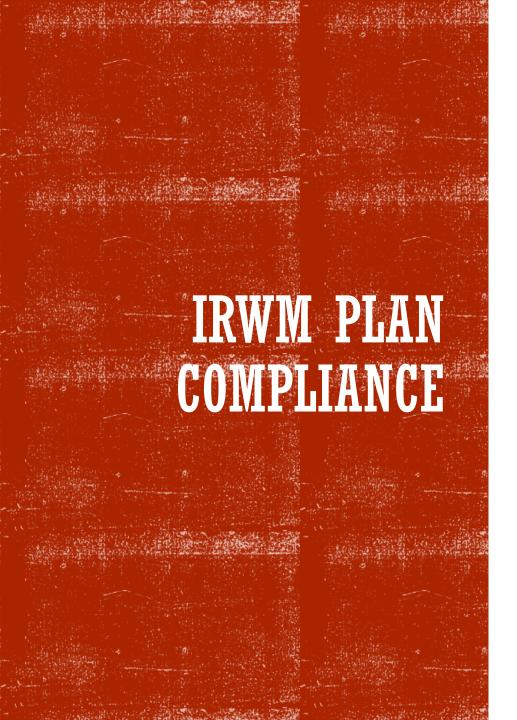
## Status of Integrated Regional Water Management Plan Update

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- USCR IRWM Plan in compliance with State's IRWM plan guidelines
  - DWR IRWM Planning Standards (July 2016) reflect Prop 1, and the Disadvantaged Community Involvement Program
  - Amendment submitted in April 2018, DWR determined consistency in July 2018



- Our region was successful in obtaining \$10.6M in funding in Round 1
- Round 2 is now under way
  - Available funds for Greater funding area (LA and Ventura County)
    - \$34,300,000 for 'general' projects and \$6,370,000 for DAC projects
  - Draft Proposal Solicitation Package (PSP)
  - Anticipated Application Fall or Winter 2022

## FUTURE IRWM PLAN CHANGES?

- Following the Plan Update in 2018, SCV Water anticipated conducting a full plan update the following year.
- However, conditions requiring a plan update are absent
  - No new plan standards released by DWR
  - We are currently in the Second Round of Prop 1 IRWM funding
    - No other IRWM funding on the horizon
  - Future of State support for IRWM not entirely clear
    - Ongoing conversations at State level re how IRWM is utilized to carry out the Governor's Water Resiliency Portfolio
- As a result of these factors, no plan update is in works at this time.



Stakeholder Engagement, Project Solicitations

Possibility of negotiations with competing regions to pre negotiate funding allocations (again)

Working with IRWM Member agencies to select a consultant for preparing grant application

Preparation and Submittal of Grant Application

