

Development of a Puente Basin Groundwater

Management Plan: Phase 1

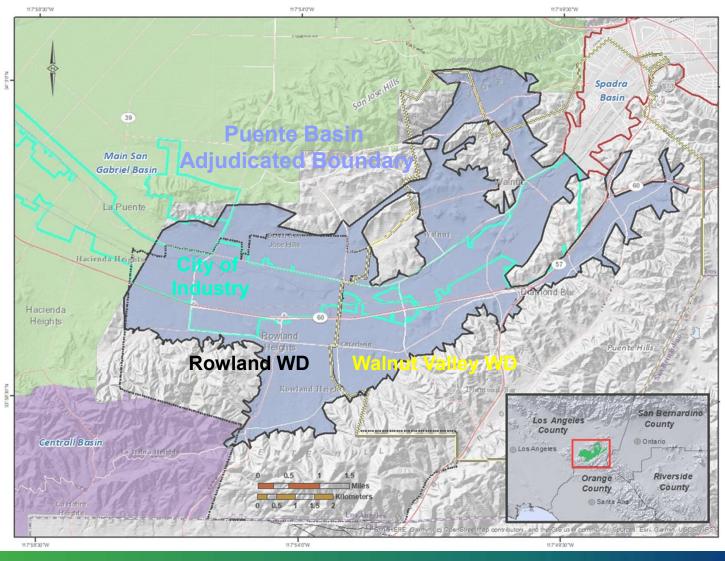
Stakeholder Meeting

January 11, 2023



Agenda

- Stakeholder Introductions
- Website
- Development of Groundwater Management Plan Phase 1
- PBWA and Stakeholder Issues, Needs and Wants
- Next Steps



Stakeholders:

- -Walnut Valley WD
- -Rowland WD
- -City of Industry
- -Successor Agency to Industry Urban Development Agency
- -Royal Vista Golf Course
- -Puente Basin Watermaster
- -City of Walnut
- -City of Diamond Bar
- -Spadra Basin GSA
- -Main San Gabriel Basin Watermaster
- -Six Basins Watermaster
- -Upper San Gabriel Valley Municipal WD
- -Metropolitan WD of Southern California
- -Three Valley Municipal WD
- **-LA County Sanitation Districts**
- **-LA County Department of Public Works**
- **-LA RWQCB**
- -EPA for Puente Valley Operable Unit



Development of Groundwater Management Plan (GMP) Phase 1: Describe Conceptual Understanding of the Puente Basin and Establish GMP Goals

Objectives:

- Establishing the stakeholder group and the stakeholder process.
- Develop a detailed description of the physical state of the basin and water-management setting, for both historical and current conditions.
- Preparing a description of the goals for improved management of the Puente Basin.
 - → Phase 2: Evaluate Alternatives for Basin Management
 - → Phase 3: Prepare GWMP and Implementation Plan

Task 1 - Establish Stakeholder Group and Process to Obtain Input

Objective: Convene a Puente Basin Stakeholder Group of all interested stakeholders to support the PBWA in the development of the GMP.

Stakeholder Group:

- Provide the PBWA a venue to engage, educate and inform interested stakeholders during GMP development
- Solicit input on Stakeholder Group issues, needs, and wants.
- Understand the ability/authority of the stakeholders participate in GMP implementation.
- Provide a mechanism to receive input on draft deliverables.

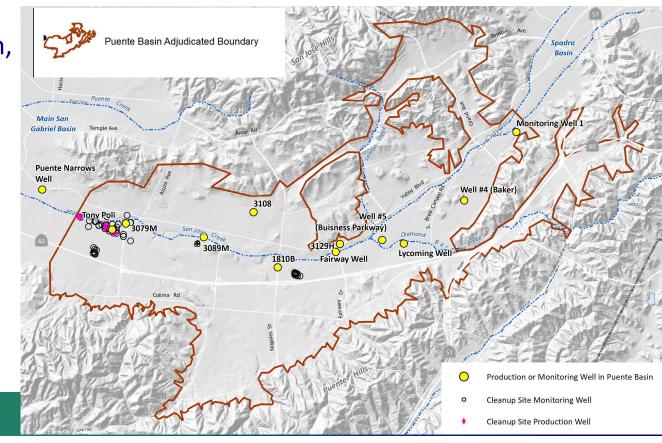
Task 2 – Describe Conceptual Understanding of the Puente Basin

Objective: Consensus amongst the PBWA & stakeholders on historical and current physical conditions and water management setting.

- 2.1 Prepare hydrologic database and library of reports
- 2.2 Describe GMP Area and Basin Setting
- 2.3 Prepare Technical Memorandum 1 (TM 1) Conceptual Understanding of the Puente Basin

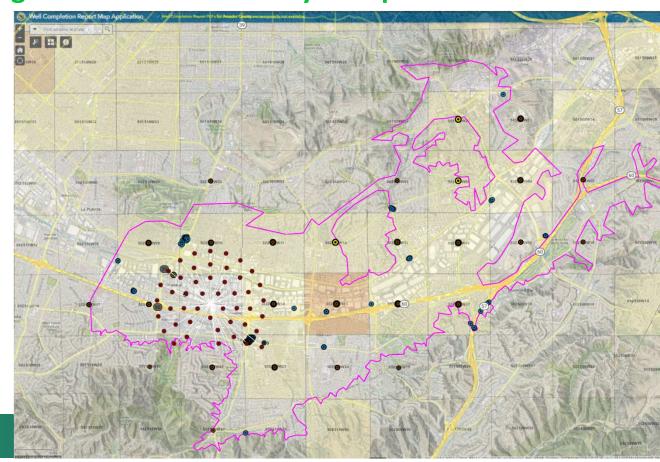
Task 2.1 – Prepare hydrologic database and library of reports

- Groundwater data collection, in progress:
 - Well location (PBWA, GeoTracker)
 - Pumping
 - Water Level
 - Water Quality
- Surface water, precipitation
- GIS layers



Task 2.1 – Prepare hydrologic database and library of reports

- Well logs data collection.
 - PBWA/Well Owners
 - DWR Well Completion Report Database (900+ logs)
- Library of reports.
 - Watermaster Annual Report
 - All hydrogeologic studies
 - Other

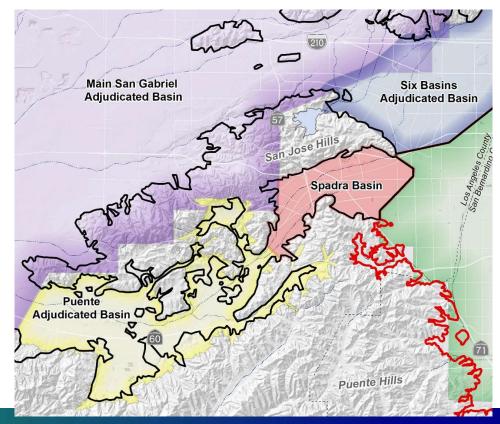


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Task 2.2 – Describe GMP Area and Basin Setting

"GMP Area" description:

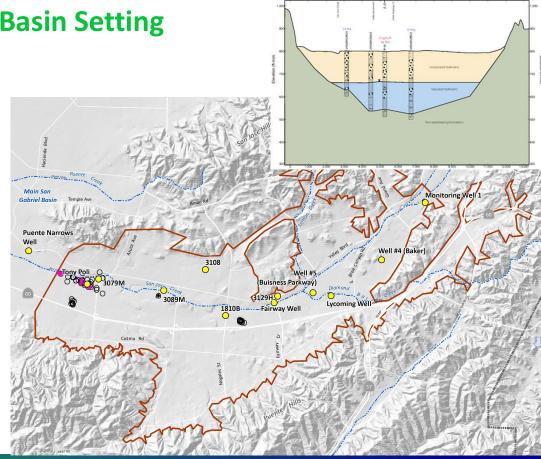
- Jurisdictional areas and other features.
- Existing monitoring and groundwater management programs
- Historical and current land use, water use, conveyance and disposal.
- Water demands and water-supply plans.



Task 2.2 – Describe GMP Area and Basin Setting

"Basin Setting" description:

- Hydrogeologic conceptual model (surface geology, aquifer geometry and properties, etc.)
- Current and historical groundwater conditions (production, GW flow, WQ, WLs, land subsidence, etc.)
- Current and historical water budget
- Identification of data gaps



Task 2.3 – Prepare TM 1 – Conceptual Understanding of the Puente Basin.

Describes the "GMP Area" and "Basin Setting"

Tech Memo 1:

- 1. Introduction
- 2. GMP Area
- 3. Basin Setting and Data Gaps
- 4. Summary of Basin Management Challenges
- 5. Appendix A Comments and Response-to-Comments

Task 3 – Describe Goals and Concepts for Improved Basin Management

Objective:

- Prepare an "objective statement" for the GMP
- Articulate concepts for improving the management of the Puente Basin.

Issues, Needs, and Wants

Basin Management Challenges

Task 3 – Describe Goals and Concepts for Improved Basin Management

Tech Memo 2:

- 1. Introduction
- 2. GMP Objectives
- 3. Concepts for Improved Basin Management
- 4. Scope of Work and Cost Estimate for Phase 2
- 5. Appendix A Comments and Response-to-Comments

PBWA and Stakeholder Issues, Needs and Wants

Issue: Concern of the PBWA/Stakeholder

Need: Requirement of the PBWA/Stakeholder

Want: Desire of the PBWA/Stakeholder

Issues

Issue: Concern of the PBWA/Stakeholder

•Example: Imported water from the State Water Project is becoming more expensive and less reliable.

Needs

Need: Requirement of the PBWA/Stakeholder

•Example: To meet peak demands, Stakeholder always needs the ability to pump at least 500 gpm from its wells in the Puente Basin.

Wants

Want: Desire of the PBWA/Stakeholder

•Example: The Stakeholder would like to meet demands with more groundwater and less imported water from the SWP.

Assignment

- Articulate your agency's issues, needs, and wants
- Deliver to West Yost and PBWA by February 14, 2023
 - Email, letter, Excel list, etc. Send to www.com and jmacias@wvwd.com
- West Yost will compile responses, provide attribution, identify commonalities. Documentation will be posted on Puente Basin GWP webpage and discussed at the next meeting.

Next Steps

- January 2023
 - Complete data collection
 - Set up GMP webpage
 - Follow-up on issues, needs, and want assignment.
- Through February 14, 2023 Articulate/submit issues, needs, and wants
- February March 2023 Compile and document issues, needs, and wants
- **February June 2023** Describe the Plan Area, Basin Setting, and prepare draft *TM 1 Conceptual Understanding of the Puente Basin*
- July/August 2023 Set meeting to review TM 1 and issues, needs, and wants

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