Status of the Groundwater Recharge Feasibility Studies

Water Resources Committee Meeting August 10, 2022 Item: 4.1

Agenda

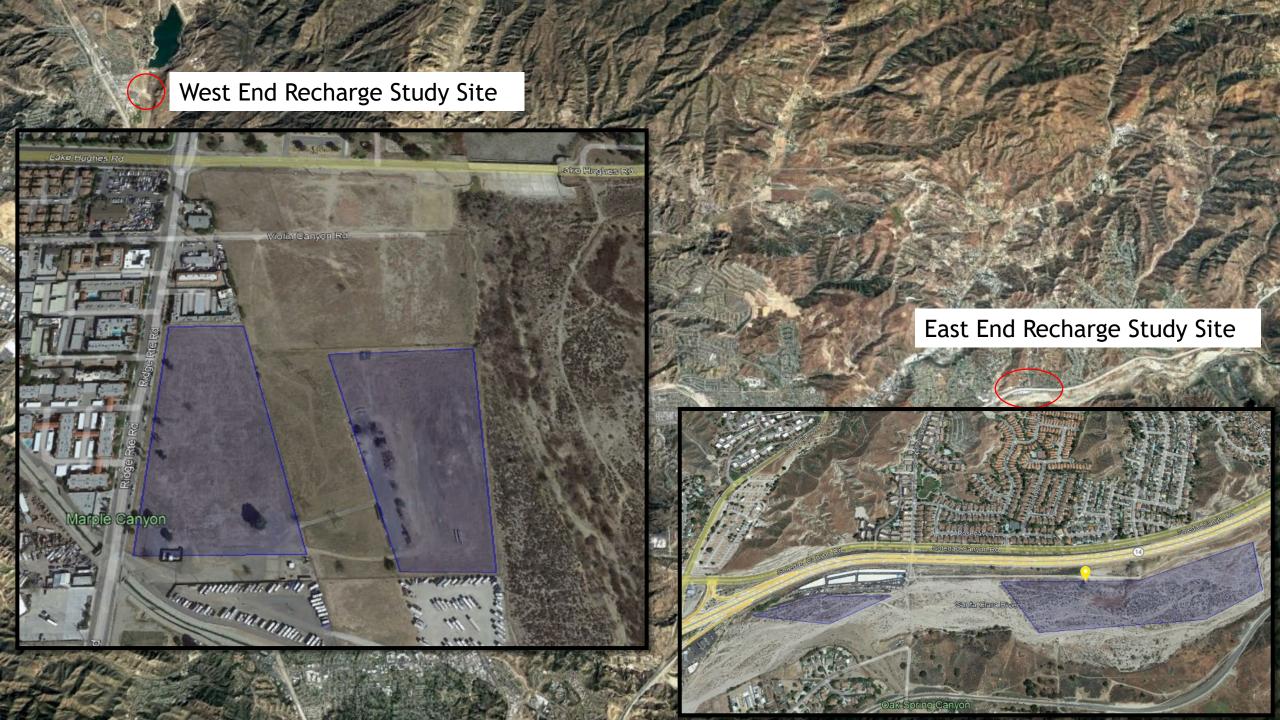
- Background Information
 - Purpose
 - Overview of Completed Activities
- Recent Efforts
- Next Steps



Purpose of Recharge Feasibility Study

- Build from Previous Efforts
- Determine Feasibility of Local Groundwater Recharge
- Strategic Plan
 - Goal C Water Supply and Resource Sustainability Implement programs to ensure the service area has reliable and sustainable supplies of water.
- Increase Resiliency of Local Supplies





Completed Activities

- West End Recharge Study Location (Old Castaic School Site)
 - Phase I Environmental Analysis
 - Geophysical Survey
 - Infiltration Testing, Borehole Sampling, and Monitoring Well Installation
 - Data Collection and Local Model Update
- East End Recharge Location (Pinetree)
 - Phase I Environmental Analysis
 - Obtained Access Agreement from City of Santa Clarita
 - Geophysical Survey
 - Site Access and Project Boundary Assessment
 - Biological Assessment (Draft Report In Progress)





Next Steps

- West End Recharge Study Location (Old Castaic School Site)
 - Draft Report in Progress
 - Conceptual Engineering Study
- East End Recharge Location (Pinetree)
 - Submit CDFW Notification Package
 - Access Agreement Extension
 - Complete Infiltration and Borehole Testing
 - Local Model Update
 - Complete Feasibility Report
 - Combine Castaic and East End Reports Into Single Feasibility Report
 - Estimated Completion of April 2023



Questions?

