

# Water Supply Engineering Feasibility Study Water Advisory Board Update

September 24, 2018



### Agenda

- Review of Alternative Evaluation Process
- Detailed Evaluation of Water Supply Options
- Recommended Water Supply Strategy
- ≻Next Steps



#### **Alternative Evaluation Process**



### **Options Considered in Detailed Evaluation**

- Edwards-Trinity Plateau Aquifer
- Augmentation of Lake Nasworthy
- Direct Potable Reuse
- Concho River Water Supply



#### Detailed Evaluation of Water Supply Options Edwards-Trinity Plateau Aquifer





#### Detailed Evaluation of Water Supply Options Augmentation of Lake Nasworthy





#### Detailed Evaluation of Water Supply Options Direct Potable Reuse





#### Detailed Evaluation of Water Supply Options Concho River Water Supply





#### **Comparison of Project Yields**



#### Detailed Evaluation of Water Supply Options Opinions of Probable Cost

Option	Project Yield (MGD)	Project Cost* (million)	Annual O&M (million)	Unit Cost w/Debt (\$/kgal)	Unit Cost w/o Debt (\$/kgal)
Groundwater	4.0	\$102	\$0.9	\$5.76	\$0.64
Nasworthy Augmentation	6.2	\$141	\$4.1	\$6.39	\$1.82
DPR	6.4	\$140	\$5.3	\$6.72	\$2.29
Concho River Water Supply	7.5	\$117	\$2.3	\$3.97	\$0.83

\*Includes engineering, permitting, mitigation, and land acquisition



OF SAW	<b>Decision Matrix- Detailed Evaluation</b>						
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Decision Factors (Criteria)	6	11	16	17	Weight	Scale/Comments	
Permitting/regulatory challenges	2	3	4	3	6	The ease of resolving the legal, regulatory, permitting, and environmental challenges before implementation; 1= difficult to resolve regulatory issues; 5 = easy to resolve regulatory issues	
Supply Quantity	1	3	3	5	20	The ultimate supply volume (in ac-ft/yr) 1: ≤ 5,000 3: ≤ 7,500 5: > 8,000	
Supply Quality	4	3	5	3	8	Relative impact on drinking water quality 1: Greatest negative impact on drinking water quality 5: Greatest positive impact on drinking water quality	
Operational Complexity	5	2	2	3	7	1: High complexity to operate 5: Low complexity to operate	
Ownership	3	4	5	4	8	Based on objective rating of level of ownership/control SA has for the option; 5-full, 3-partial or 1-non-ownership	
Reliability	3	2	5	3	9	Based on likelihood that supply volume is available 100% every year 1: Low reliability 5: High reliability	
Sustainability	4	5	5	5	10	Based on likelihood that supply is available for long-term use (> 50 years) 1: Low sustainability 5: High sustainability	
Public Acceptance	4	2.5	1	3.5	5	1: Low - greatest likely San Angelo citizens' concern about project 5: High - Ieast likely San Angelo citizens' concern about project	
Schedule	3	2	3	2	7	Relative length of strategy implementation schedule 1: >7 years 2: ≤ 6 years 3: ≤5 years 4: ≤ 4 years 5: ≤ 3 years	
Unit Cost	2	1	1	4	20	1:>\$6.00/kgal 2:≤\$6.00/kgal 3:≤\$5.00/kgal 4:≤\$4.00/kgal 5:≤\$3.00/kgal	
TOTALS	267.3	260.3	316.8	381	Higher scores are more favorable Lower scores are less favorable		
Relative Rank	3	4	2	1			

### Recommended Water Supply Strategy: Concho River Water Supply



# **Benefits**

- Lowest unit cost
- Highest yield
- Provides improved
  treatment infrastructure
  - Upgraded Water Treatment Plant
  - Upgraded Water Reclamation Facility



#### Supply vs. Demand with Recommended Water Supply Strategy





### **Recommended Water Supply Strategy**

# **Next Steps**

- Initiate permitting (authorized by City Council on 9/18)
  - Discharge from Water Reclamation Facility
  - Bed and Banks along Concho River
- Pilot and bench-scale testing of water treatment technologies
- Design
- Construction
- Start-up and Commissioning



# **Questions?**





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#### **Wastewater Outfalls to Water Supply Rivers**







#### **Typical Surface Water Membrane Facility**





# Water Supply Options Evaluated

#	Option	Fatal Flaw			
1	Local Brackish Groundwater	Poor water quality and low well capacity			
4	Capitan Reef Aquifer	Limits on aquifer recharge and poor water quality			
5	Ellenburger Aquifer	Oil and gas production in aquifer.			
10	Augmentation of O.H. Ivie Reservoir	OH Ivie not available during drought			
12	Augmentation of Twin Buttes Reservoir	Twin Buttes not available during drought			
13	Augmentation of O.C. Fisher Lake	O.C. Fisher not available during drought			
15	Infiltration Basins	WRF subsurface conditions not ideal			
18	Non-Potable Reuse	No additional supply during drought			
19	Aquifer Storage and Recovery	Not a long term water supply			
20	Red Arroyo	No additional supply during drought			
21	Subordination	Unrealistic opportunity. Not long term solution			
22	Brush Control	No additional supply during drought. Land access issues			
23	Municipal Conservation	Not a significant supply during drought			
24	Rehabilitate E.V. Spence Pipeline	Yield of E.V. Spence is zero.			

#### **Recommended Water Supply Strategy: Augmentation of Concho River**



Anticipated meetings with TCEQ

Note: Schedule is preliminary and is subject to change following meeting with TCEQ and during preliminary engineering