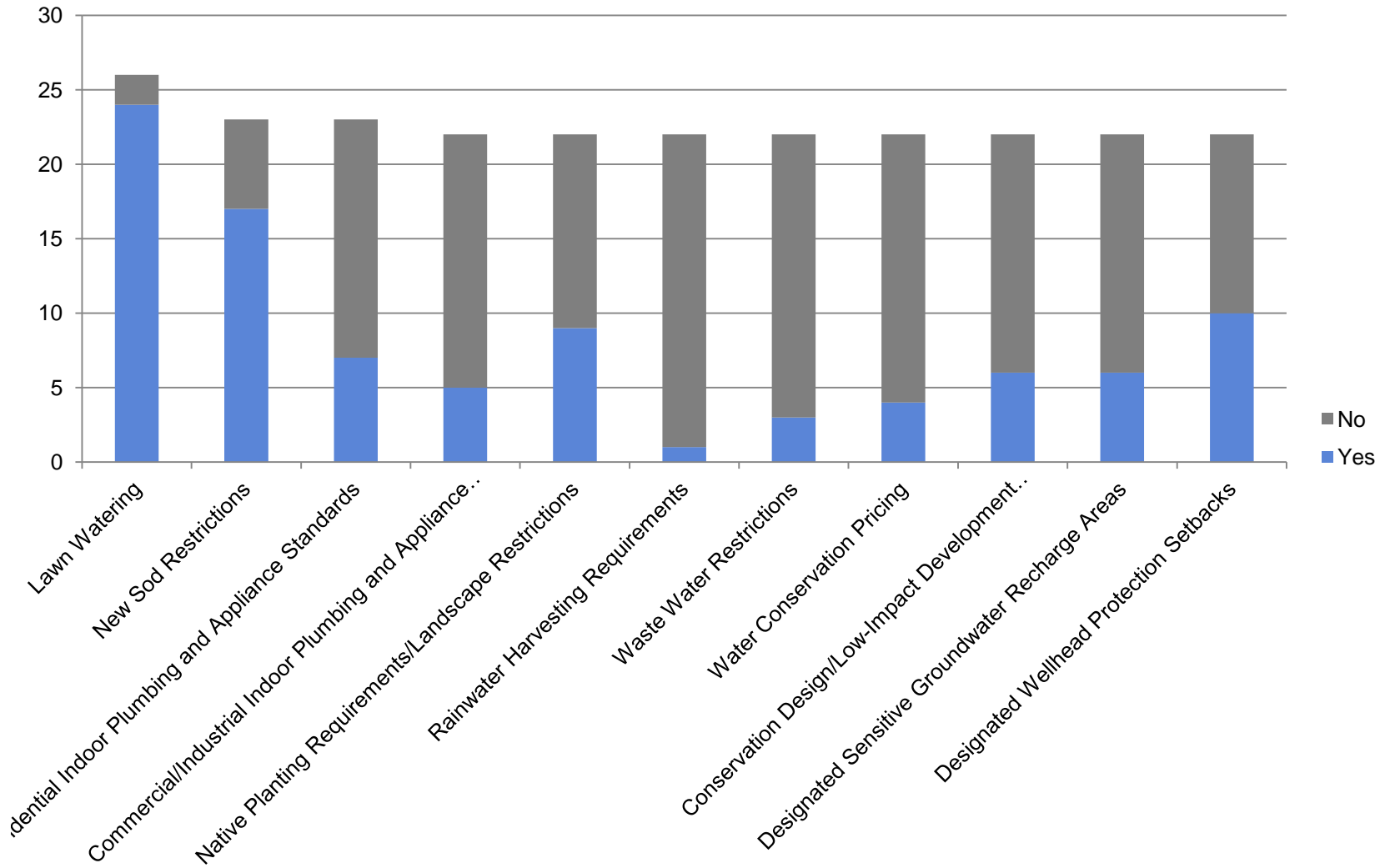
Sources:  
Municipalities, water sources, and  
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from Metropolitan Planning Council;  
counties from Illinois State Geological Survey

Map prepared by Abby Crisostomo  
26 April 2012

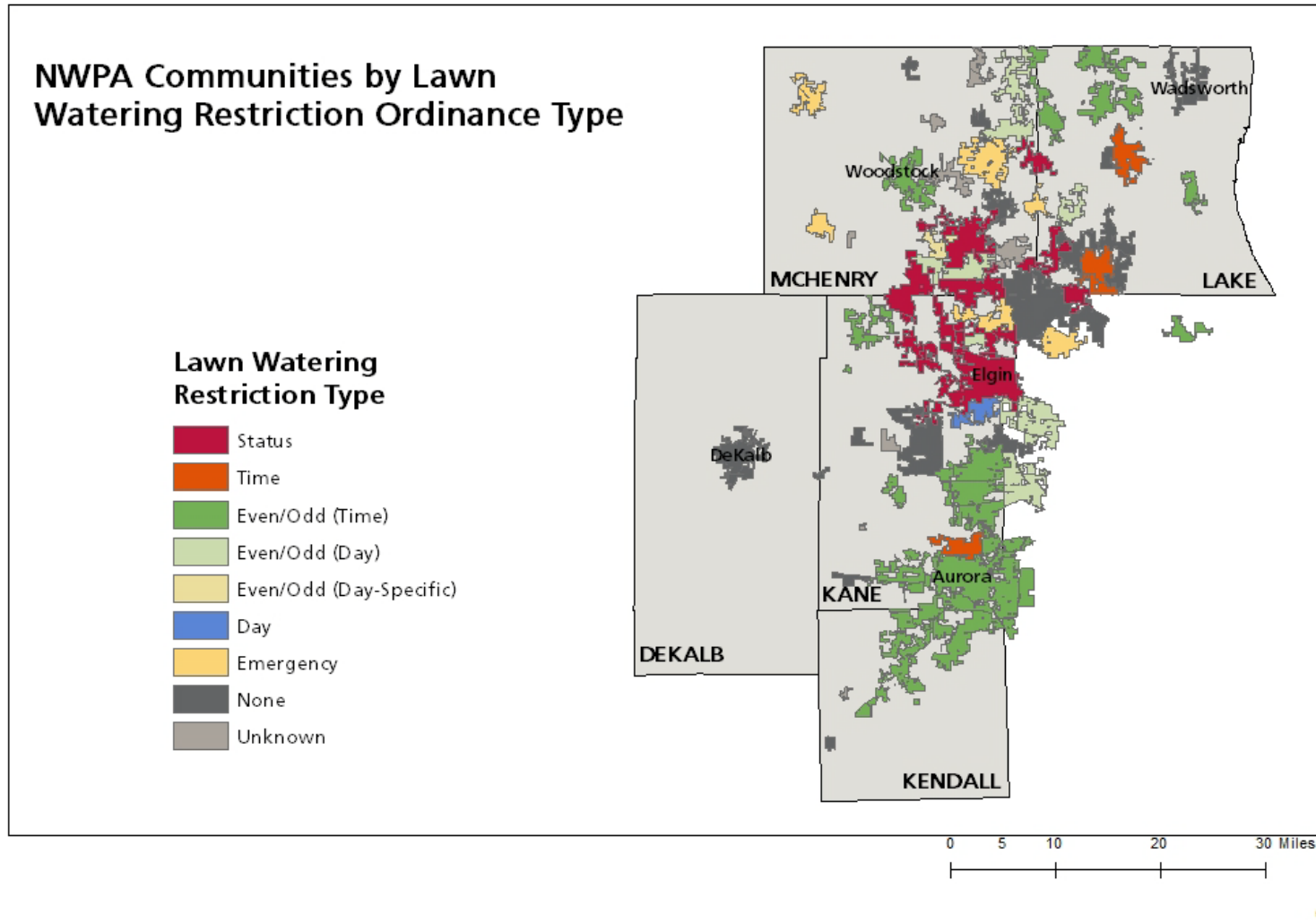
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## Year–Round Conservation Ordinance:

Even/odd, sprinklers allowed 6am-9am and 6pm-9pm

- 18 or 24 hours available
- Non-potable water and handheld watering devices can be used any day or time
- Could be the “Green” in a color-coded system

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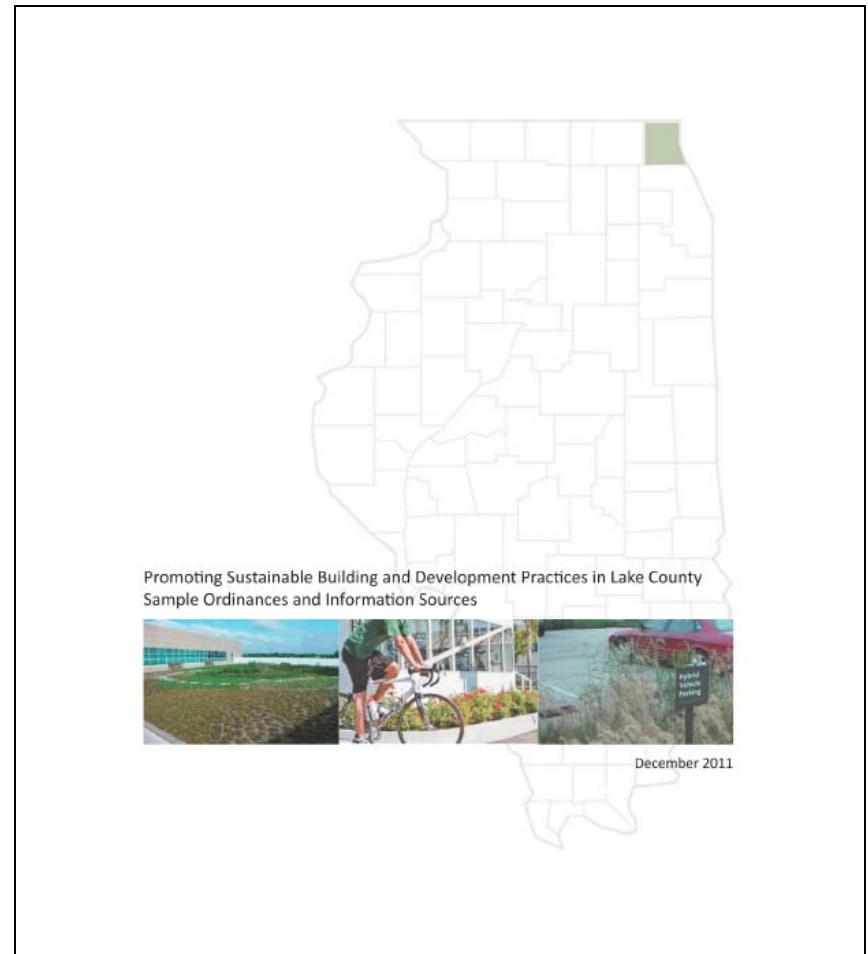
## Drought Provisions

- **Drought Provision:** Sprinkler system use prohibited
  - Outdoor use of water allowed only with non-potable water or handheld watering devices
  - Could be the “Yellow” in a color-coded system
- **Extreme Drought Provision:** Total ban on outdoor watering
  - Could be the “Red” in a color-coded system



# Existing model ordinances: Lake County

- Energy conservation and renewables
- Land use, transportation and mobility
- Open space and natural resources
- Water quality and quantity
- Stormwater management
- Redevelopment, waste minimization and material reuse
- Construction-phase pollution control
- Outdoor lighting
- Indoor environmental quality
- Food supply
- Incentive-based approaches to promoting sustainability





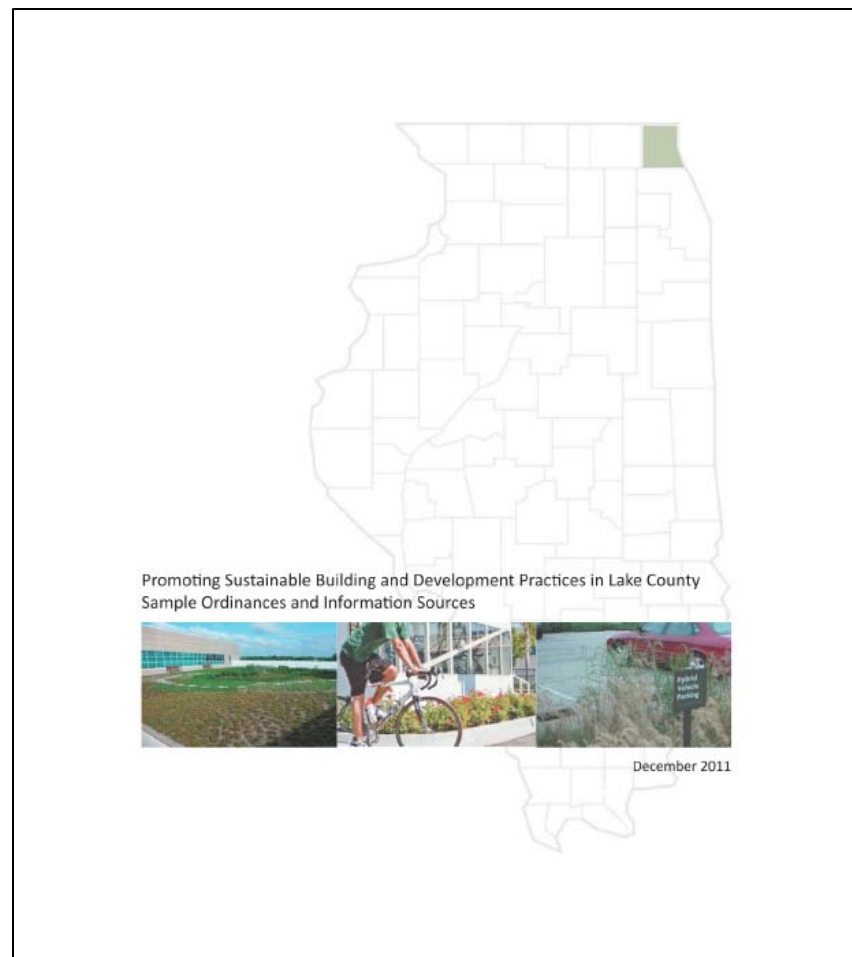
# Existing model ordinances: Lake County

## Open space and natural resources

- Native plants

## Water quality and quantity

- Rainwater harvesting/reuse
- High-efficiency plumbing fixtures
- Low water use landscaping
- Efficient irrigation systems
- Turf area management
- Individual metering



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# Lake County Water Supply Advisory Committee (WSAC) Annual Report



# Water Supply Advisory Committee

With our region's population projected to grow as much as 38% over the next 40 years, we must plan for our future water supply.

Lake County, along with municipalities and professionals in both the private and public sector, formed the Water Supply Advisory Committee (WSAC). This group is working to establish sustainable policies and practices for our water supply. The WSAC annual report includes important information about best practices for:

- groundwater protection
- water conservation
- full cost water pricing

## ANNUAL REPORT OF THE LAKE COUNTY WATER SUPPLY ADVISORY COMMITTEE (WSAC)



Prepared  
September  
2011

# Groundwater Protection

It's important that we protect groundwater from threats of contamination and preserve the quality of aquifers.

Some portions of Lake County are 100% dependent on groundwater to meet residential, commercial and municipal demands.

Both the **quantity** and **quality** of groundwater available in Lake County must be monitored and managed to assure that all future water needs of Lake County are met.

## THREAT: ABANDONED WELLS

Wells that are no longer in use are no longer monitored. If one of these wells were to become contaminated it could easily and quickly contaminate nearby wells. Remediation would be extremely costly and nearly impossible.

# Water Conservation

Water Conservation is one of the most important ways that we can assure a long term reliable groundwater source.

The WSAC report recommends developing specific goals for reducing water consumption. A few of these are:



Endorse the installation of water saving fixtures (faucets, showerheads)

Endorse the installation high efficiency toilets and washers

Install and replace water meters

Promote rain barrel programs, rain gardens and native landscaping

Promote high efficiency sprinkler and irrigation systems

Develop programs for leak detection, leak survey and repair

# Full Cost Water Pricing

Full cost water pricing charges users for the full cost of water – including operational and maintenance expenses and capital improvements and replacement expenses.

To study this, it's important to consider:

- Customer classes (residential, commercial, industrial)
- Rate types (uniform block rates, decreasing block rates, increasing block rates, seasonal rates)
- Billing intervals (monthly, quarterly)
- Collections





# What's Next?



The next step for the committee will be to evaluate alternative water supplies, educate the public about water conservation and work with policy makers to create appropriate strategies to ensure Lake County residents have clean and safe water now and in the future.



**THANK YOU**

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# Discussion: Integrating and implementing water conservation ordinances

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### Weed law in Chicago sends native plant gardeners to court

May 19, 2013 | Mary Schmich

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Chicago's growing season is still young, and so far the alleged villain in Kathy Cummings' garden is only 2 inches tall.

By summer's peak, however, the accused will stand 4 gangly feet once again, and once again someone is sure to mistake it for a weed.

It's milkweed. That is not a weed.

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Kathy Cummings in her West Side natural garden Wednesday, M...



# Discussion: Integrating and implementing water conservation ordinances

- What water conservation ordinances do you use in your community?
- What barriers have you faced with implementing and enforcing ordinances?
- Bring your own questions about using water conservation ordinances



# Regulations



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# Role of Water Reuse in Water Conservation and Changes to the State Plumbing Code

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# Water Harvesting

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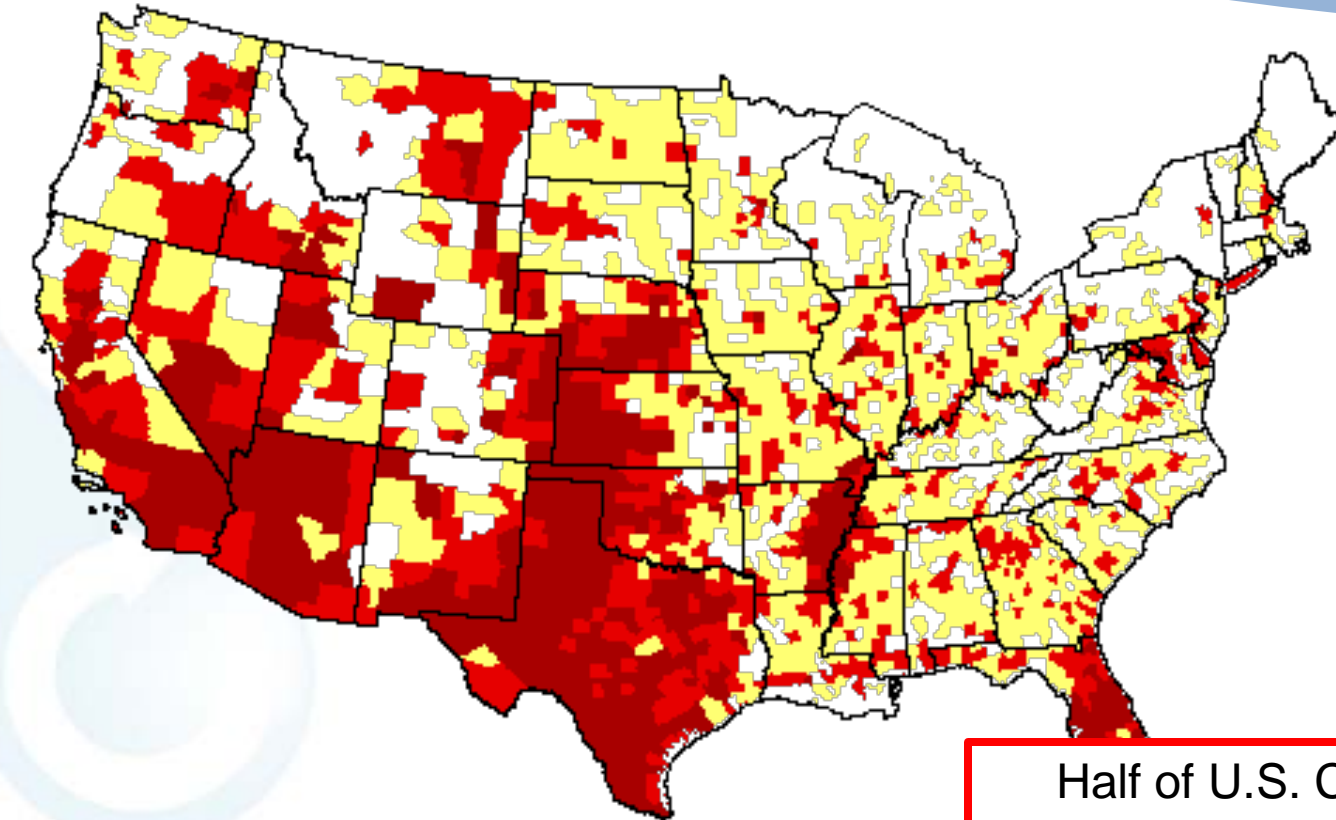


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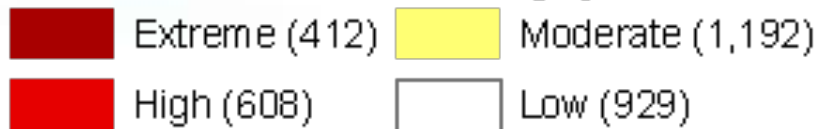
WATER HARVESTING SOLUTIONS

# A Water Crisis on the Horizon

## Water Supply Sustainability Index (2050) With Climate Change Impacts



Number of Counties for each Category in Parentheses



Half of U.S. Counties Anticipate “Extreme” or “High” Issues with Water Supply in 2050

# What is "Water Harvesting"?

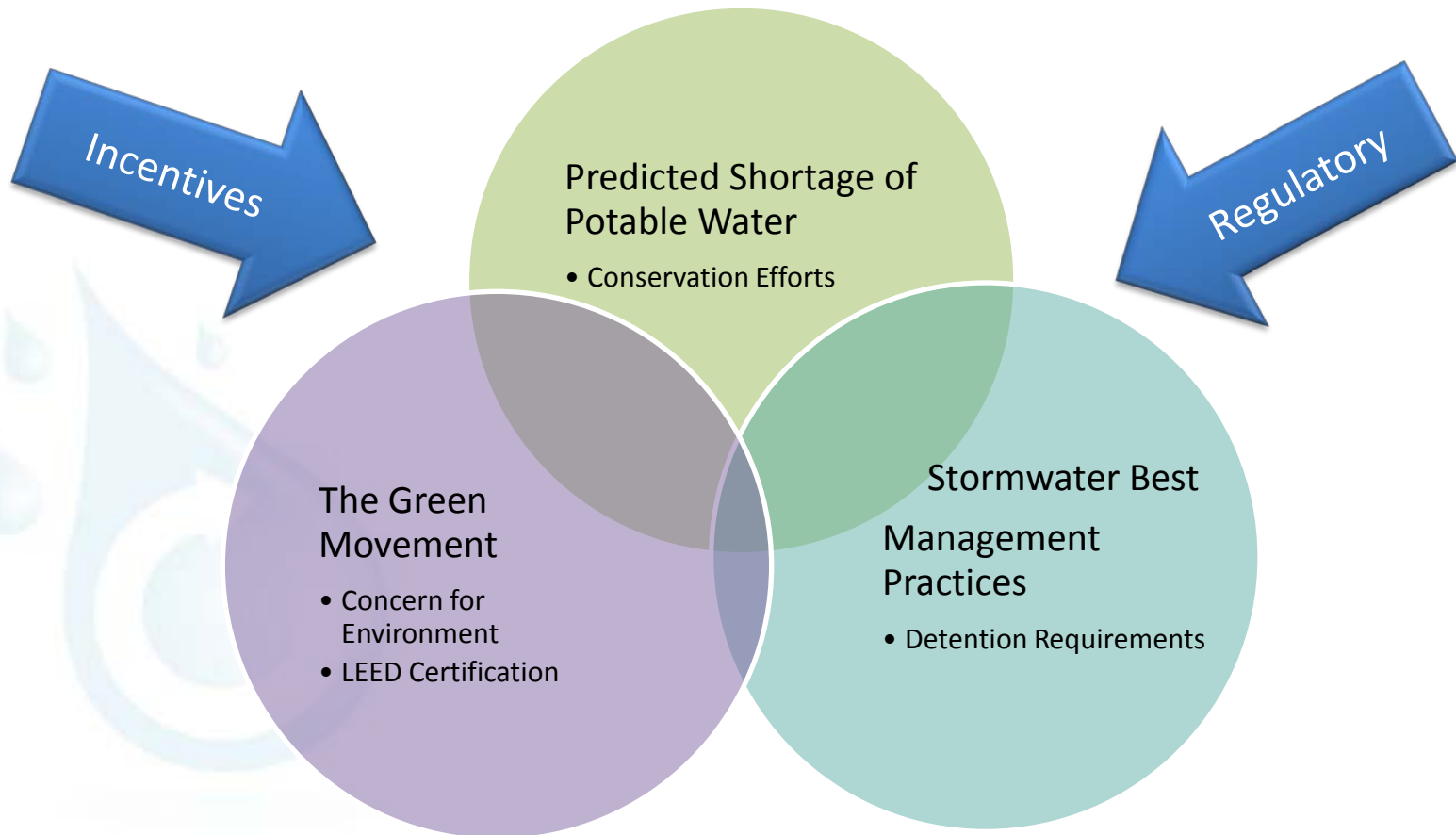
*Water Harvesting is the collection, cleaning, storage and reuse of onsite water sources, to reduce the consumption of municipal potable water.*

## TERMS

Rainwater	From roofs and above-ground collectors
Stormwater	From ground surfaces – Parking lots, run-off
Greywater, Gray Water	Untreated waste water “gently used” in showers, sinks, processes
Condensate	From cooling system blower units or steam systems
Groundwater	From below-grade sumps (around basements)
Reclaimed Water	Municipally-treated sewage for reuse
On-Site Treated Non-Potable Water	Processed water from any source ready for non-potable reuse



# Megatrends Support Water Harvesting as One Conservation Effort



# What's in it for Owners?

- Save money on municipal water and sewer charges
  - Convert stormwater liability into an asset
  - Protect the environment
- 
- “Green” building certification
  - Regulatory requirements, incentives
  - Higher property resale value
  - Good public relations

# The Harvesting Opportunity in Commercial Properties

Evaporative Cooling Tower  
1,500,000 gallons annually

Toilet flushing  
500,000 gallons annually

Landscape irrigation  
750,000 gallons annually

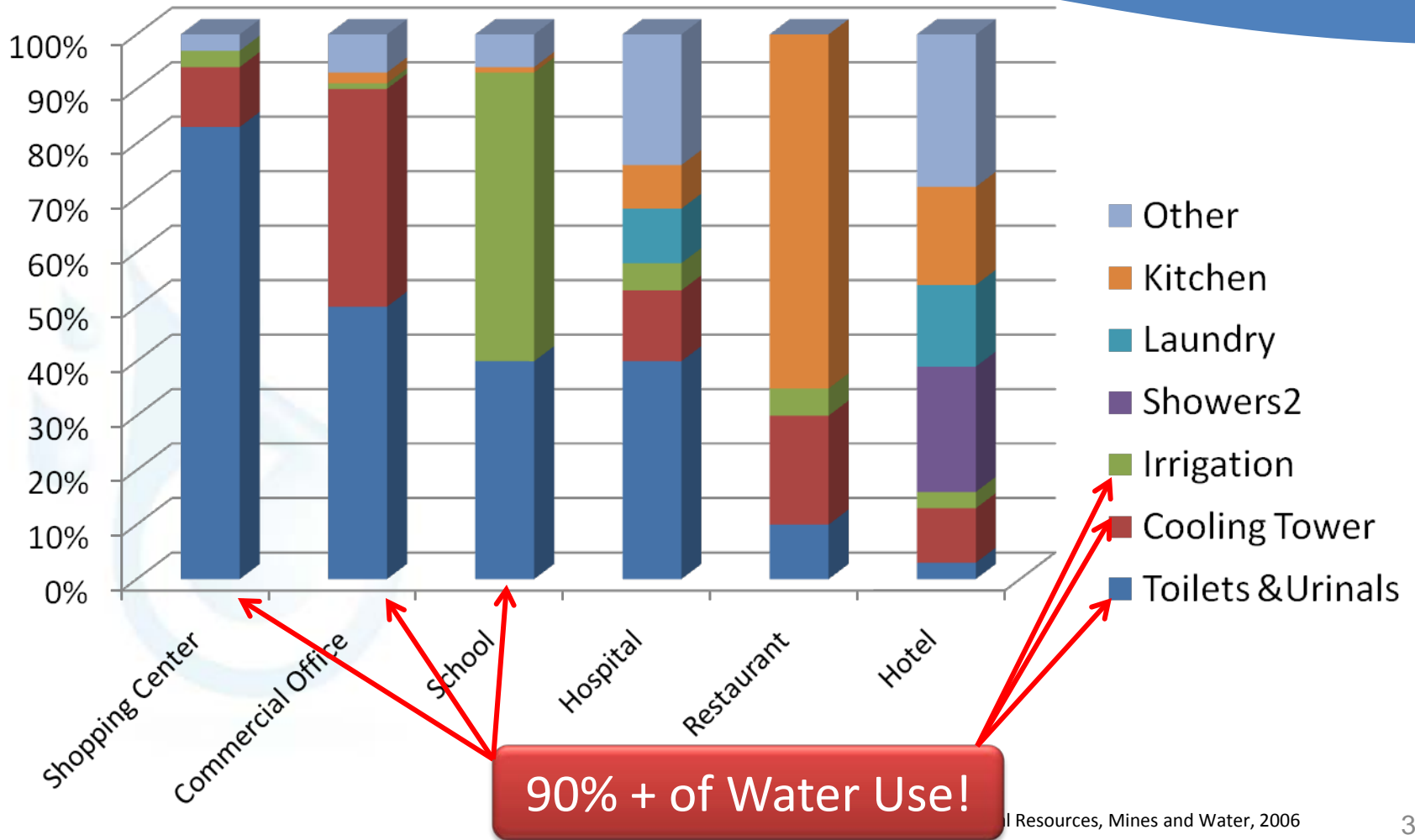
Rooftop rainwater  
500,000 gallons annually

Cooling coil condensation  
400,000 gallons annually

Parking lot rainwater  
2,000,000 gallons annually



# Most Water Use in Commercial Buildings can be Replaced with Harvested Rainwater and Stormwater



# Issue: Plumbing Design Affects Options for Life of Building

**2013**



**2015**



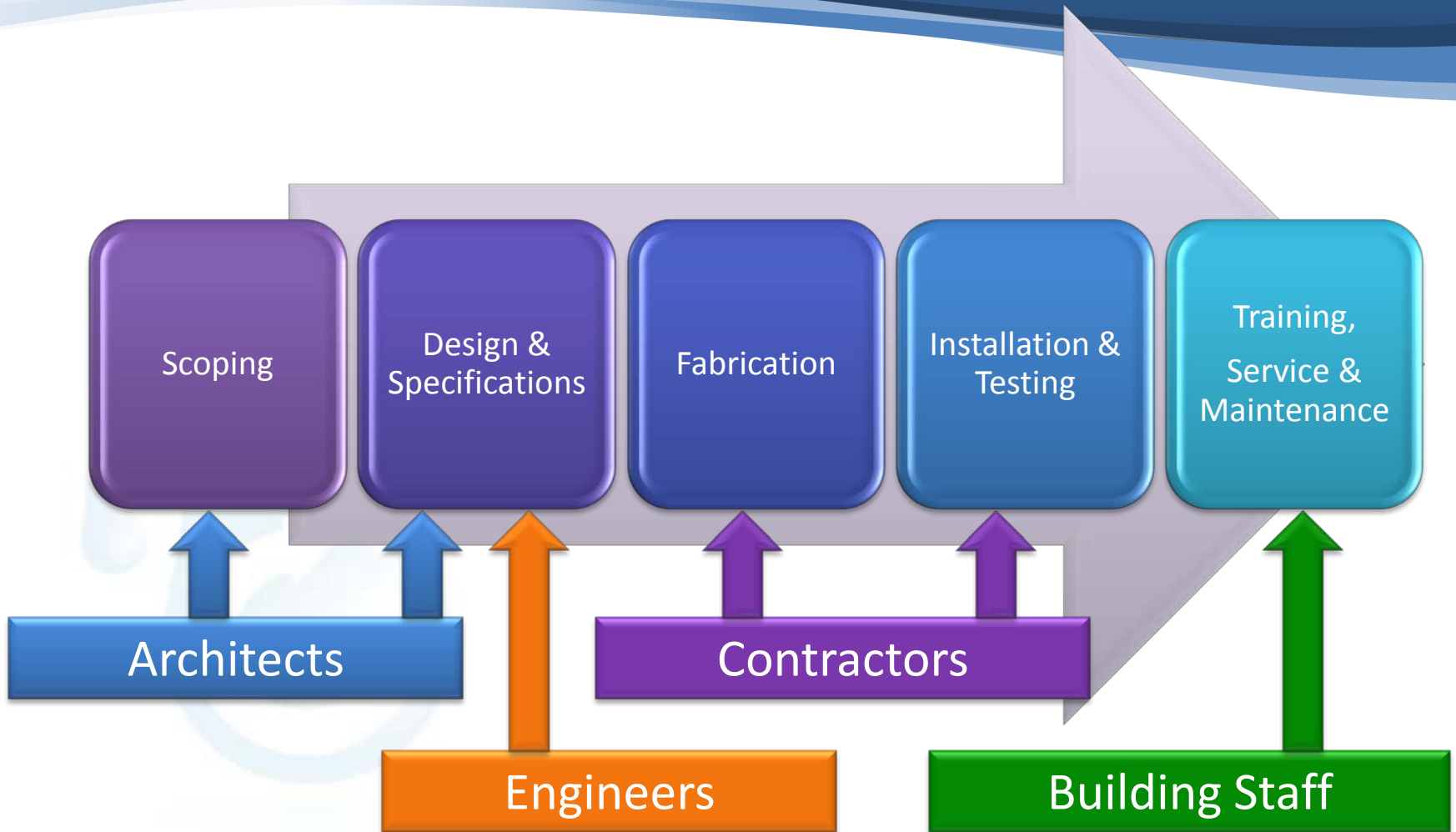
**2055?**

*Ability to capture and harvest greywater*

*Ability to flush toilets with non-potable water*

- *20 million gallons of savings over life of building!*

# Development Process Touches Multiple Customers



# System Design Objectives

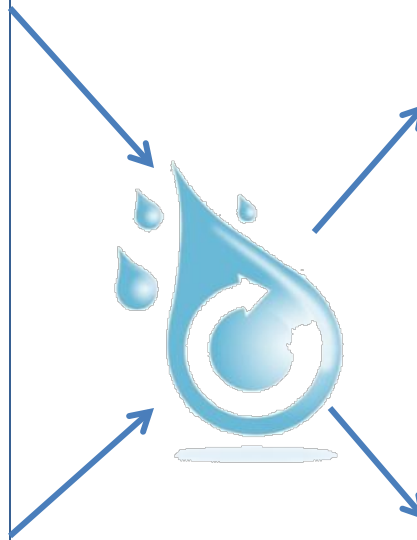
- Make a significant and meaningful impact on reducing the amount of municipal water use
- Match a system to meet the unique characteristics of the building
  - Location, use, opportunities, local codes
- Ensure that the water is safe for storage & application
- Keep the system as simple as possible
  - Complexity adds up-front cost, maintenance, risk
- Keep the system cost-per-gallon saved as low as possible



# Scoping: Evaluating Water Sources & Applications

## Potential Sources

- Rooftop rainwater
- Surface stormwater
- Greywater from showers, sinks, washers
- Cooling condensate
- Steam condensate
- Groundwater ejectors
- Cooling tower “blow down”
- Process wastewater



## Potential Uses

- Landscape irrigation
- Toilet flushing
- Cooling tower “make-up”
- Green roof irrigation
- Boiler “make-up”
- Truck washing
- Washing machines



# Scoping: Matching Supply to Demand

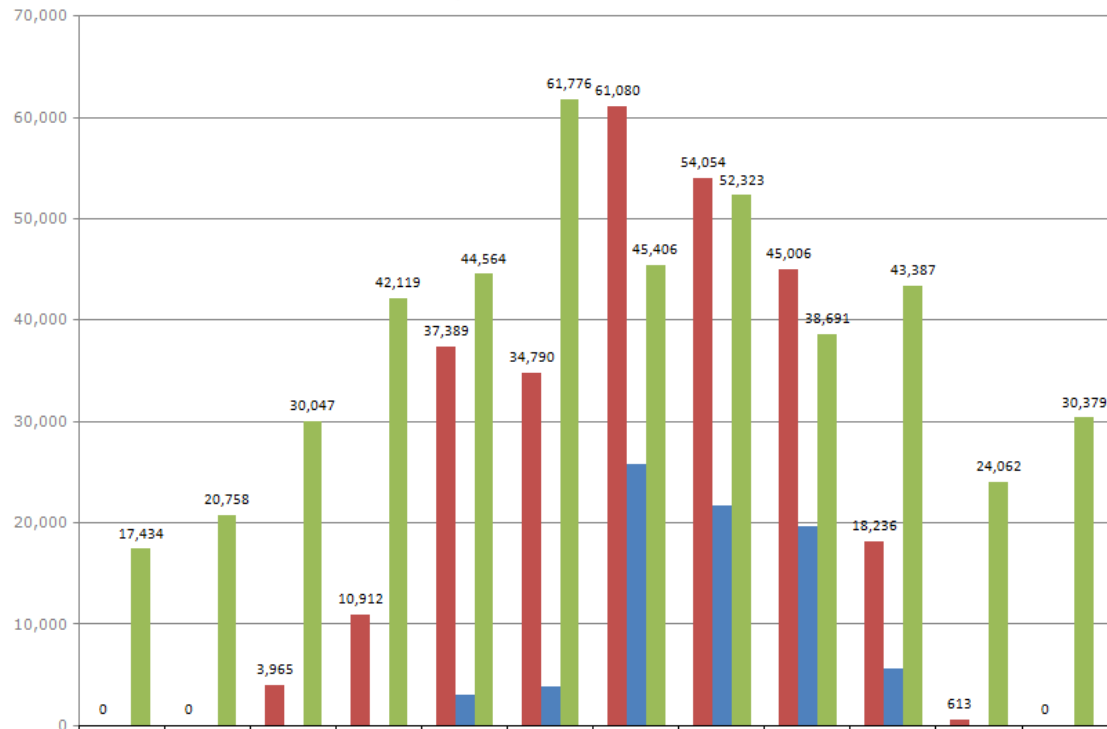
## System Effectiveness Based on Recommended 20K Gallon Cistern

### Projected Annual Averages Based On Past Six Years of Actual Daily Rainfall

Total Supply	Total Demand	Harvested Gallons Used	Municipal Gallons Used	Total Days Requiring Municipal Make-Up
450,947	266,043	186,300	79,743	42

### Projected Monthly Supply & Demand

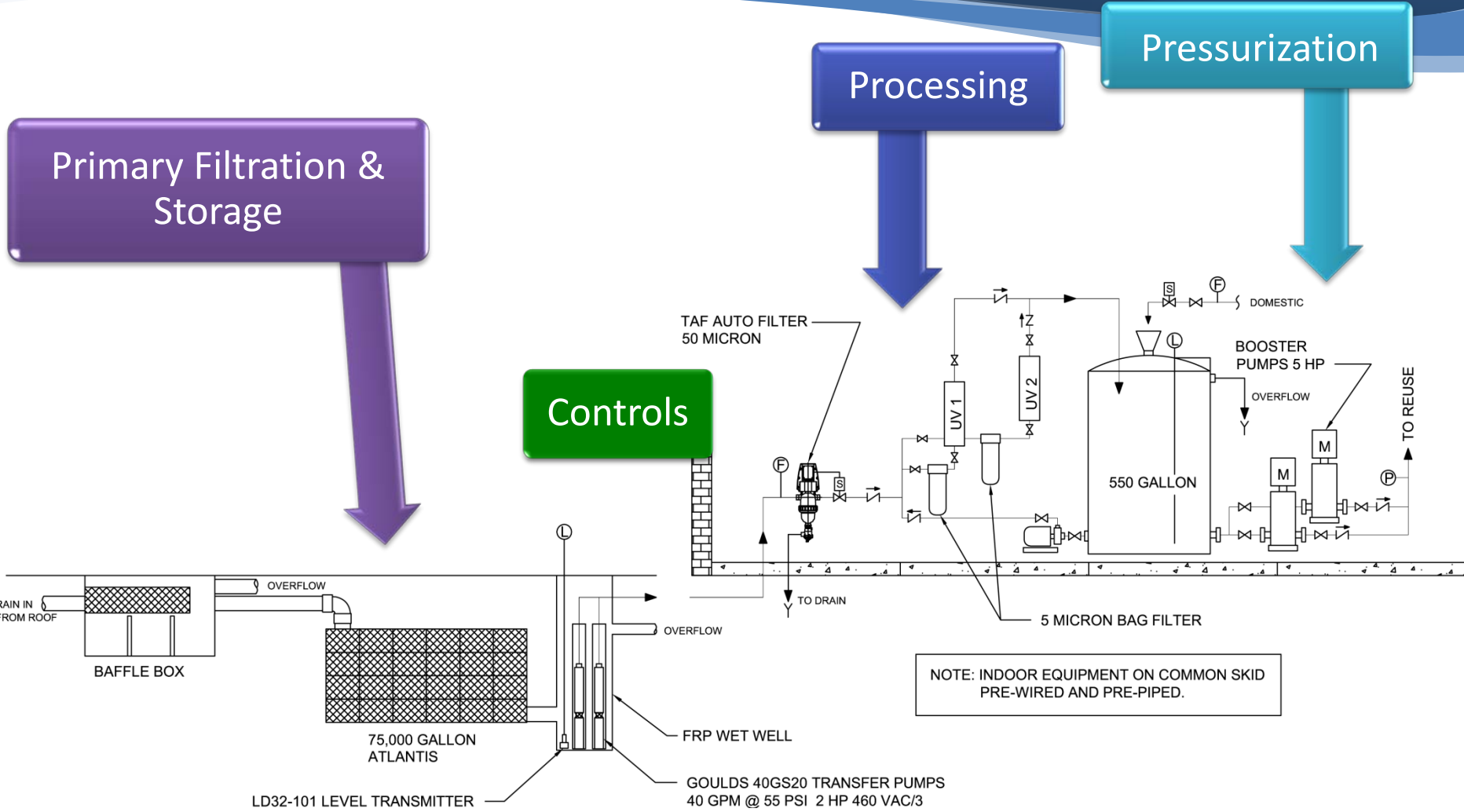
Based on Historical 6-Year Daily Rainfall Amounts



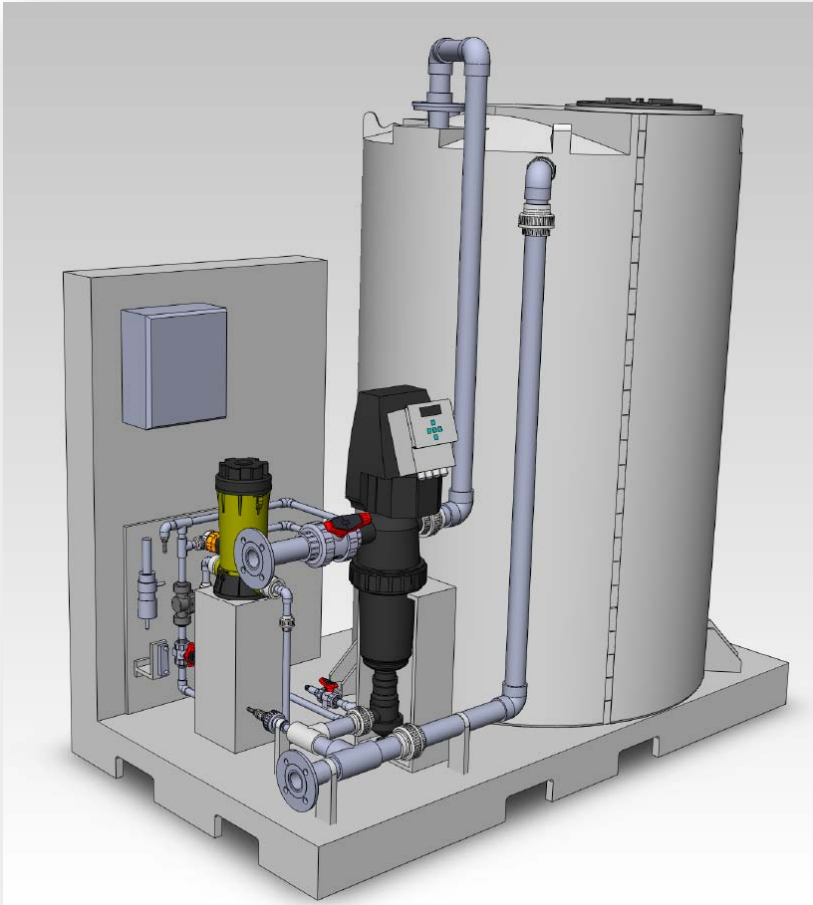
Estimated Average Demand	0	0	3,965	10,912	37,389	34,790	61,080	54,054	45,006	18,236	613	0
Estimated Municipal Make-up Required	0	0	0	0	3,009	3,853	25,858	21,765	19,652	5,607	0	0
Estimated Average Supply	17,434	20,758	30,047	42,119	44,564	61,776	45,406	52,323	38,691	43,387	24,062	30,379



# Typical System Design



# Engineered Designs are Transformed into Functional Systems



# Example: Fields Volvo

## “World’s Greenest Volvo Dealership”

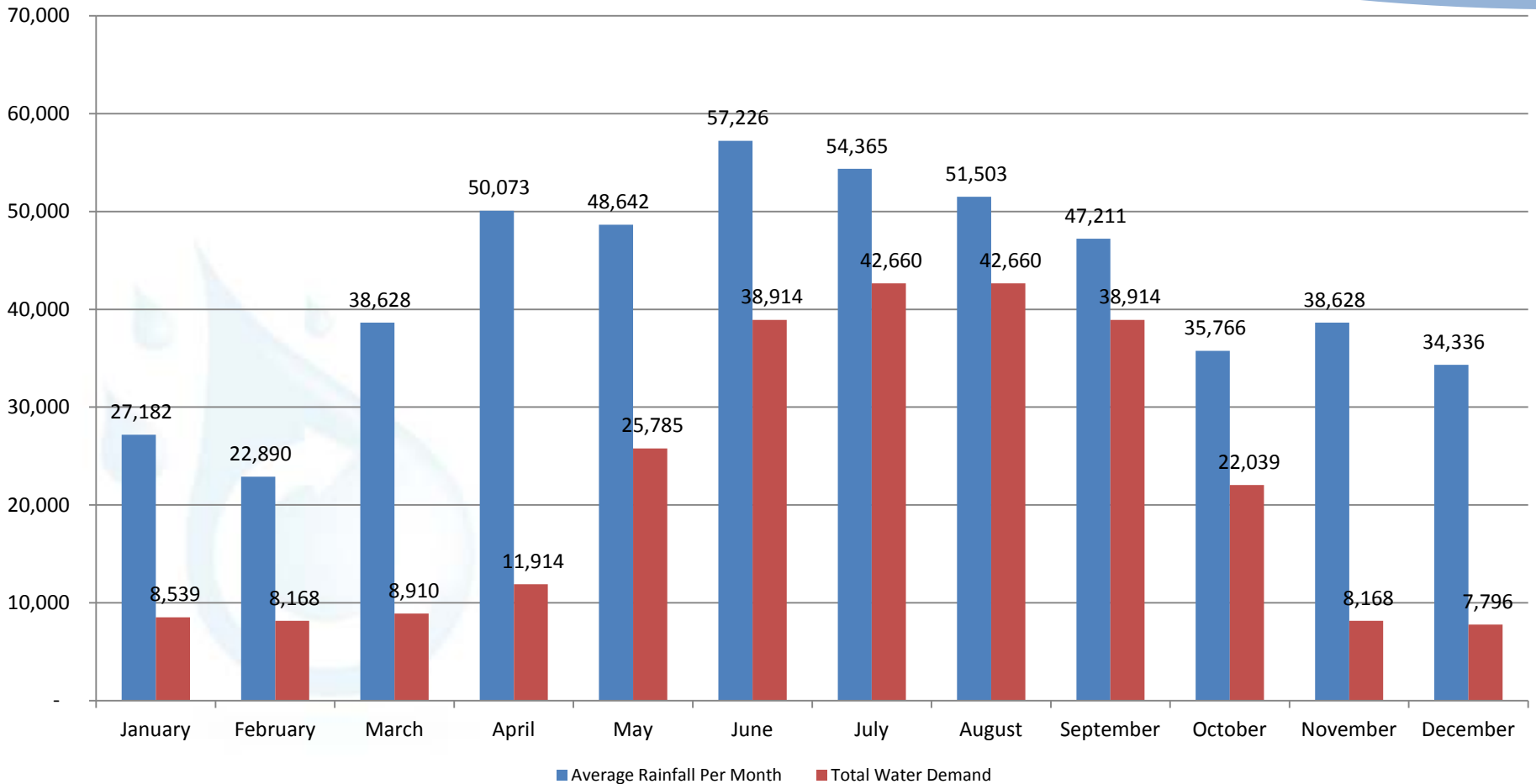


# Fields Volvo

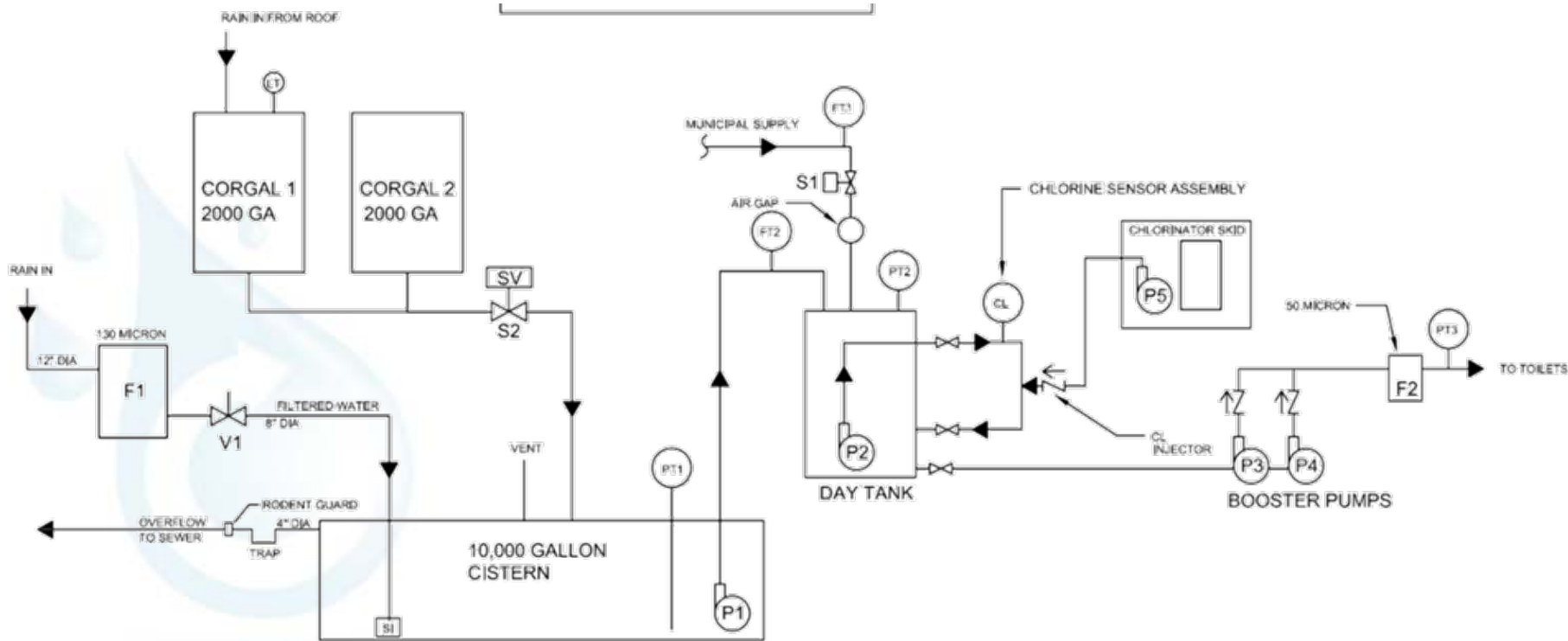
Project:	Field's Volvo
Location:	Northfield, IL.
Customer:	Dan Fields
Engineers:	JDR Engineering, Madison, WI
System Type:	Rooftop rainwater for irrigation and toilet flushing
Considerations:	Marketing value as "World's Greenest Volvo Dealership," LEED Silver
Storage:	10,000 gallon Atlantis Raintank 4,400 gallon CorGal steel tanks
Sanitation:	Chlorine (Calcium Hypochlorite)
Projected Annual Water Savings:	265,000 gallons
Commissioning Date:	February 1, 2011

# Supply & Demand

Analysis of Rainwater Supply & Demand - Fields Volvo Northfield



# System Schematic





# Atlantis Rain Tank Installation



# All Tank Sections Installed





# Compacted Sand Layer Between Tanks and Rubber Liner



# Site Restored To Grade Level With Dirt Top Layer



# Two 2,000 Gallon CorGal Tanks Installed

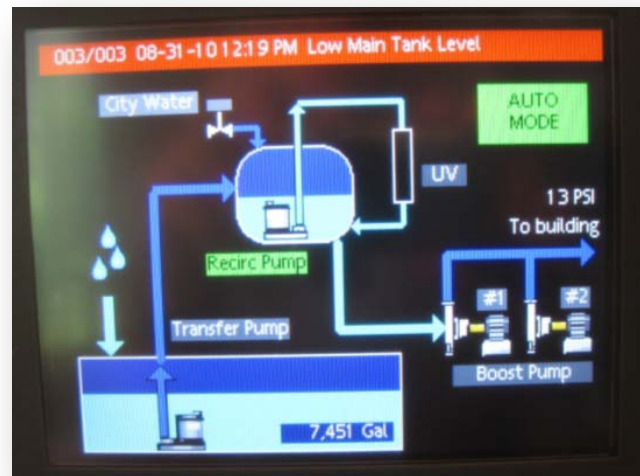




# Processing Skid



# Control Panel Monitors and Controls 24/7



# Chicago Parks District





# Valley Forge Field House

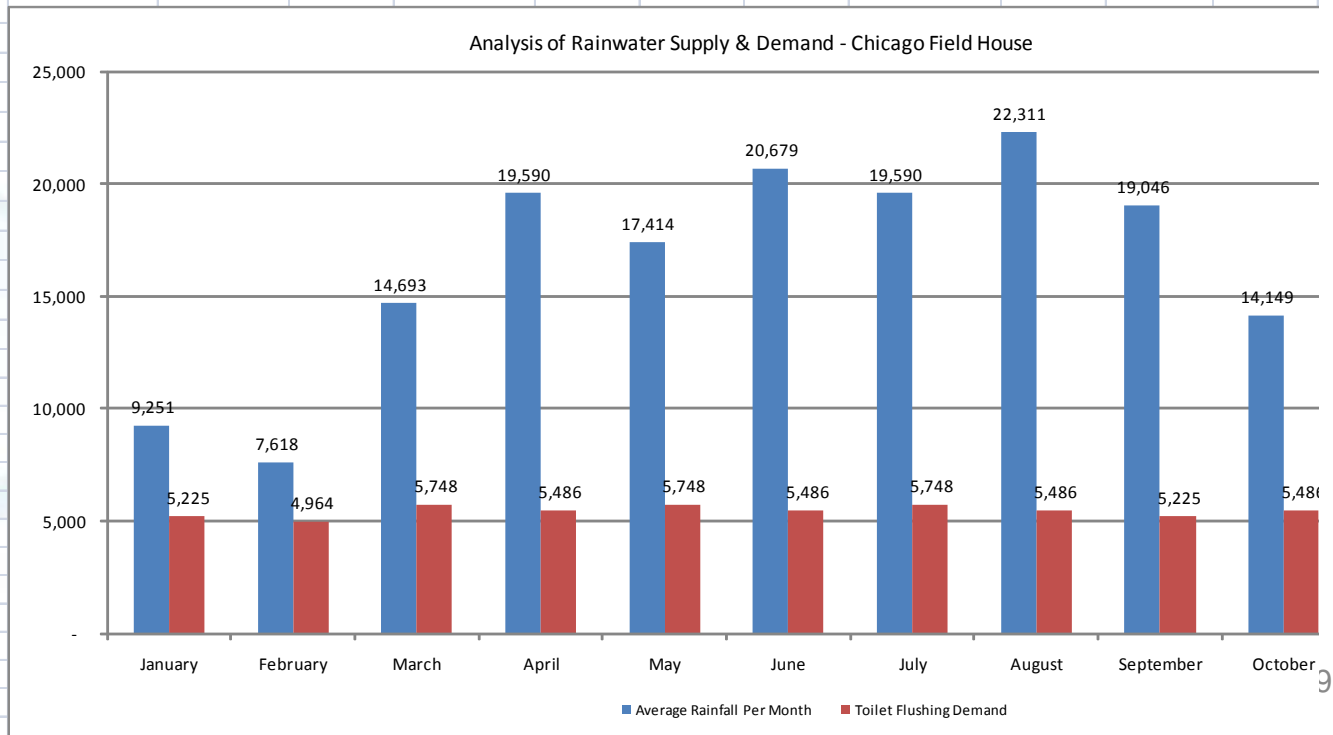
<b>Project:</b>	<b>Valley Forge Field House</b>
Location:	Chicago, IL
Customer:	Chicago Parks District
Engineers:	Building Systems Engineering L.L.C.
System Type:	Rooftop rainwater for toilet flushing
Considerations:	Minimize stormwater run-off
Storage:	4,200 gallon Atlantis Raintank
Sanitation:	Chlorine (Calcium Hypochlorite)
Projected Annual Water Savings:	65,000 gallons
Commissioning Date:	November, 2010

# Demand Analysis

Toilet Demand	Persons	Flushes	Occupants
Flushes Per Person Per Day			
Staff	5	4	20.0
Visitors	170	1	170.0
Total Flushes Per Day			190.0
Number of Persons			71.0
Percentage Male			50%
Flushes Per Day Use			190.0
Male Urinal Use			75%
Flushes Per Week By Fixture	Toilets	Urinals	Total
	119	71	190
GPF	1.6	1.0	
Total Gallons For Flushing Per Day of Use	190.00	71.25	261

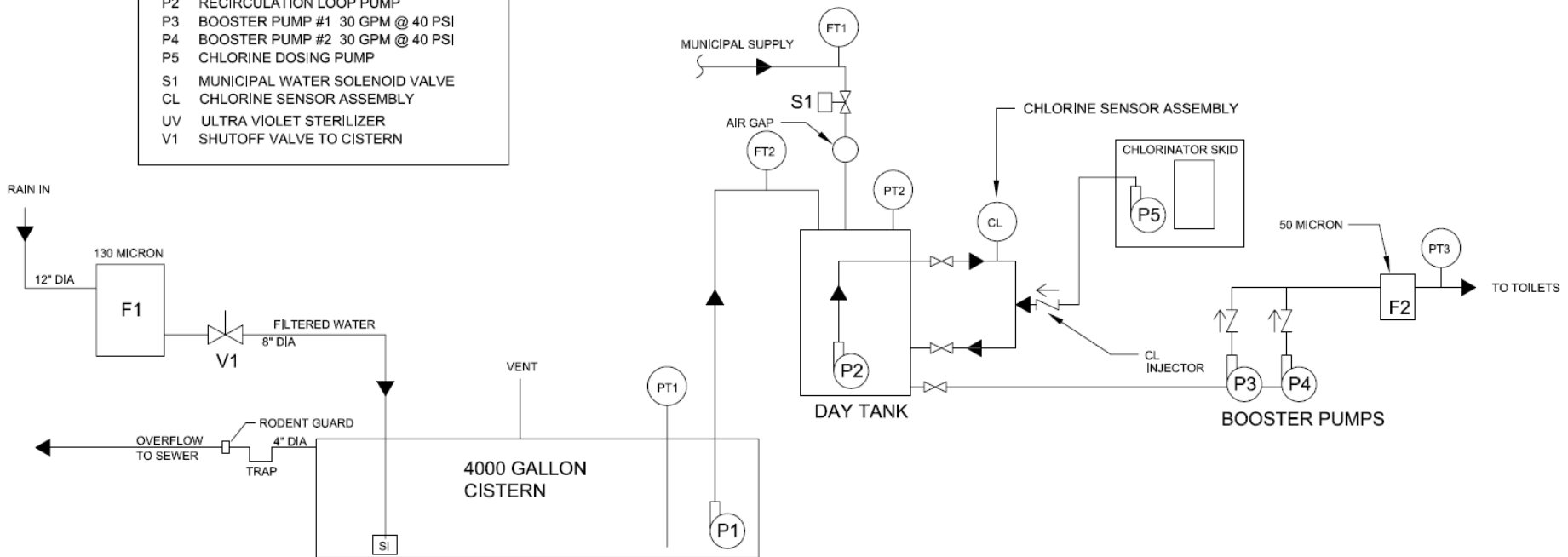
# Supply Analysis

Rainwater Calculator - Chicago Field House											
Supply & Demand Analysis											
Rooftop Rainwater to Flush Toilets	Annual Average	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October
Average precipitation for Chicago, IL	35.30	1.70	1.40	2.70	3.60	3.20	3.80	3.60	4.10	3.50	2.60
Building Use Days	250	20	19	22	21	22	21	22	21	20	21
<b>Sub-Calculation - Area of roof in square feet</b>	<b>10,270</b>	<b>10,270</b>	<b>10,270</b>	<b>10,270</b>	<b>10,270</b>	<b>10,270</b>	<b>10,270</b>	<b>10,270</b>	<b>10,270</b>	<b>10,270</b>	<b>10,270</b>
Gross Gallonage	225,993	10,884	8,963	17,286	23,047	20,487	24,328	23,047	26,249	22,407	16,645
Discount for Evaporation, system flush	15%	15%	15%	15%	15%	15%	15%	15%	15%	15%	15%
<b>Rooftop Rainwater Available (In Gallons)</b>	<b>192,094</b>	<b>9,251</b>	<b>7,618</b>	<b>14,693</b>	<b>19,590</b>	<b>17,414</b>	<b>20,679</b>	<b>19,590</b>	<b>22,311</b>	<b>19,046</b>	<b>14,149</b>
<b>Rainfall Events</b>	<b>126</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>9</b>
<b>Rain Per Event</b>	<b>1,525</b>	<b>841</b>	<b>846</b>	<b>1,130</b>	<b>1,507</b>	<b>1,583</b>	<b>2,068</b>	<b>1,959</b>	<b>2,479</b>	<b>1,905</b>	<b>1,572</b>
<b>Demand for Toilet Flushing</b>	<b>65,313</b>	<b>5,225</b>	<b>4,964</b>	<b>5,748</b>	<b>5,486</b>	<b>5,748</b>	<b>5,486</b>	<b>5,748</b>	<b>5,486</b>	<b>5,225</b>	<b>5,486</b>



# System Schematic

- F1 PRELIMINARY FILTER 200 MICRON
- F2 FINAL FILTER 50 MICRON
- FT1 FLOW TRANSMITTER DOMESTIC WATER
- FT2 FLOW TRANSMITTER RAIN WATER
- PT2 DAY TANK LEVEL TRANSMITTER
- PT1 PRESSURE TRANSMITTER (LEVEL)
- PT3 PRESSURE TRANSMITTER (PUMPS)
- P1 TRANSFER PUMP 50 GPM @ 20 PSI
- P2 RECIRCULATION LOOP PUMP
- P3 BOOSTER PUMP #1 30 GPM @ 40 PSI
- P4 BOOSTER PUMP #2 30 GPM @ 40 PSI
- P5 CHLORINE DOSING PUMP
- S1 MUNICIPAL WATER SOLENOID VALVE
- CL CHLORINE SENSOR ASSEMBLY
- UV ULTRA VIOLET STERILIZER
- V1 SHUTOFF VALVE TO CISTERN



# Processing Skid



# Controls

- System logs & reports
  - Water available in cistern
  - Total water saved, municipal water make-up required.
  - Pump status
  - Chlorine levels





# Installed System



# Harold Washington Social Security Building - Chicago



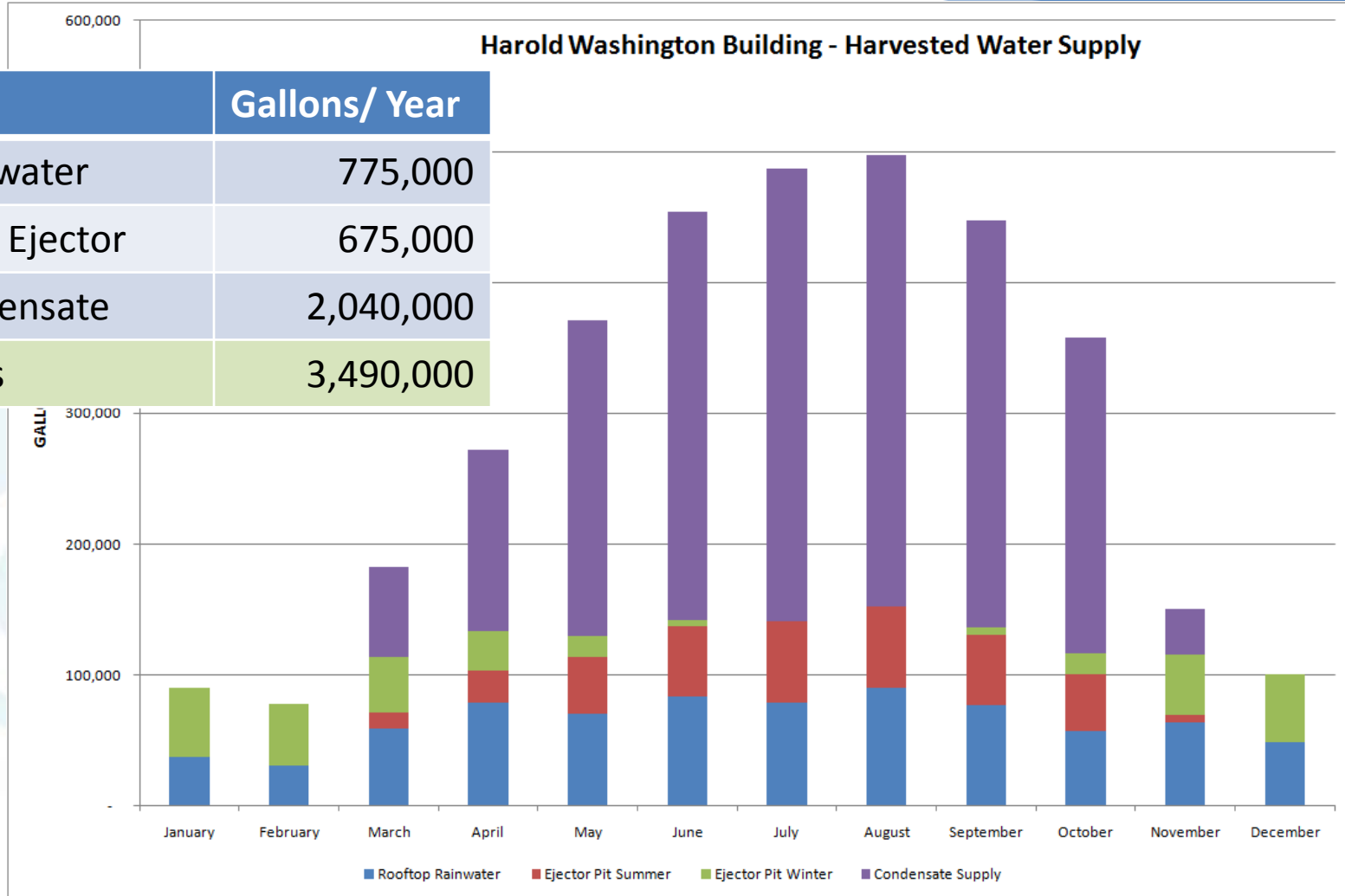


# Harold Washington Social Security Building

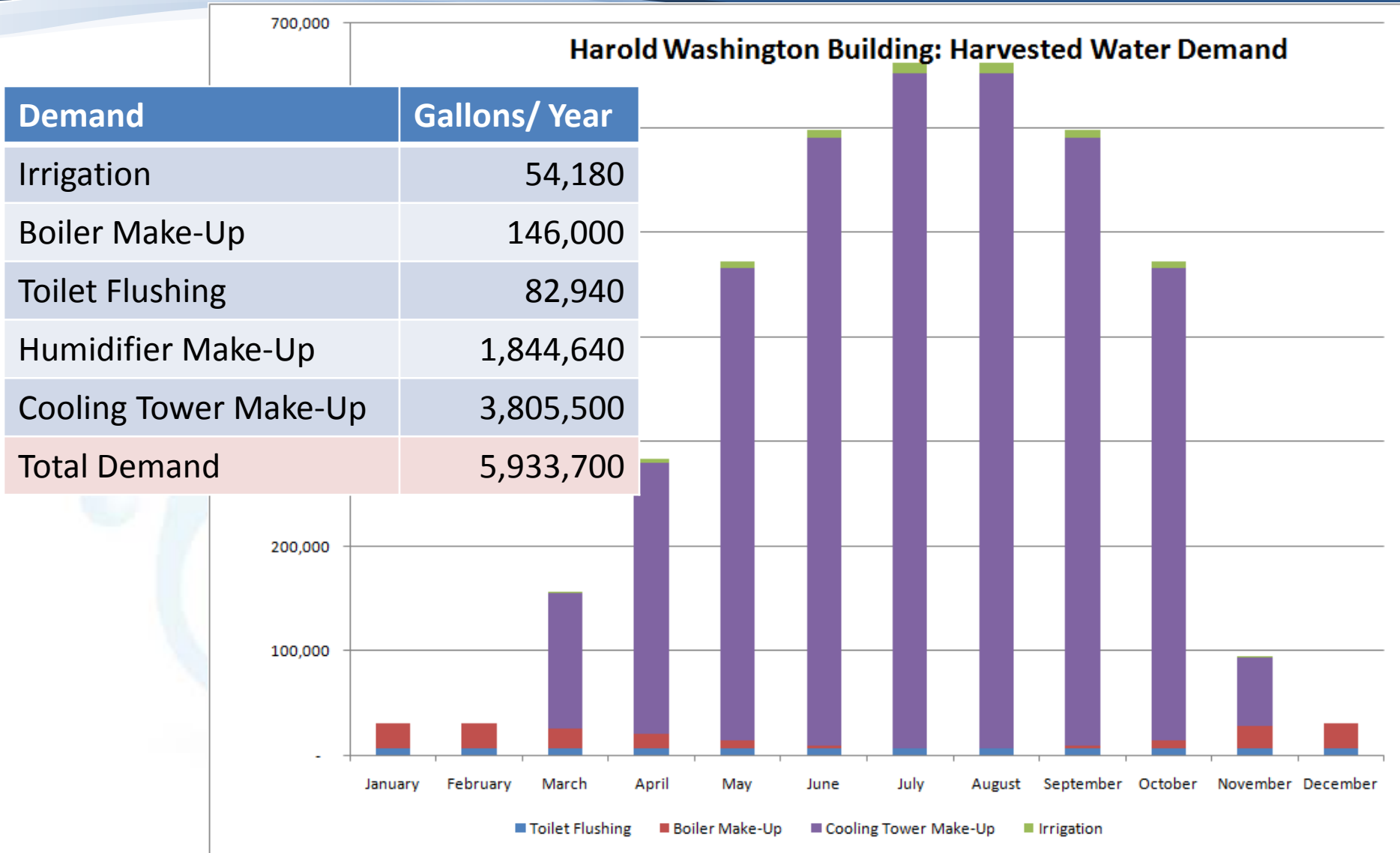
<b>Project:</b>	<b>Harold Washington Building</b>
Location:	600 W. Madison Street, Chicago, IL
Customer:	Government Services Administration
Engineers:	
System Type:	Multi-Source, Multi-Use
Considerations:	Existing tanks, Utility floor access
Storage:	4 X 8,000 Gallon Re-Commissioned Steel Tanks
Sanitation:	Chlorine (Calcium Hypochlorite)
Projected Annual Water Savings:	3,220,000 gallons
Commissioning Date:	September, 2009

# Multiple Supplies Identified - Condensate was the Driver

Supplies	Gallons/ Year
Rooftop Rainwater	775,000
Groundwater Ejector	675,000
Cooling Condensate	2,040,000
<b>Total Supplies</b>	<b>3,490,000</b>



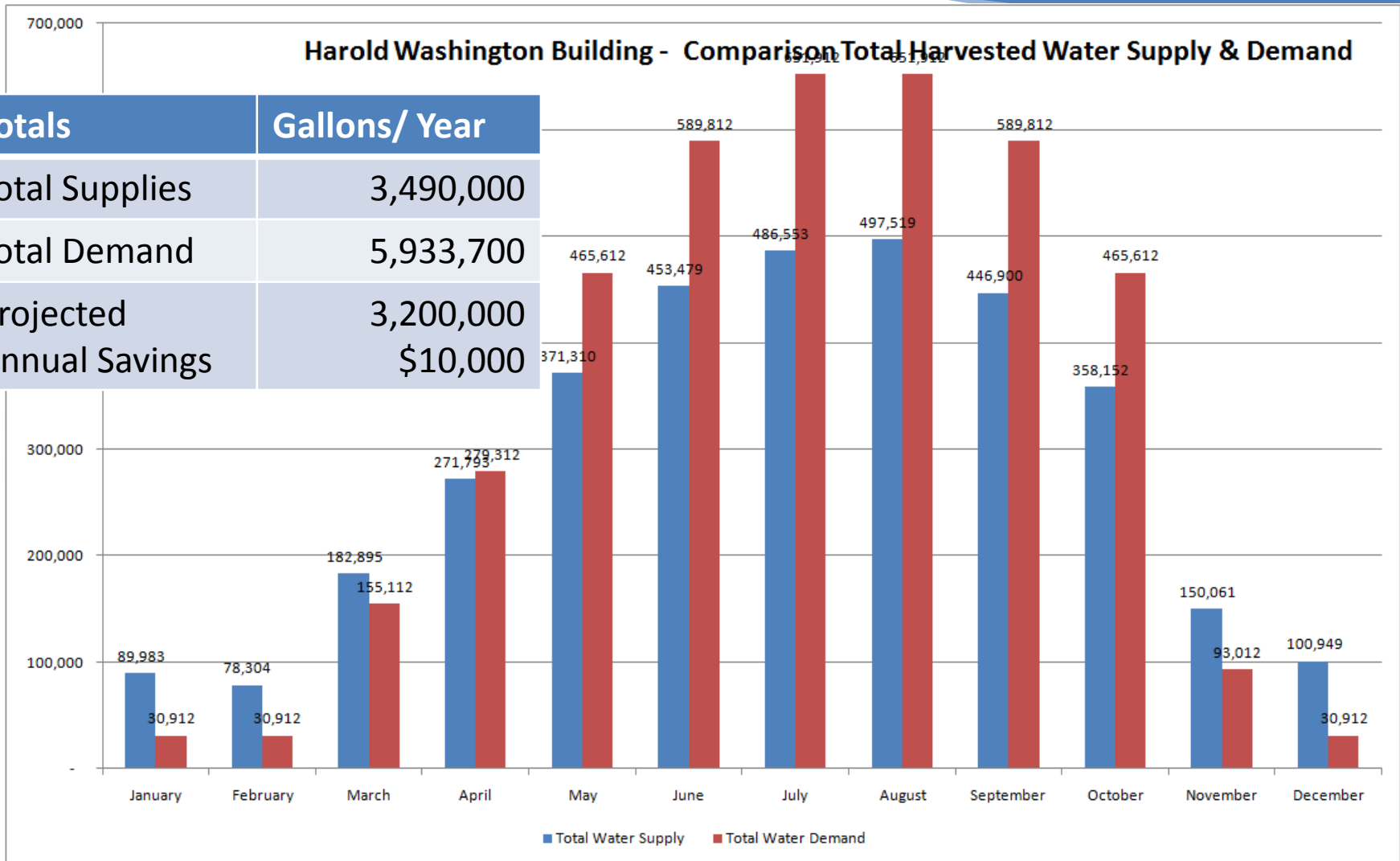
# Cooling Towers Drove Demand



# A Good Match of Supply & Demand

Harold Washington Building - Comparison Total Harvested Water Supply & Demand

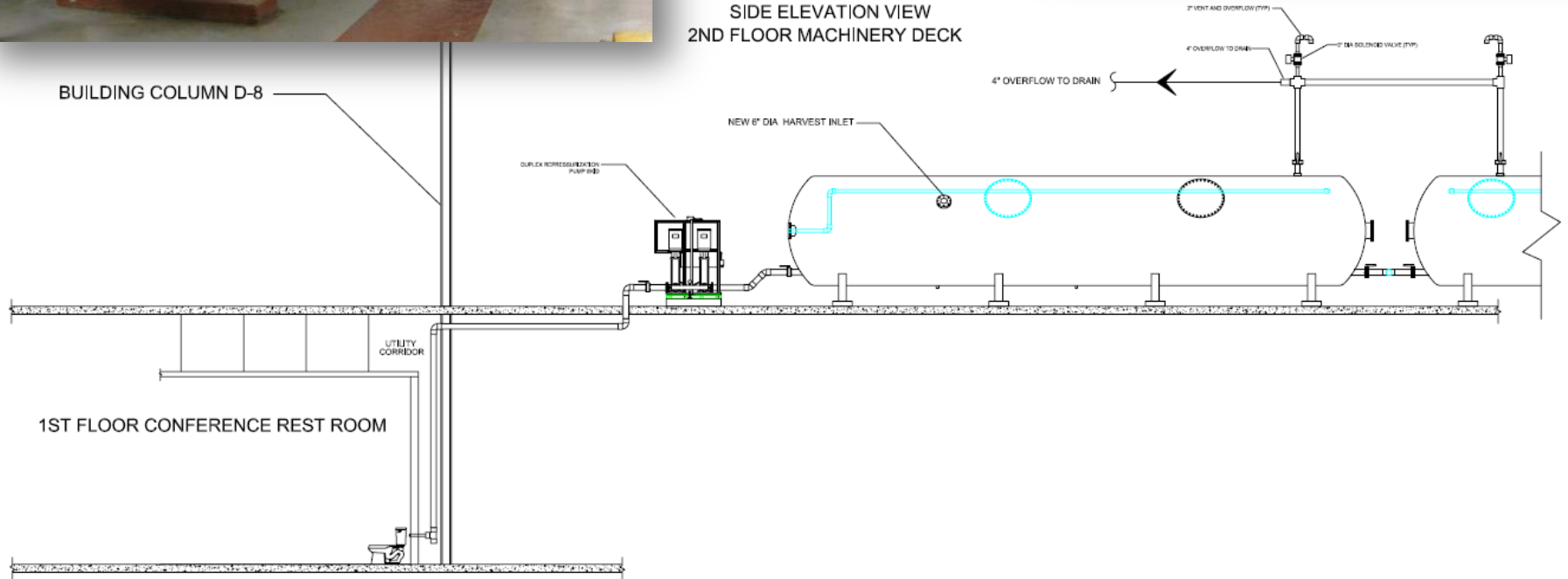
Totals	Gallons/ Year
Total Supplies	3,490,000
Total Demand	5,933,700
Projected Annual Savings	\$10,000



# Four 8,000 Gallon Decommissioned Tanks



SIDE ELEVATION VIEW  
2ND FLOOR MACHINERY DECK



# Pressurization & Chlorinator





# System Controls



Control system monitors all activities and tracks and displays water harvested and applied

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WATER HARVESTING SOLUTIONS





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## **Illinois Plumbing Code Revisions**

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# Adapting to Lake Michigan Water Loss Permit Condition Changes

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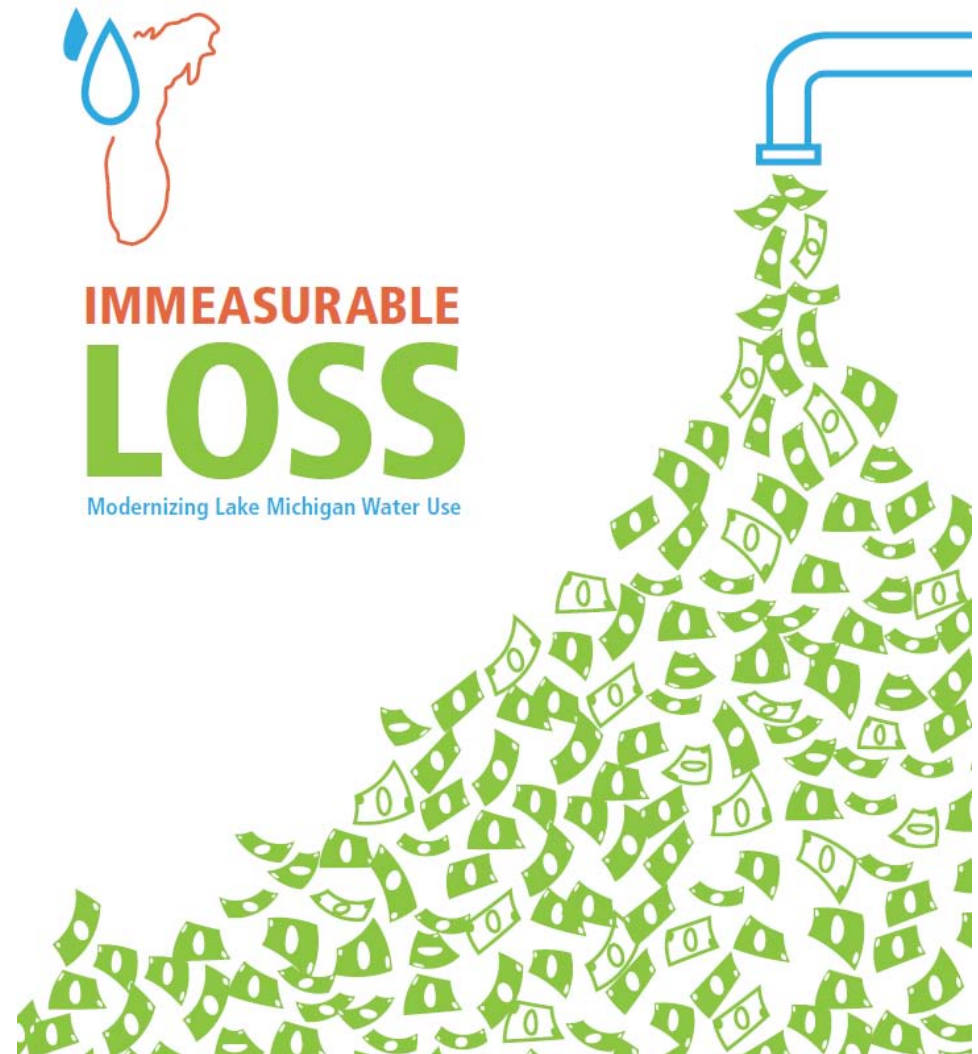


# Changes to the Lake Michigan permit conditions

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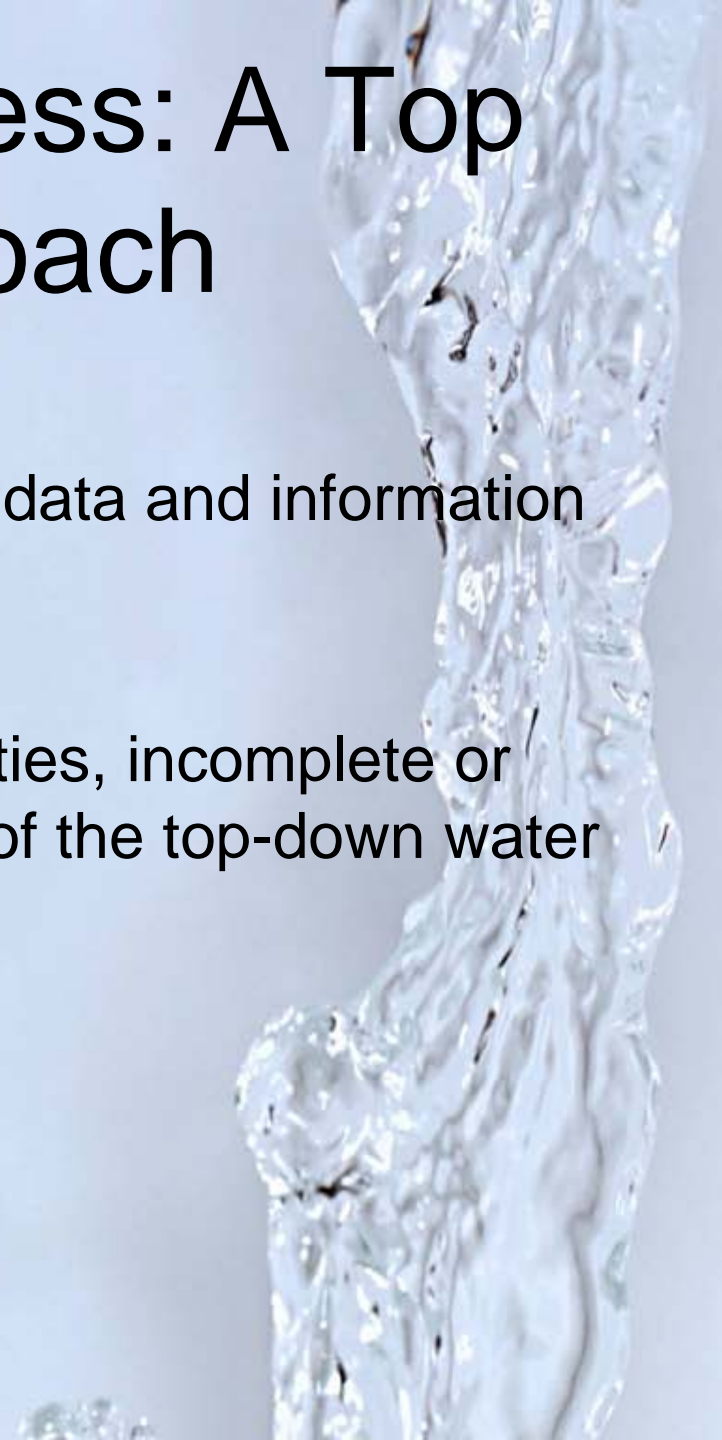
AWWA method compared  
to LM0-2



John H. Van Arsdel, Vice President

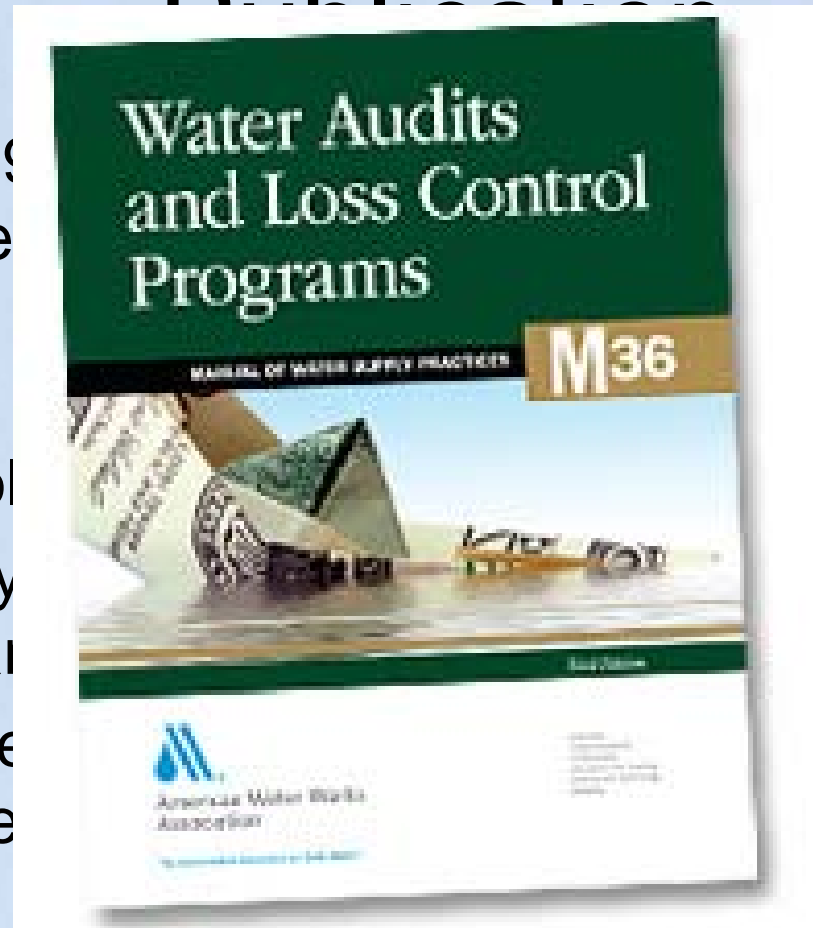
# Water Audit Process: A Top Down Approach

- Advantage: quickly pulls together data and information that is readily available
- Disadvantage: for most water utilities, incomplete or inaccurate data limits the *validity* of the top-down water audit



# Water Audit and M36 Publications

- In April, 2009, the 2nd edition of Manual 36 e and Loss Control Programs
- Manual was updated to reflect the latest in Loss Control
- Concurrently, the software for the audit software was updated
- The software is available for purchase on their website



2nd edition of  
Loss Control  
Manual of the Water  
Association developed water  
audit software available on  
AWWA on



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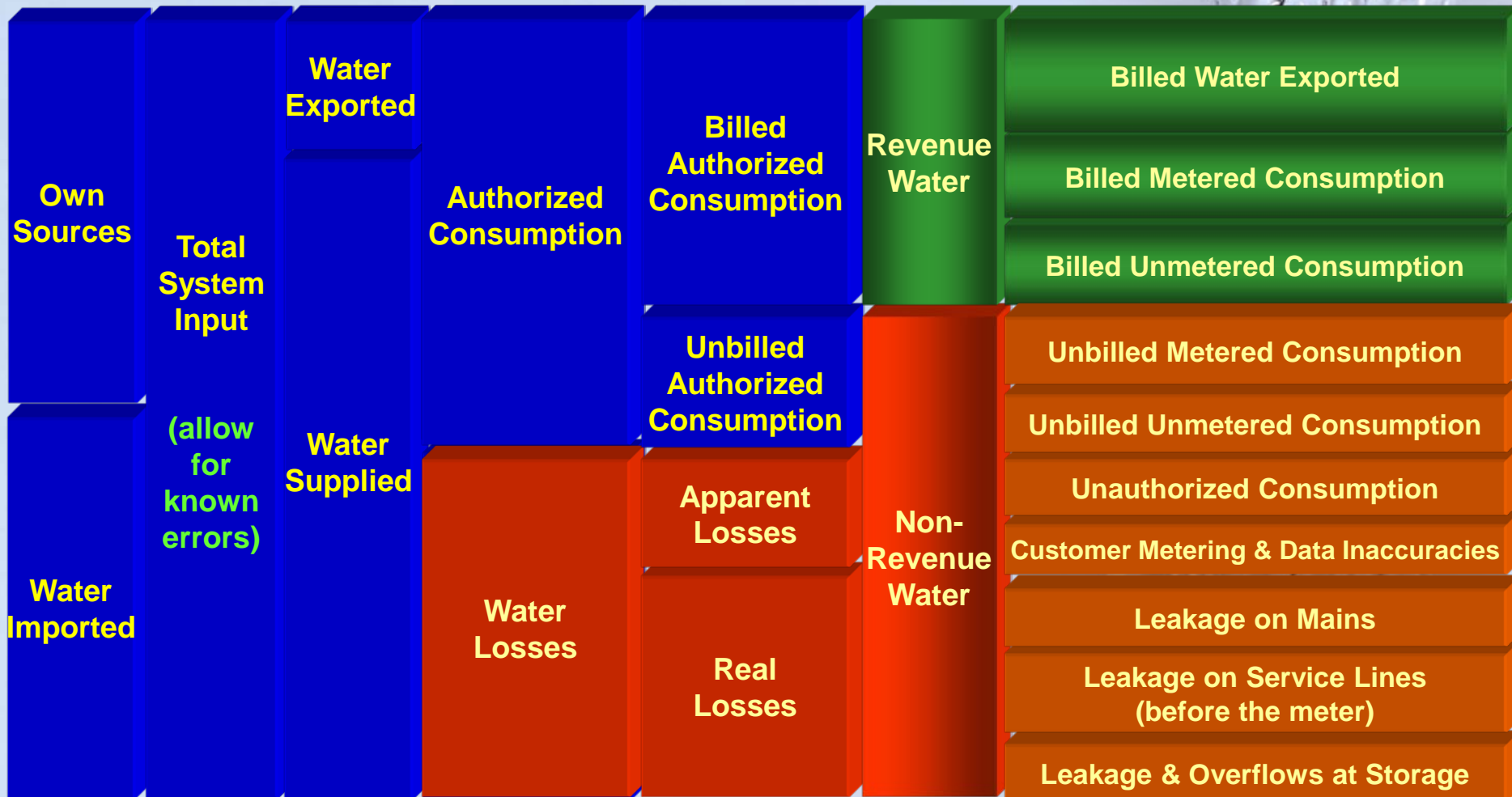
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# The Water Audit Process Roadmap

- Follow the search results

The screenshot shows the American Water Works Association (AWWA) website. At the top, there is a navigation bar with links for 'Contact Us', 'Advertise With Us', 'Sourcebook', and 'Site Map'. Below this is the AWWA logo and tagline: 'The Authoritative Resource on Safe Water'. A search bar is located on the right side of the header, containing the text 'enter search term' and a search button. Below the search bar are links for 'Advanced Search' and 'Search The Water Library'. The main navigation menu includes 'Home', 'Membership and Sections', 'AWWA Bookstore', 'Conferences and Education', 'Professional and Technical Resources', 'Government and Public Affairs', 'Publications', and 'About AWWA'. The search results section is titled 'Search Results' and shows the search term 'water audit software'. Below the search bar are buttons for 'Search', 'Modify Search', and 'Advanced Search'. The search results are displayed as 'Search Results for water audit software' with 'Results 1 - 10 of about 324'. A pagination link shows '1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 Next >>'. The first search result is titled 'AWWA Water Loss Control Committee's Free Water Audit Software' and is circled in black. The description for this result states: 'The AWWA Water Loss Control Committee is pleased to offer Version 4.0 of its own Free Water Audit Software, available to all users.' On the right side of the search results, there is a sidebar with the text: 'Looking for the best data management solutions for your plant or facility? Our water, wastewater, pretreatment and maintenance data management applications offer a wide range of analytical'.

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# The Water Audit Process Roadmap

- ..... and “SAVE AS”

The screenshot shows a Windows Internet Explorer browser window displaying the website <http://www.awwa.org/files/science/WaterLoss/WaterAudit.xls>. The browser's 'File' menu is open, highlighting the 'Save As...' option. The webpage content includes the title 'Loss Control Committee (WLCC) Free Water Audit Software v4.1' and a copyright notice for 2010. Below the title, there is a descriptive paragraph about the software, followed by a legend for cell colors: white for user input, orange for calculated values, and blue for default values. A form section asks for utility information such as 'NAME OF CITY OR UTILITY', 'COUNTRY', 'REPORTING YEAR', 'START DATE', 'END DATE', 'NAME OF CONTACT PERSON', 'E-MAIL', and 'TELEPHONE'. At the bottom, there is a 'Click to advance to sheet...' section with four buttons: 'Instructions', 'Reporting Worksheet', 'Water Balance', and 'Grading Matrix'. The browser's taskbar at the bottom shows the 'start' button and several open applications, including 'Russell Ti...', 'Microsoft...', and 'http://w...'. The system clock indicates the time is 11:55 AM.



# Completing Your First Water Audit

- Read the instructions provided in the software
- Follow the tabs

<u>Instructions</u>	The current sheet
<u>Reporting Worksheet</u>	Enter the required data on this worksheet to calculate the water balance
<u>Water Balance</u>	The values entered in the Reporting Worksheet are used to populate the water balance
<u>Grading Matrix</u>	Depending on the confidence of audit inputs, a grading is assigned to the audit score
<u>Service Connections</u>	Diagrams depicting possible customer service connection configurations
<u>Definitions</u>	Use this sheet to understand terms used in the audit process
<u>Loss Control Planning</u>	Use this sheet to interpret the results of the audit validity score and performance indicators

# Title Page

THE FOLLOWING KEY APPLIES THROUGHOUT:

Value can be entered by user

Value calculated based on input data

These cells contain recommended default values

Please begin by providing the following information, then proceed through each sheet in the workbook:

NAME OF CITY OR UTILITY:

COUNTRY:

REPORTING YEAR:

START DATE(MM/YYYY):

END DATE(MM/YYYY):

NAME OF CONTACT PERSON:

E-MAIL:

TELEPHONE:

Ext.

PLEASE SELECT PREFERRED REPORTING UNITS FOR WATER VOLUME:

**Click to advance to sheet...**

Click here: [?](#) for help about units and conversions

# What data do I need?

- System input including
  - Purchased water
  - Transferred water, imported and exported
- Sales
  - Metered, billed and unbilled
  - Unmetered, billed and unbilled
- Estimate of unauthorized consumption
- Estimate of meter error or inaccuracy
- Estimate of data handling errors



# What data do I need?

- Physical parameters of the water system
  - Length of mains
  - Number of service connections
  - Average length of customer service line
  - Average system operating pressure
- Financial data on the system
  - Annual operating costs
  - Retail cost per unit
  - Marginal cost per unit



# Where is the data entered?

- Look for the white boxes in the spreadsheet

**PLEASE CHOOSE REPORTING UNITS FROM THE INSTRUCTIONS SHEET BEFORE ENTERING DATA**

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**WATER SUPPLIED** << Enter grading in column 'E'

Volume from own sources:

Master meter error adjustment (enter positive value):

Water imported:

Water exported:

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**WATER SUPPLIED:**   0.000

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**AUTHORIZED CONSUMPTION**

Billed metered:

Billed unmetered:

Unbilled metered:

Unbilled unmetered:   0.000

Default option selected for Unbilled unmetered - a grading of 5 is applied but not display

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**AUTHORIZED CONSUMPTION:**   0.000

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**WATER LOSSES (Water Supplied - Authorized Consumption)**  0.000

**Apparent Losses**

Unauthorized consumption:   0.000

Default option selected for unauthorized consumption - a grading of 5 is applied but not display:

Customer metering inaccuracies:    0.000

Systematic data handling errors:

Apparent Losses:   0.000

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**Real Losses (Current Annual Real Losses or CARL)**

Click here:  for help using option buttons below


Pent: 125% Value:

Use buttons to select percentage of water supplied

**QB** value

Pent: 0.25% Value:

Choose this option to enter a percentage of billed metered consumption. This is NOT a default value



# Where is the data entered?

- Look for the white boxes in the spreadsheet

**SYSTEM DATA**

Length of mains:	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Number of <u>active AND inactive</u> service connections:	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Connection density:	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
<u>Average</u> length of customer service line:	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Average operating pressure:	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

(pipe length between curbstop and customer meter or property boundary)

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**COST DATA**

Total annual cost of operating water system:	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	\$/Year
Customer retail unit cost (applied to Apparent Losses):	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Variable production cost (applied to Real Losses):	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	\$/

- That was easy, but what about those small white boxes?



# Grading the data: an example

– How many miles of mains are in the system?

Length of mains:   miles

1. Poorly assembled and maintained paper as-built records of existing water main installations makes accurate determination of system pipe length impossible. Length of mains is guesstimated.
2. Paper records in poor condition (no annual tracking of installations & abandonments). Poor procedures to ensure that new water mains installed by developers are accurately documented.
3. Conditions between 2 and 4
4. Sound policy and procedures for permitting and documenting new water main installations, but gaps in management result in a uncertain degree of error in tabulation of mains length.
5. Conditions between 4 and 6
6. Sound policy and procedures exist for permitting and commissioning new water mains. Highly accurate paper records with regular field validation; or electronic records and asset management system in good condition. Includes system backup.
7. Conditions between 6 and 8
8. Sound policy and procedures exist for permitting and commissioning new water mains. Electronic recordkeeping and asset management system are used to store and manage data.
9. Conditions between 8 and 10
10. Sound policy exists for managing water mains extensions and replacements. Geographic Information System (GIS) data and asset management database agree and random field validation proves truth of databases.

# Data Input

## WATER SUPPLIED

<< Enter grading in column 'E'

Volume from own sources:  ?

Master meter error adjustment (enter positive value):  ?

Water imported:  ?

Water exported:  ?

**WATER SUPPLIED:**

0.000

## AUTHORIZED CONSUMPTION

Billed metered:  ?

Billed unmetered:  ?

Unbilled metered:  ?

Unbilled unmetered:  ?

Click here:  ?

for help using option  
buttons below

Pcnt:

Value:

1.25%

Default option selected for Unbilled unmetered - a grading of 5 is applied but not displayed

**AUTHORIZED CONSUMPTION:**  ?

0.000

Use buttons to select  
percentage of water supplied

**OR**

# Data Input

WATER LOSSES (Water Supplied - Authorized Consumption) 0.000

## Apparent Losses

Unauthorized consumption:  ? 0.000

Pcnt: Value:

0.25%

Default option selected for unauthorized consumption - a grading of 5 is applied but not displayed

Customer metering inaccuracies:  ? 0.000

Systematic data handling errors:  ?

Apparent Losses:  ? 0.000

Enter a percentage less than 10% in the red cell (J42), or select 'Value' option

## Real Losses (Current Annual Real Losses or CARL)

Real Losses = Water Losses - Apparent Losses:  ? 0.000

**WATER LOSSES:** 0.000

## NON-REVENUE WATER

NON-REVENUE WATER:  ? 0.000

= Total Water Loss + Unbilled Metered + Unbilled Unmetered

# Data Input



## SYSTEM DATA

Length of mains:	<input type="checkbox"/> ?	<input type="text"/>	
Number of <u>active AND inactive</u> service connections:	<input type="checkbox"/> ?	<input type="text"/>	
Connection density:		<input type="text"/>	
<u>Average</u> length of customer service line:	<input type="checkbox"/> ?	<input type="text"/>	(pipe length between curbstop and customer meter or property boundary)
Average operating pressure:	<input type="checkbox"/> ?	<input type="text"/>	

## COST DATA

Total annual cost of operating water system:	<input type="checkbox"/> ?	<input type="text"/>	\$/Year
Customer retail unit cost (applied to Apparent Losses):	<input type="checkbox"/> ?	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Variable production cost (applied to Real Losses):	<input type="checkbox"/> ?	<input type="text"/>	\$/



# Calculated Performance Indicators

## Financial Indicators

Non-revenue water as percent by volume of Water Supplied:

Non-revenue water as percent by cost of operating system:

Annual cost of Apparent Losses:

Annual cost of Real Losses:

## Operational Efficiency Indicators

Apparent Losses per service connection per day:

Real Losses per service connection per day\*:

Real Losses per length of main per day\*:

Real Losses per service connection per day per meter (head) pressure:

▪ ? Unavoidable Annual Real Losses (UARL):

From Above, Real Losses = Current Annual Real Losses (CARL):

▪ ? Infrastructure Leakage Index (ILI) [CARL/UARL]:

\* only the most applicable of these two indicators will be calculated

# Grading the data: an example

## SYSTEM DATA

Length of mains:	▣ ?	8	105.0
Number of <u>active AND inactive</u> service connections:	▣ ?	8	10,235
Connection density:			97
<u>Average</u> length of customer service line:	▣ ?	8	70.0
Average operating pressure:	▣ ?	8	65.0

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# Audit Validity Score

## WATER AUDIT DATA VALIDITY SCORE:

**\*\*\* YOUR SCORE IS: 71 out of 100 \*\*\***

A weighted scale for the components of consumption and water loss is included in the calculation of the Water Audit Data Validity Score

## PRIORITY AREAS FOR ATTENTION:

Based on the information provided, audit accuracy can be improved by addressing the following components:

**1: Billed metered**

**2: Unauthorized consumption**

**3: Systematic data handling errors**



[For more information, click here to see the Grading Matrix worksheet](#)

# Making the Grade

Water Loss Control Planning Guide					
	Water Audit Data Validity Level / Score				
Functional Focus Area	Level I (0-25)	Level II (26-50)	Level III (51-70)	Level IV (71-90)	Level V (91-100)
Audit Data Collection	Launch auditing and loss control team; address production metering deficiencies	Analyze business process for customer metering and billing functions and water supply operations. Identify data gaps.	Establish/revise policies and procedures for data collection	Refine data collection practices and establish as routine business process	Annual water audit is a reliable gauge of year-to-year water efficiency standing
Short-term loss control	Research information on leak detection programs. Begin flowcharting analysis of customer billing system	Conduct loss assessment investigations on a sample portion of the system: customer meter testing, leak survey, unauthorized consumption, etc.	Establish ongoing mechanisms for customer meter accuracy testing, active leakage control and infrastructure monitoring	Refine, enhance or expand ongoing programs based upon economic justification	Stay abreast of improvements in metering, meter reading, billing, leakage management and infrastructure rehabilitation
Long-term loss control		Begin to assess long-term needs requiring large expenditure: customer meter replacement, water main replacement program, new customer billing system or Automatic Meter Reading (AMR) system.	Begin to assemble economic business case for long-term needs based upon improved data becoming available through the water audit process.	Conduct detailed planning, budgeting and launch of comprehensive improvements for metering, billing or infrastructure management	Continue incremental improvements in short-term and long-term loss control interventions
Target-setting			Establish long-term apparent and real loss reduction goals (+10 year horizon)	Establish mid-range (5 year horizon) apparent and real loss reduction goals	Evaluate and refine loss control goals on a yearly basis
Benchmarking			Preliminary Comparisons - can begin to rely upon the Infrastructure Leakage Index (ILI) for performance comparisons for real losses (see below table)	Performance Benchmarking - ILI is meaningful in comparing real loss standing	Identify Best Practices/ Best in class - the ILI is very reliable as a real loss performance indicator for best in class service

# Grading the system

## – Performance Indicators

- NRW% by volume
- Volumetric losses
- Losses per connection per day
- Losses per mile of main
- Infrastructure Leakage Index (ILI)



# Grading the system

## PERFORMANCE INDICATORS

### Financial Indicators

Non-revenue water as percent by volume of Water Supplied:

Non-revenue water as percent by cost of operating system:

Annual cost of Apparent Losses:

Annual cost of Real Losses:

### Operational Efficiency Indicators

Apparent Losses per service connection per day:

Real Losses per service connection per day\*:

Real Losses per length of main per day\*:

Real Losses per service connection per day per meter (head) pressure:

Unavoidable Annual Real Losses (UARL):

From Above, Real Losses = Current Annual Real Losses (CARL):

Infrastructure Leakage Index (ILI) [CARL/UARL]:

# ILI= CARL / UARL

## CARL

### Real Losses (Current Annual Real Losses or CARL)

Real Losses = Water Losses - Apparent Losses: ?

0.000

## UARL

UARL (gallons/day)=(5.41Lm + 0.15Nc + 7.5Lc) xP,

or

UARL (litres/day)=(18.0Lm + 0.8Nc + 25.0Lc) xP

where:

Lm = length of mains (miles or kilometres)

Nc = number of service connections

Lc = total length of customer service lines (miles or km)

= Nc multiplied by the average distance of customer service line, Lp (miles or km)

P = Pressure (psi or metres)

Click to see Service Connection Diagram

# Interpreting the Grades: ILI

General Guidelines for Setting a Target ILI (without doing a full economic analysis of leakage control options)			
Target ILI Range	Financial Considerations	Operational Considerations	Water Resources Considerations
1.0 - 3.0	Water resources are costly to develop or purchase; ability to increase revenues via water rates is greatly limited because of regulation or low ratepayer affordability.	Operating with system leakage above this level would require expansion of existing infrastructure and/or additional water resources to meet the demand.	Available resources are greatly limited and are very difficult and/or environmentally unsound to develop.
>3.0 - 5.0	Water resources can be developed or purchased at reasonable expense; periodic water rate increases can be feasibly imposed and are tolerated by the customer population.	Existing water supply infrastructure capability is sufficient to meet long-term demand as long as reasonable leakage management controls are in place.	Water resources are believed to be sufficient to meet long-term needs, but demand management interventions (leakage management, water conservation) are included in the long-term planning.
>5.0 - 8.0	Cost to purchase or obtain/treat water is low, as are rates charged to customers.	Superior reliability, capacity and integrity of the water supply infrastructure make it relatively immune to supply shortages.	Water resources are plentiful, reliable, and easily extracted.
<b>Greater than 8.0</b>	Although operational and financial considerations may allow a long-term ILI greater than 8.0, such a level of leakage is not an effective utilization of water as a resource. Setting a target level greater than 8.0 - other than as an incremental goal to a smaller long-term target - is discouraged.		
<b>Less than 1.0</b>	If the calculated Infrastructure Leakage Index (ILI) value for your system is 1.0 or less, two possibilities exist. a) you are maintaining your leakage at low levels in a class with the top worldwide performers in leakage control. b) A portion of your data may be flawed, causing your losses to be greatly understated. This is likely if you calculate a low ILI value but do not employ extensive leakage control practices in your operations. In such cases it is beneficial to validate the data by performing field measurements to confirm the accuracy of production and customer meters, or to identify any other potential sources of error in the data.		



# UARL considerations

The UARL is a theoretical reference value representing the technical low limit of leakage that could be achieved if all of today's best technology could be successfully applied. It is a key variable in the calculation of the Infrastructure Leakage Index (ILI). It is not necessary that water utilities set this level as the target level of leakage, unless water is unusually expensive, scarce or both.

NOTE: The UARL calculation has not yet been fully proven as effective for very small, or low pressure water distribution systems. If,

in gallons per day:

$(L_m \times 32) + N_c < 3000$  or

$P < 35\text{psi}$

in litres per day:

$(L_m \times 20) + N_c < 3000$  or

$P < 25\text{m}$

then the calculated UARL value may not be valid. The software does not display a value of UARL or ILI if either of these conditions is true.

# Smaller System Considerations

## Operational Efficiency Indicators

Apparent Losses per service connection per day:

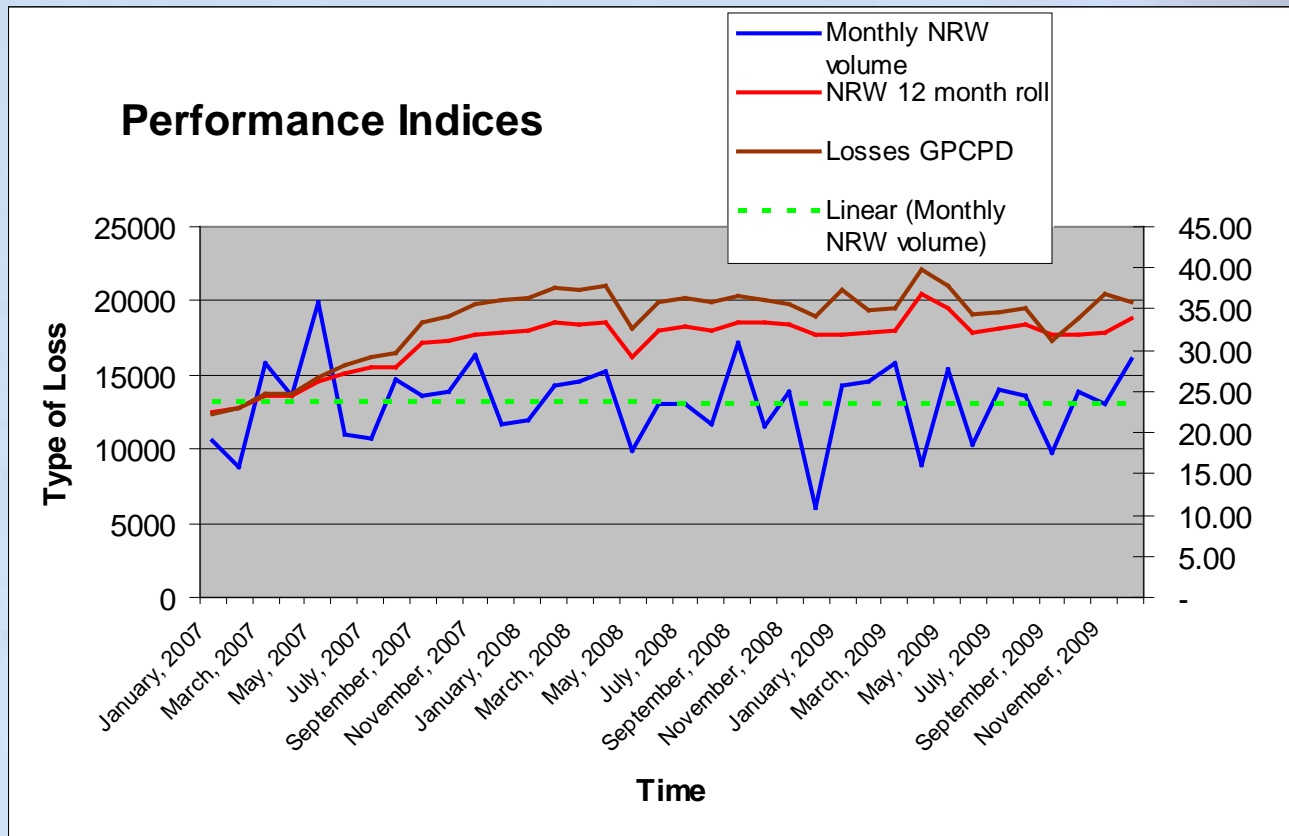
Real Losses per service connection per day\*:

Real Losses per length of main per day\*:

Real Losses per service connection per day per meter (head) pressure:

# Interpreting the Grades: NRW volume (mo & roll), NRW%

- Follow the trends



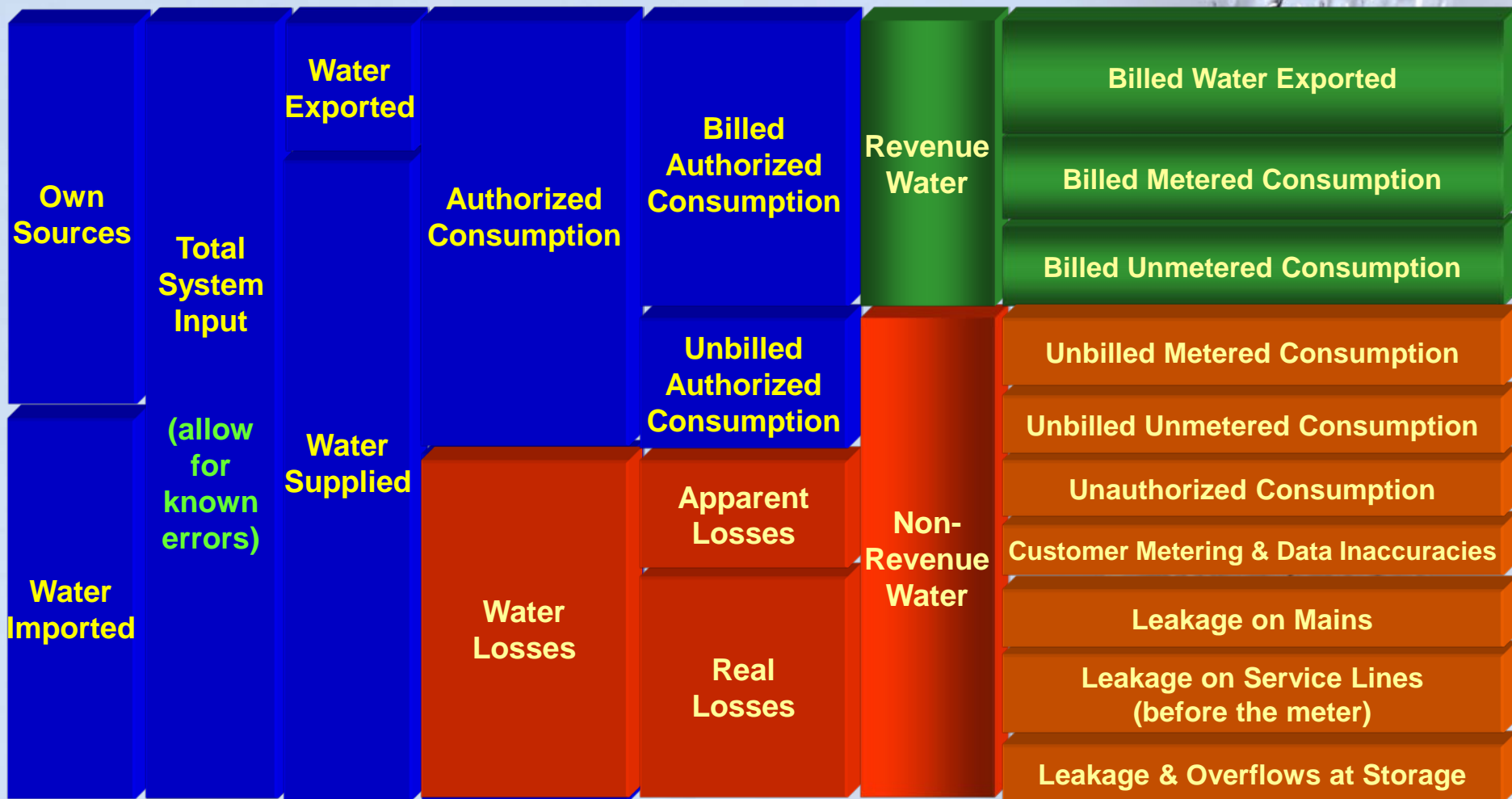
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# Water Balance



AWWA WLCC Free Water Audit Software: <u>Water Balance</u>			Water Audit Report For:		Report Yr:	
Copyright © 2010, American Water Works Association. All Rights Reserved.			City of Lake Forest, Illinois		2010	
Own Sources (Adjusted for known errors)  <b>1,314.455</b>	Water Exported			Billed Water Exported		
	<b>6.534</b>					
		Authorized Consumption	Billed Authorized Consumption	Billed Metered Consumption (inc. water exported)	Revenue Water	
			<b>1,089.691</b>	<b>1,089.691</b>		
		<b>1,118.911</b>	Unbilled Authorized Consumption	Billed Unmetered Consumption	<b>1,089.691</b>	
				<b>0.000</b>		
		Water Supplied	Unbilled Metered Consumption	Unbilled Metered Consumption	Non-Revenue Water (NRW)	
				<b>29.220</b>		<b>28.782</b>
				Apparent Losses		Unbilled Unmetered Consumption
		<b>17.143</b>	Unauthorized Consumption		<b>218.230</b>	
	Water Losses	Customer Metering Inaccuracies	<b>0.100</b>			
		<b>189.010</b>	Systematic Data Handling Errors	<b>17.033</b>		
		Real Losses	Leakage on Transmission and/or Distribution Mains	<b>0.010</b>		
	<b>171.867</b>		Leakage and Overflows at Utility's Storage Tanks	<b>Not broken down</b>		
			Leakage on Service Connections	<b>Not broken down</b>		
Water Imported						
<b>0.000</b>						

# LMO2 Form



## Illinois Department of **Natural Resources**

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<http://dnr.state.il.us>

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### **2011 Annual Water Use Audit Form (LMO-2)**

**This form must be completed by all Category IA and IIB Permittees for each annual water use accounting year running from October 1st through September 30th. This form must be submitted to the Department by January 9, 2012.**



# LMO2 Form

## Section I - General Information

Name, address and phone number of Permittee:

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County: \_\_\_\_\_

Name, address and phone number of the contact person for the Permittee:

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e-mail address \_\_\_\_\_

Authorized Official \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Please provide leak survey information and population estimates for the last year.

Population: \_\_\_\_\_ Number of existing households: \_\_\_\_\_

# LMO2 Form

## A. Pumpage Data

Water bought or received from the following distribution systems:

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1. Lake Michigan Pumpage	_____	mgd
2. Shallow Aquifer Pumpage	_____	mgd
3. Deep Aquifer Pumpage	_____	mgd
4. Total Pumpage (add lines 1, 2 & 3)	0.000	mgd
5. Water Treatment Use	_____	mgd
6. Gross Annual Pumpage (subtract line 5 from line 4)	0.000	mgd

Water sold or provided to any other distribution systems (enter the name of each system and the amount sold or provided to that system on lines 7 through 12). If additional lines are required, attach an additional sheet listing each system and amount.

7	_____	mgd
8	_____	mgd
9	_____	mgd
10	_____	mgd
11	_____	mgd
12	_____	mgd
13. Total (add lines 7-12 and any additional amounts)	0.000	mgd
14. Net Annual Pumpage (subtract line 13 from line 6)	0.000	mgd

# Volume inputs

## WATER SUPPLIED

<< Enter grading in column 'E'

Volume from own sources:

Master meter error adjustment (enter positive value):

Water imported:

Water exported:

**WATER SUPPLIED:**

# LMO2 Form

<b>B. Uses</b>	<b>Metered</b>	<b>Unmetered</b>	<b>Total</b>
15. Residential			0.000 mgd
16. Commercial and Manufacturing			0.000 mgd
17. Municipal			0.000 mgd
18. Construction			0.000 mgd
19. Total Uses (add Total lines 15 through 18)	0.000	0.000	0.000 mgd
20. Percentage of Total Use to Net Annual Pumpage (divide line 19 by line 14 and multiply by 100)			#DIV/0! %

<b>C. Hydrant Uses</b>	
21. Firefighting and Training	mgd
22. Water Main Flushing	mgd
23. Sewer Cleaning	mgd
24. Street Cleaning	mgd
25. Construction	mgd
26. Other (attach explanation)	mgd
27. Total Hydrant Use (add lines 21 through 26)	0.000 mgd

## Section II - Water Use Audit (continued)

28. Percentage of Hydrant Use to Net Annual Pumpage (divide line 27 by line 14 and multiply by 100)	#DIV/0! %
29. Department allowed maximum for Hydrant Use	1.0 %
30. Excessive hydrant use (subtract line 29 from line 28). If the percentage is greater than 0.0, attach an explanation. [see Rule 730.307 (e)]	#DIV/0! %

# Uses and Losses

## AUTHORIZED CONSUMPTION

Billed metered:

Billed unmetered:

Unbilled metered:

Unbilled unmetered:

Default option selected for Unbilled unmetered - a grading of 5 is applied but not displayed

**AUTHORIZED CONSUMPTION:**

Click here:  ?  
for help using option  
buttons below

Pcnt:    Value:

Use buttons to select  
percentage of water supplied  
**OR**  
value

**WATER LOSSES (Water Supplied - Authorized Consumption)**

## Apparent Losses

Unauthorized consumption:

Default option selected for unauthorized consumption - a grading of 5 is applied but not displayed

Customer metering inaccuracies:

Systematic data handling errors:

Apparent Losses:

Pcnt:    Value:

Value:

Enter a percentage less  
than 10% in the red cell  
(J42), or select 'Value'  
option

## Real Losses (Current Annual Real Losses or CARL)

Real Losses = Water Losses - Apparent Losses:

**WATER LOSSES:**

# LMO2 Reporting form

Complete the following calculations to determine your maximum unavoidable leakage.  
Enter the appropriate amounts in the space provided.

## A. Cast Iron Pipes With Lead Joints

Age of Pipes	Miles of Pipe	Leakage Rate	Maximum Unavoidable Leakage	
1. 60 yrs. or greater		x 3,000 g/d/mi =	0	g/d
2. 40-60 yrs.		x 2,500 g/d/mi =	0	g/d
3. 20-40 yrs.		x 2,000 g/d/mi =	0	g/d
4. 20 yrs. or less		x 1,500 g/d/mi =	0	g/d

## B. All Other Types of Pipes and Joints

Age of Pipes	Miles of Pipe	Leakage Rate	Maximum Unavoidable Leakage	
5. 60 yrs. or greater		x 2,500 g/d/mi =	0	g/d
6. 40-60 yrs.		x 2,000 g/d/mi =	0	g/d
7. 20-40 yrs.		x 1,500 g/d/mi =	0	g/d
8. 20 yrs. or less		x 1,000 g/d/mi =	0	g/d
9. Total Miles	<u>0.0</u>	Total Leakage	<u>0</u>	g/d
10. Total Maximum Unavoidable Leakage, in mgd (divide total leakage on line 9 by 1,000,000)				<u>0.000</u> mgd
(Enter this amount on line 31 of "Section II - Water Use Audit)				



# System Data and Cost Data

## SYSTEM DATA

Length of mains:	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	
Number of <u>active AND inactive</u> service connections:	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	
Connection density:	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	
<u>Average</u> length of customer service line:	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	(pipe length between curbstop and customer meter or property boundary)
Average operating pressure:	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	

## COST DATA

Total annual cost of operating water system:	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	\$/Year
Customer retail unit cost (applied to Apparent Losses):	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	
Variable production cost (applied to Real Losses):	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	\$/

# LMO2 Form

## D. Unavoidable Leakage and Unaccounted for Flow

31. Maximum Unavoidable Leakage (Do worksheet in Section III; enter amount from line 10 of the worksheet)	<u>0.000</u> mgd
32. Percentage of Maximum Unavoidable Leakage to Net Annual Pumpage (divide line 31 by line 14 and multiply by 100)	<u>#DIV/0!</u> %
33. Total Accounted for Flow (add lines 19, 27 and 31)	<u>0.000</u> mgd
34. Percentage of Total Accounted for Flow to Net Annual Pumpage (divide line 33 by line 14 and multiply by 100)	<u>#DIV/0!</u> %
35. Total Unaccounted for Flow (subtract amount on line 33 from line 14)	<u>0.000</u> mgd
36. Percentage of Total Unaccounted for Flow to Net Annual Pumpage (divide line 35 by line 14 and multiply by 100)	<u>#DIV/0!</u> %

~~Please Check Your Calculations~~

The sum of lines 33 and 35 should equal line 14. If they do not equal, recheck your calculations.

The sum of lines 34 and 36 should equal approximately 100%. If not, check calculations.

# ILI= CARL / UARL

## CARL

### Real Losses (Current Annual Real Losses or CARL)

Real Losses = Water Losses - Apparent Losses: ?

0.000

## UARL

UARL (gallons/day)=(5.41Lm + 0.15Nc + 7.5Lc) xP,

or

UARL (litres/day)=(18.0Lm + 0.8Nc + 25.0Lc) xP

where:

Lm = length of mains (miles or kilometres)

Nc = number of service connections

Lc = total length of customer service lines (miles or km)

= Nc multiplied by the average distance of customer service line, Lp (miles or km)

P = Pressure (psi or metres)

Click to see Service Connection Diagram

# Grading the system

## PERFORMANCE INDICATORS

### Financial Indicators

Non-revenue water as percent by volume of Water Supplied:

Non-revenue water as percent by cost of operating system:

Annual cost of Apparent Losses:

Annual cost of Real Losses:

### Operational Efficiency Indicators

Apparent Losses per service connection per day:

Real Losses per service connection per day\*:

Real Losses per length of main per day\*:

Real Losses per service connection per day per meter (head) pressure:

Unavoidable Annual Real Losses (UARL):

From Above, Real Losses = Current Annual Real Losses (CARL):

Infrastructure Leakage Index (ILI) [CARL/UARL]:

## AWWA audit vs.LMO2 Form

- “Unaccounted for” water in LMO2 is identified in the Audit Spreadsheet.
- No “allowable leakage” based on type and age of pipe in the AWWA Audit.
- Validation grading scale used in the AWWA Audit to help with data issues.
- AWWA Audit results are based on lost revenue and help target remediation.
- AWWA Audit allows for corrections to be applied for meter inaccuracies (At production meters, customer meters).
- AWWA audit shows where water use and losses are in Balance Matrix.



# Developing Actions

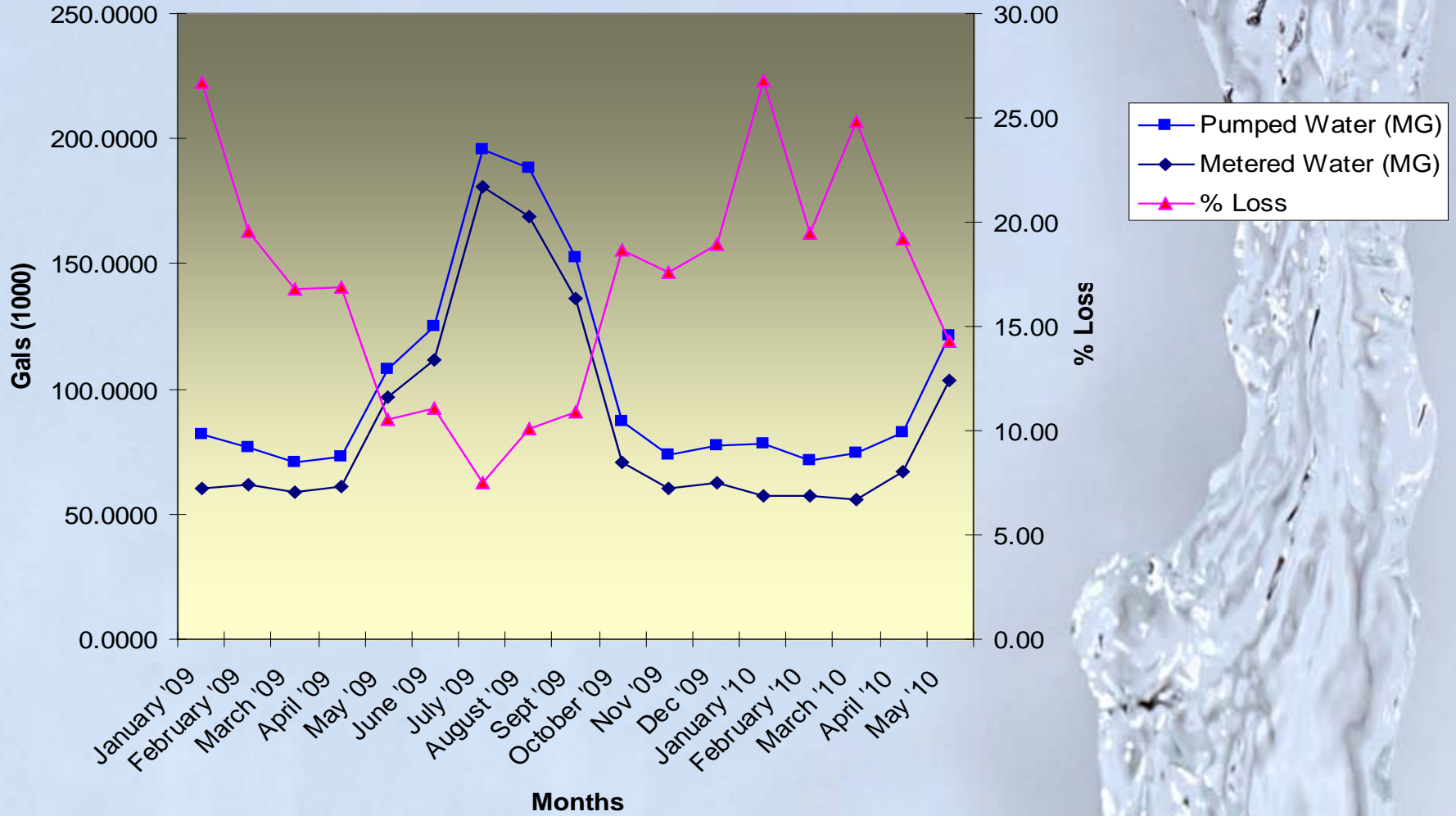
- Monitor, Maintain and / or Manage
- Improve data
- Develop a “bottom up” audit
- Refer to M36 and other AWWA references
- Other publications, IWA and privately authored
- Review case studies
- Comments to [wlc@awwa.org](mailto:wlc@awwa.org)





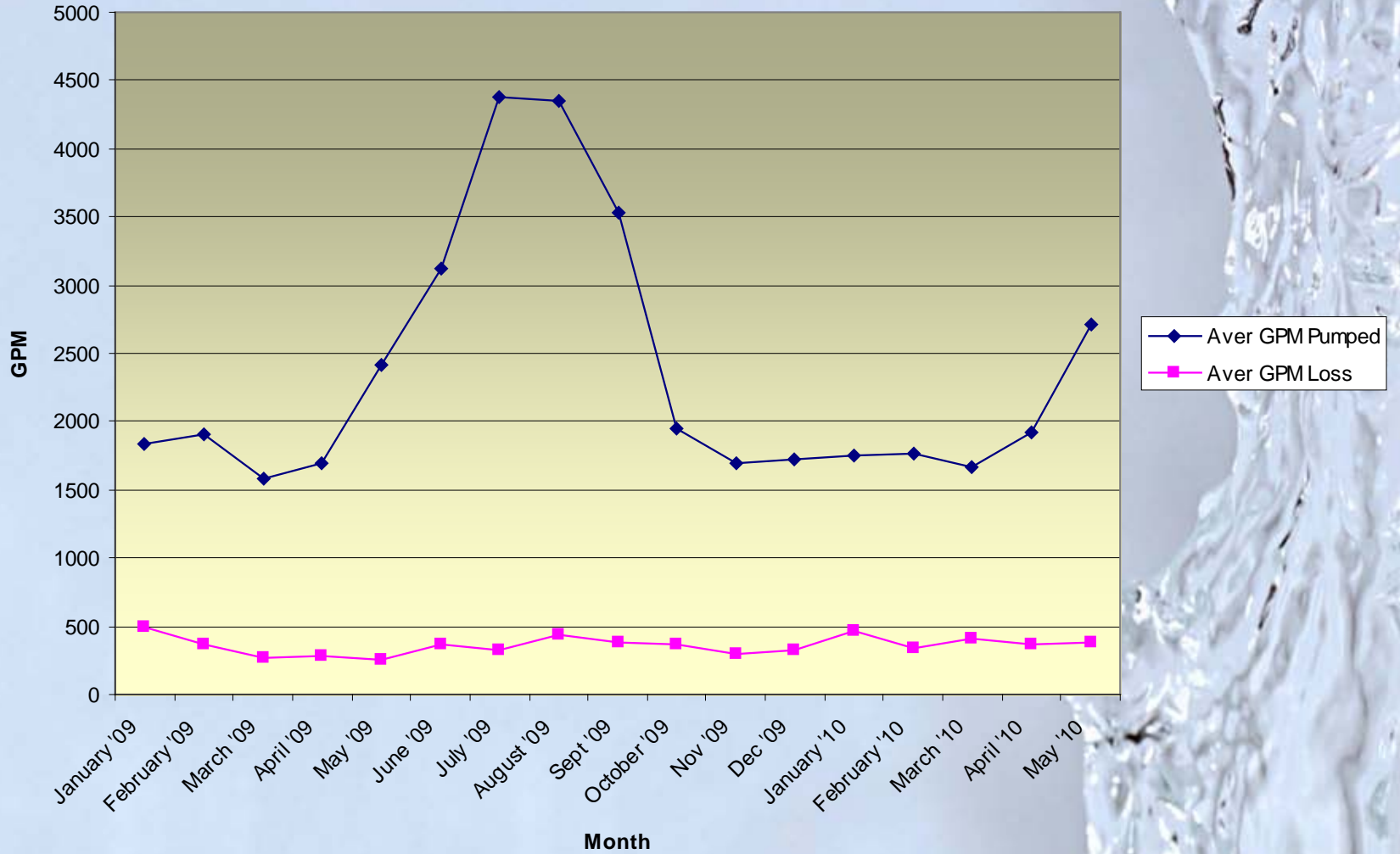
# Any Village Water Loss

## Pumped vs Billed vs % Loss



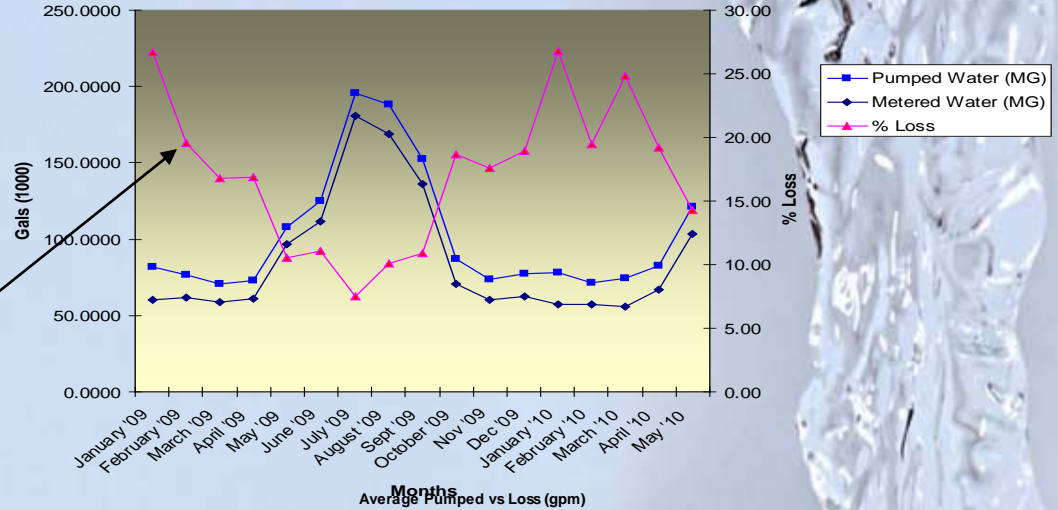
# Any Village Water Loss

## Average Pumped vs Loss (gpm)



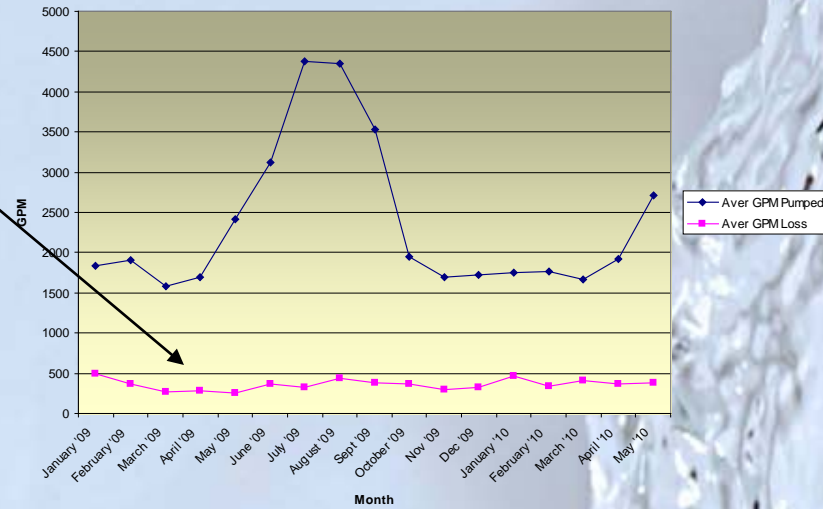
# Any Village Water Loss

Pumped vs Billed vs % Loss



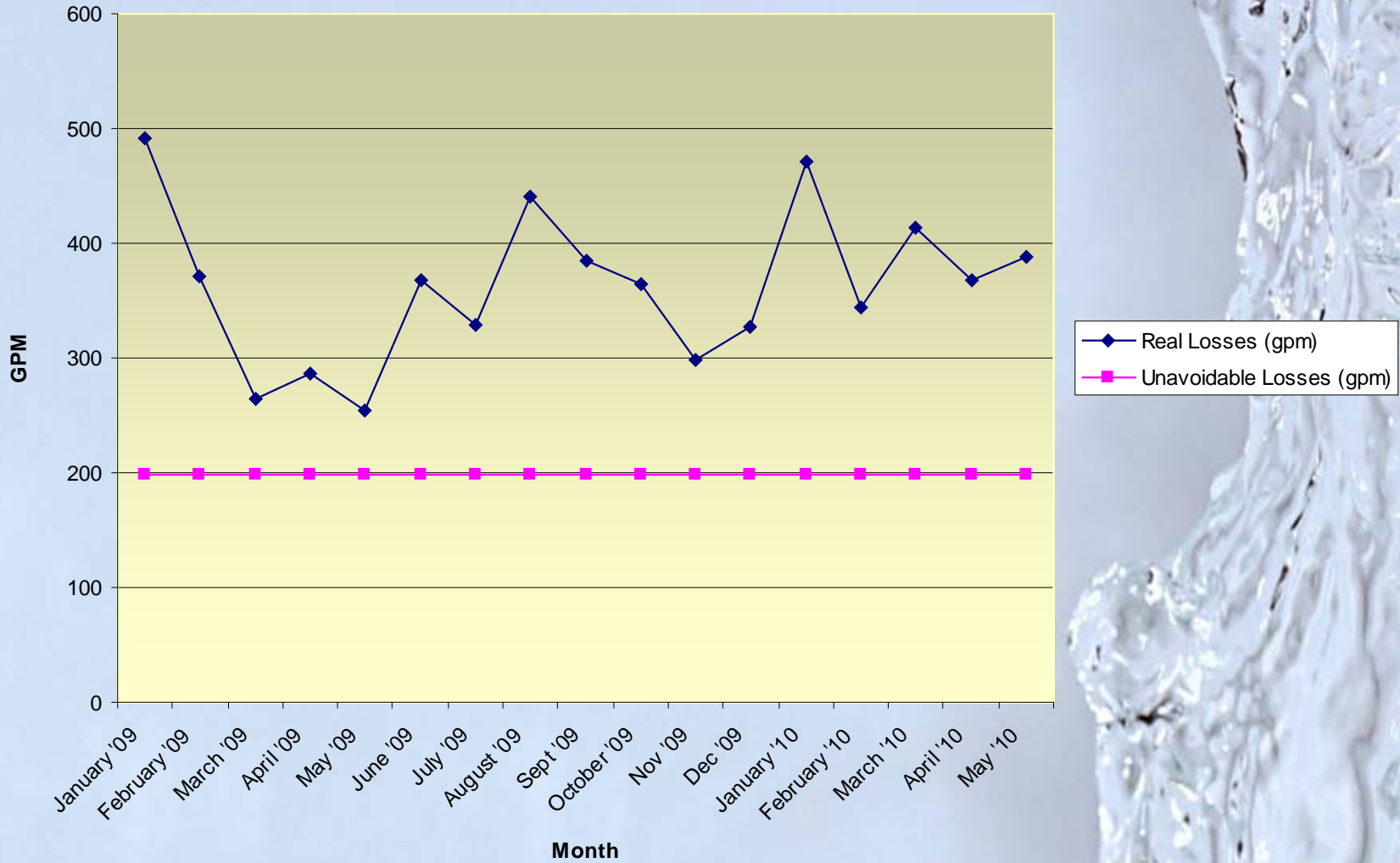
Percent Loss curve does not match GPM loss curve.

Average Pumped vs Loss (gpm)



# Any Village Water Loss

## Real Losses vs Unavoidable losses



**UARL:**  
Unavoidable Annual Real  
Losses

**ELL:** Economic  
Level of Leakage

Pressure  
Management

Speed & Quality of  
Repairs

**UARL**

**ELL**

Active Leak  
Control Program

*Recoverable Losses*

Asset  
Management

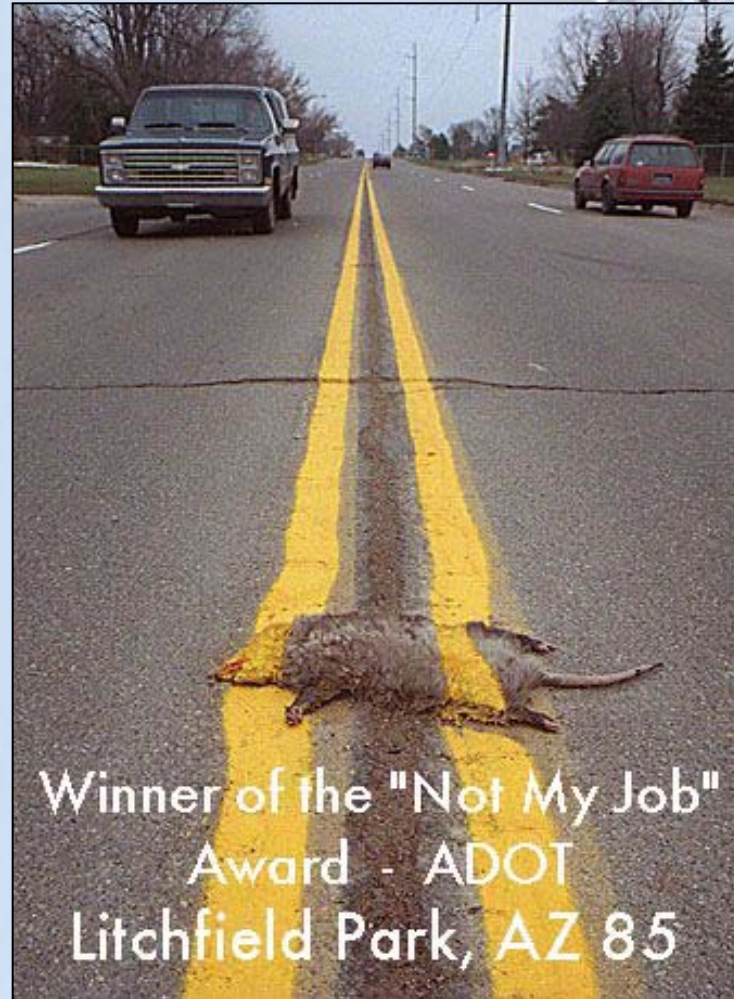




# Questions?

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Don't play Possum  
with Water Loss  
Management!!





# Discussion: Internal & External Communications and Outreach Strategies

Abby Crisostomo, Metropolitan Planning Council

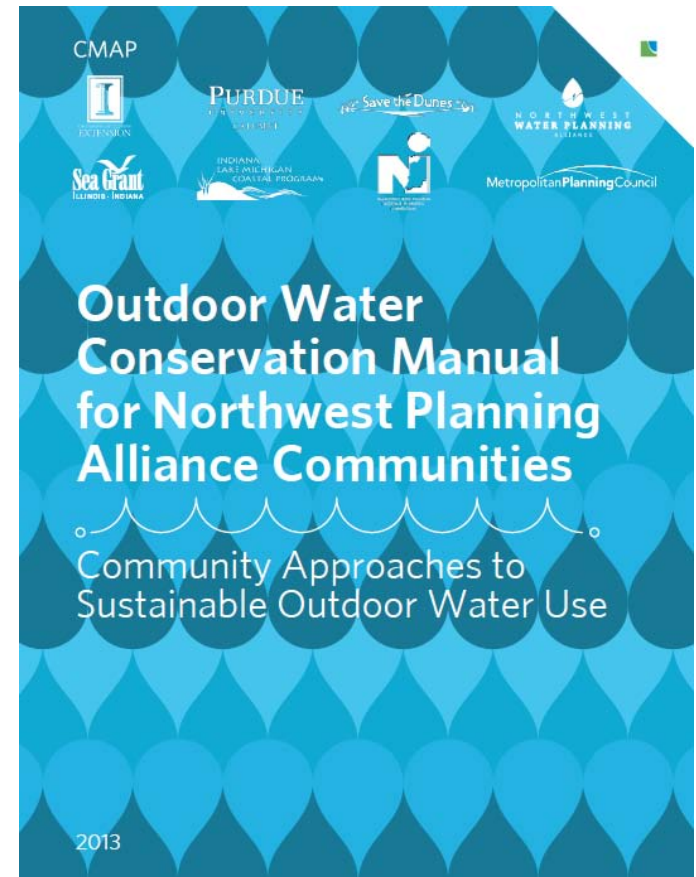


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# Discussion: Internal & External Communications and Outreach Strategies

- **Coordinating with other municipal staff on education and enforcement**
- **Sharing outreach tools**
- **Pairing sticks and carrots**



# Wrap-up, Questions, Announcements



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# Resource List

- Model Water Use Conservation Ordinance, *Chicago Metropolitan Agency for Planning*

<http://www.cmap.illinois.gov/water-2050/resources>

- Regional Water Conservation Lawn Watering Ordinance, *Northwest Water Planning Alliance*

[http://www.nwpa.us/pdfs/resource\\_center/NWPA%20Regional%20Lawn%20Watering%20Ordinance%20110712-FINAL.pdf](http://www.nwpa.us/pdfs/resource_center/NWPA%20Regional%20Lawn%20Watering%20Ordinance%20110712-FINAL.pdf)

- “Promoting Sustainable Building and Development Practices in Lake County”- Sample Ordinances and Information Sources, *Lake County*

<http://issuu.com/lakecounty/docs/sustainablepractices?mode=embed&layout>

- Immeasurable Loss: Modernizing Lake Michigan Water Use, *Metropolitan Planning Council*

▪ <http://www.metroplanning.org/waterloss>

- M36 Water Audit, *American Water Works Association*

<http://www.awwa.org/resources-tools/water-knowledge/water-loss-control.aspx>



# Workshop 3: Indoor & Outdoor Water Use

**July 31, 2013, 8:30 am to noon, DuPage Water Commission**

- Importance of water conservation for indoor and outdoor water use
  - Jared Teutsch, *Alliance for the Great Lakes*
- Identifying and prioritizing top water users and how to work with commercial and industrial customers
  - Karl Johnson, *MWH Global*
- How to work with residential users on indoor and outdoor water use
  - Karl Johnson and Hillary Holmes, *MWH Global*
- Performance tracking for water conservation ordinances and initiatives
  - Ned Paschke, *University of Wisconsin, Madison*



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