

FAST FACTS

WATER FIX WILL...



Secure clean water supplies for 25 million Californians and 3 million acres of farmland.



Improve the Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta's (Delta) ecosystem.

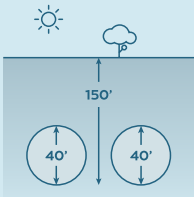
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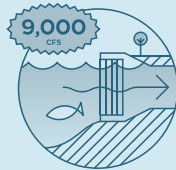
An update to California's aging water delivery system and part of the state's overall water management portfolio, which includes conservation, groundwater management, recycling, ecosystem protection and more.



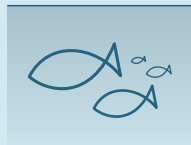
WATER DELIVERY UPGRADE



2 tunnels up to 150' below ground designed to protect California's water supplies from sea level rise, earthquakes, floods and levee failure.



3 new northern intakes, each with 3,000 cubic-feet per second (cfs) capacity, located farther upstream closer to higher quality water and reduced impact on fish habitats.



Gravity-fed tunnels to move water naturally and more efficiently with reduced harm to fish.



IMPROVED RIVER FLOWS AND ECOSYSTEM HEALTH



Reinstate a more natural direction of river flows in the south Delta, minimizing harmful reverse flows caused by powerful pumps.



Continue to meet San Francisco Bay outflow requirements to protect against salt water intrusion and improve the overall health of the Delta ecosystem.



New location away from habitat of endangered species with advanced fish screens that protect even the smallest species.



SECURING CLEAN WATER SUPPLIES

4.9 MILLION
ACRE-FEET ON AVERAGE ANNUALLY

Enough to supply 10 million households with water for one year



CREATING & PROTECTING JOBS

1.1 MILLION
FULL-TIME EQUIVALENT JOBS CREATED
AND SAVED FOR CALIFORNIA

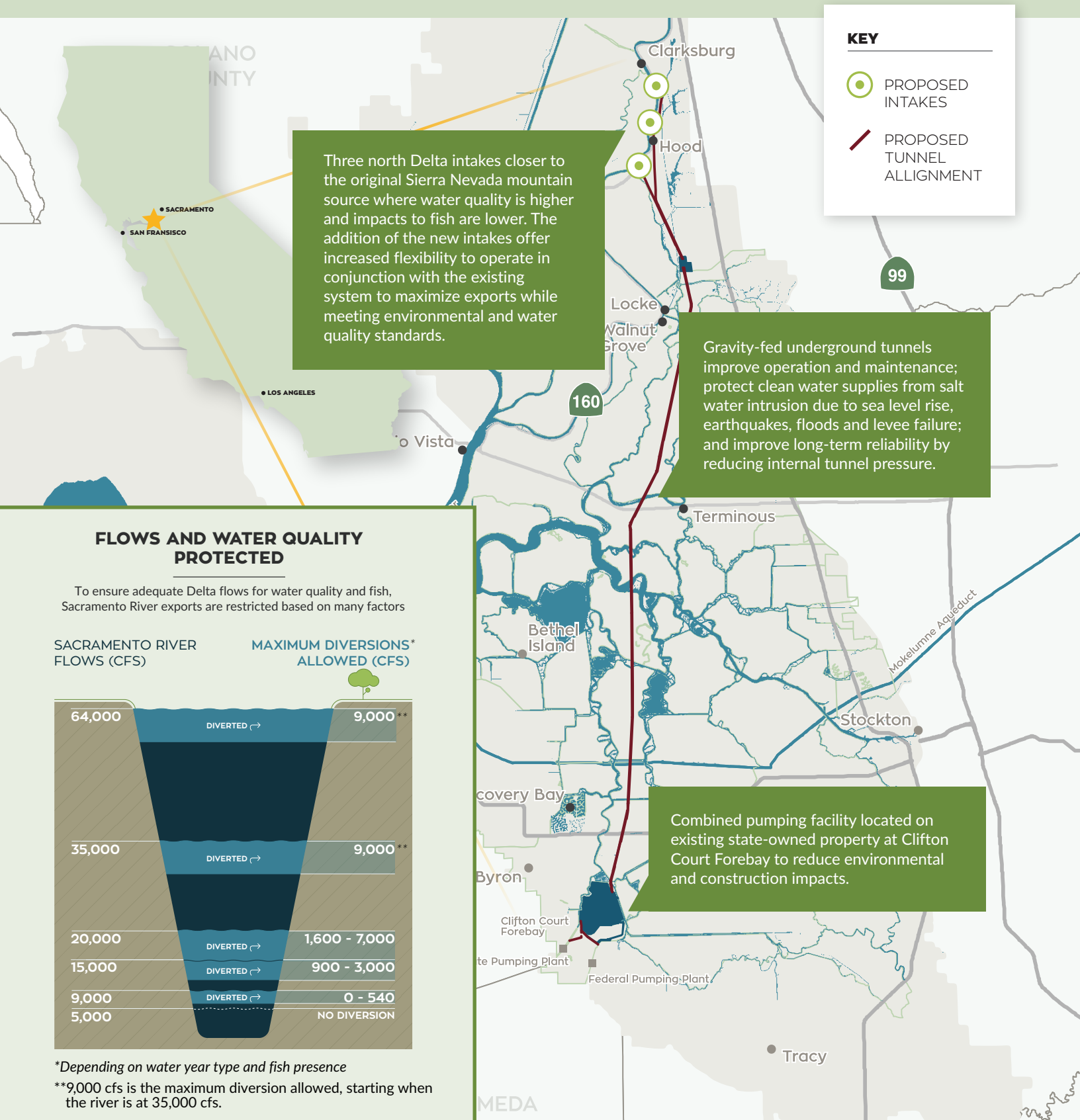
Based on a year-by-year estimate



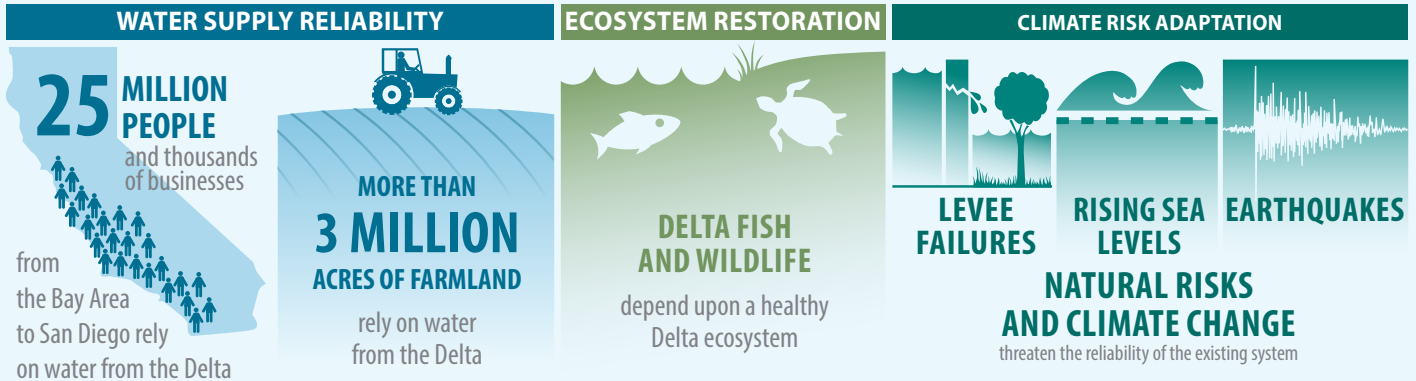
BOOSTING THE ECONOMY

400 BILLION
IN CONTRIBUTIONS TO CALIFORNIA'S
ECONOMY BY DELTA-CONVEYED WATER

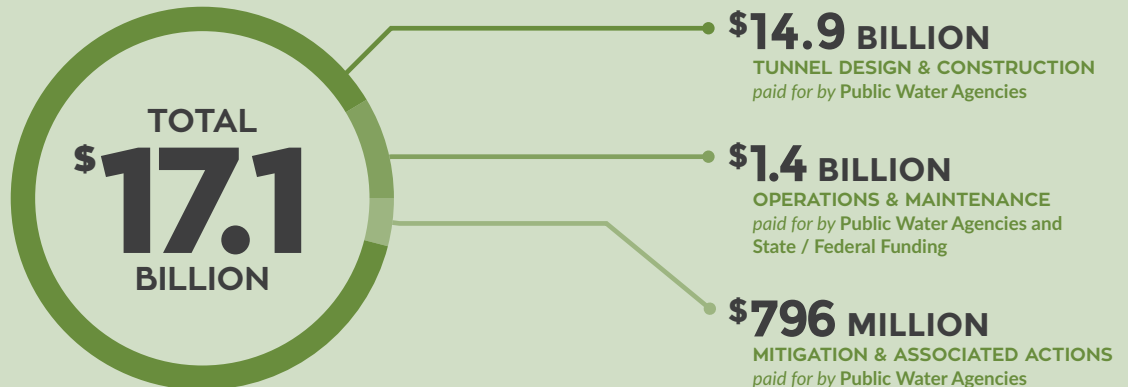
WaterFix is an upgrade to the state's 50-year-old water infrastructure that will make it easier to move water in an environmentally friendly manner. The current system is outdated and unreliable, and dependent on levees that put our clean water supply at risk from earthquakes and sea level rise.



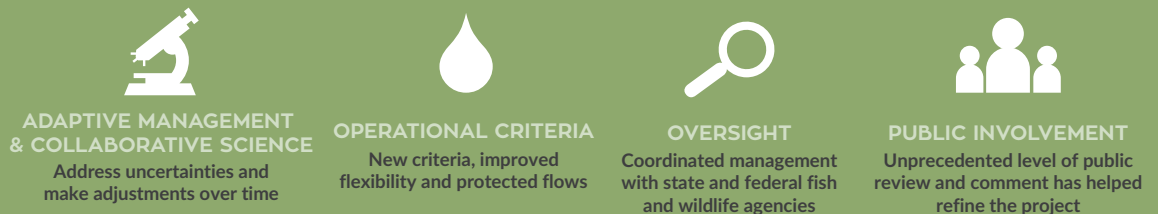
WATER FIX IS IMPORTANT TO CALIFORNIA



WATER FIX COST & FUNDING



WATER FIX IS GUIDED BY THE BEST AVAILABLE SCIENCE AND PUBLIC INPUT



WATER FIX WILL BENEFIT THE DELTA ECOSYSTEM

The new location and technology will minimize reverse flows and reduce impacts to endangered fish. It will maintain water quality and standards needed for a healthy Delta ecosystem.

WaterFix will contribute to the restoration and protection of approximately 15,600 acres of critical Delta habitat as mitigation for ongoing construction and operational impacts, in addition to restoring more natural Delta flow patterns.