



**Memorandum of
Understanding with East Bay
Municipal Utility District**

October 5th, 2021



Overview

- Purpose of MOU
- Key Elements of the MOU
- Collaboration with EBMUD
- Options
- Next Steps

Purpose of the MOU

- Intent is to work together in the context of supporting MMWD through the drought
- To allow reimbursement of EBMUD
- Framework for development of a detailed subsequent agreement

Key Elements of the MOU

- Conduct Planning, Engineering, Storage, and Operational Analysis
- Coordination of Water Transfer Efforts
- Environmental Documentation
- Develop Wheeling Agreement
- Reimbursable Costs

EBMUD Collaboration

- Limitation on water delivery – 8-MGD with upgrades to piping and opportunities to go beyond that if pressure conditions allow
- Freeport Capacity – developing plans that do not rely only on Freeport
- Sole reliance on EBMUD – Plan to use Los Vaqueros as storage to provide max flexibility, develop alternate wheeling and exchange plans

Next Steps

- In framework of the MOU keep project moving forward
- Develop specific Wheeling Agreement with EBMUD
- Updates to the board