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A Water Tunnel on Time and Under Budget

Nov. 10, 2014

By General Manager Jeffrey Kightlinger

Big water projects – even miles-long tunnels – can be built within their budgets. The latest case in point is a very similar (yet on a somewhat smaller scale) project to the tunnels proposed by the Bay Delta Conservation Plan. The project is the first-ever tunnel under San Francisco Bay, built to convey a reliable water supply to millions of residents. The project met its deadline and came in nearly 8 percent below its original budget. For those following BDCP, this is a project worth noting.

The agency behind the Hetch Hetchy project, the San Francisco Public Utilities Commission, confronted a very similar challenge to that now facing Metropolitan with the State Water Project. Potential damaging earthquakes put the reliability of both long-time projects at risk. And part of the solution for both included tunnels.

An aging SFPUC water pipeline on the floor of San Francisco Bay was identified as vulnerable in a large earthquake. As part of a broader upgrade project, the utility constructed a five-mile tunnel under the Bay, much like those proposed for the BDCP intake/tunnel project. Likewise, the soil profile under the Bay is quite similar to that under the Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta, making it an important test case for this kind of project and technology.



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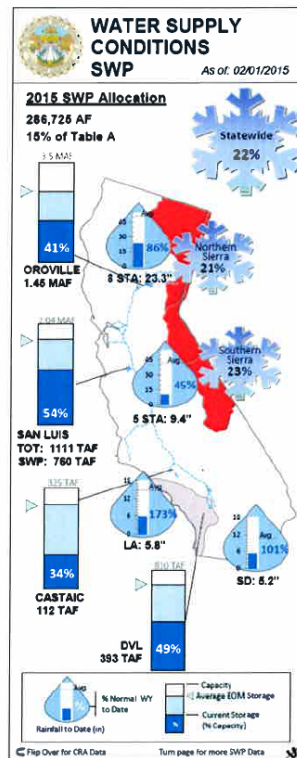
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