# Direct Potable Reuse Regulatory Update

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#### S Central Area Concept Considering Two Reservoirs

- San Vicente is larger and would be Indirect Potable Reuse.
- Murray Reservoir is smaller and would be Direct Potable Reuse.
- Many factors involved in ongoing assessment.



#### **Solution** Central Area Small Scale Facility has Two Trains



# **53** MGD to Murray Reservoir considered DPR

 Indirect potable reuse regulations require minimum retention time of 60 days

 At 53 MGD, Murray Reservoir has retention time of 23 days



# SD) CA DPR Criteria Developed for All Forms of DPR

#### **Raw Water Augmentation (RWA)**



#### Raw Water Augmentation without a reservoir



#### **Treated Water Augmentation (TWA)**



- DPR criteria developed to be protective of all forms of DPR
- This resulted in criteria targeted towards TWA projects

# **SD** Regulatory Development Timeline



# SD Pathogen Control



	Groundwater Recharge	Surface Water Augmentation	Direct Potable Reuse
Virus	12	12 to 14	20
Giardia	10	10 to 12	14
Cryptosporidium	10	10 to 12	15

 4 processes providing at least 1-log for <u>each</u> pathogen

- GWR is 3 processes total
- SWA is 2 to 3 processes total
- 3 mechanisms for each pathogen including:
  - UV disinfection (300 mJ/cm<sup>2</sup>)
  - Physical separation
  - Chemical disinfection

# sb Monitoring & Control



# **SD** Key Definitions



An activity, procedure, or process that is essential for removing pathogens or chemical hazards

### **Response Time – Pathogens & Acute Chemicals**

**Diversion Point** 



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**Diversion Point** 

CP<sub>1</sub> CP<sub>2</sub> CP<sub>3</sub> CP<sub>4</sub>  $CP_4$  response time must be <u>faster</u> than the T<sub>10</sub> from CP<sub>4</sub> to the diversion point CP<sub>1</sub> response time must be <u>faster</u> than the T<sub>10</sub> from CP<sub>1</sub> to the diversion point  $t_1$  = time interval between online measurements

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### **SD** Technical, Managerial, Financial Capacity













(17) \*Required if pathogen or chemical control provided at the facility

# **Questions/Discussion**

