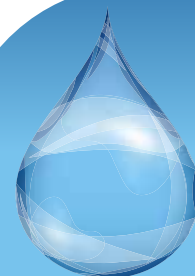# on the
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MARIN WATER

WATER SUPPLY ROADMAP FOR MARIN WATER

Marin Water spent much of 2022 evaluating the District's water needs and has developed a range of water supply alternatives designed to improve the District's water supply resiliency.

The Strategic Water Supply Assessment has benefitted from increased public participation through 18 public meetings and in early 2023, Marin Water anticipates finalizing the roadmap toward water supply resiliency.
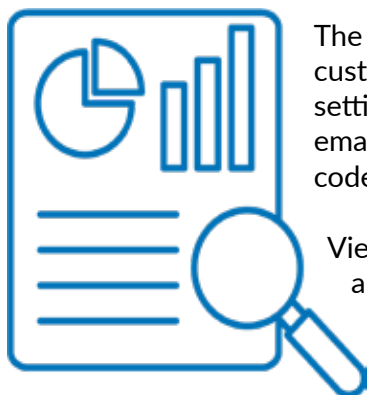
You can stay up to date, review reports, presentations and watch past meetings at **marinwater.org/WatershedResiliency**.

Marin Water tracks production, reservoir storage levels and rainfall every day. Keep tabs on the latest key water numbers with us at **marinwater.org/WaterWatch**

NOTICE TO CUSTOMERS: DISTRICT EXPLORING WATER RATES ADJUSTMENT

This spring, Marin Water will be considering a rate increase to keep up with the rising costs of providing safe and reliable water service. District staff will provide updates at upcoming Board of Directors meetings, written notifications will be sent to customers, the District will host customer information workshops and a public hearing will be conducted. It is anticipated that new rates will take effect in July 2023.

The District is committed to transparency and to ensuring our customers are kept informed through every step of the rate-setting process. Sign up for our monthly eNews to receive email updates about the proposed rate adjustment at the QR code or link (right).

View more information about the rate-setting process and a schedule of upcoming meetings and planned customer workshops now, by visiting **marinwater.com/2023WaterRates**.

Sign up for eNews

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Receive monthly emails with the latest District news by subscribing today.

LOOKING FOR A BETTER APPROACH TO LANDSCAPING?

Sign up this winter for spring classes!

Taking our cue from the forested Mount Tamalpais Watershed, Marin Water built and published the "Watershed Approach to Landscaping" booklet to help residents craft front- and backyard oases that use less water while appealing to wildlife and pollinators.

You can get an in-depth look at the proven approach through the College of Marin Watershed Approach to Landscaping course offerings. The Spring 2023 Class Schedule was recently released, and features courses on efficient irrigation, building healthy soil and more. The popular classes fill up quickly, so don't delay! Find out more, or register for classes today, at **marinwater.org/WALClasses**.

PUBLIC ENGAGEMENT CONTINUES WITH WATERSHED RECREATION MANAGEMENT PLANNING PROCESS

For months, Marin Water has been engaging the public around our efforts to build a comprehensive Watershed Recreation Management Plan.

Thousands of District customers, Mt. Tam Watershed visitors and more have completed surveys and hundreds have attended meetings, helping to inform a path forward that seeks to balance a variety of interests.

Marin Water will engage in even more public outreach in 2023. In the meantime, please visit our dedicated web page to review meeting recordings and peruse important documents at **marinwater.org/WatershedRecPlan**.

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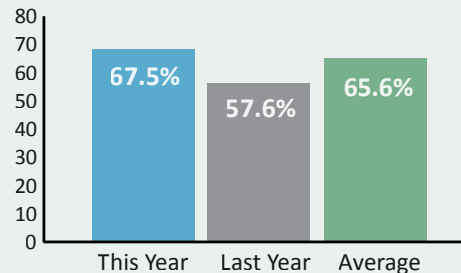
About Our Water Supply

75% of the District's water supply comes from local reservoirs located on Mt. Tamalpais and in west Marin. Here's a look at storage, usage, and rainfall data:
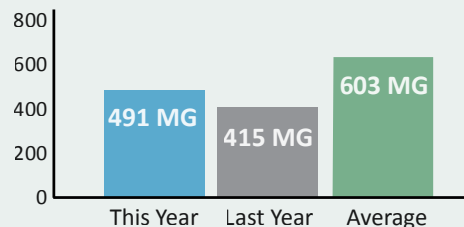
Reservoir Storage
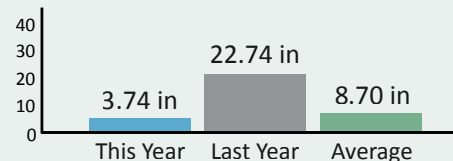% of total storage capacity as of 12/01/22

- This Year: 67.5%
- Last Year: 57.6%
- Average: 65.6%

Water Usage
Total November water usage
(MG = millions of gallons)

- This Year: 491 MG
- Last Year: 415 MG
- Average: 603 MG

Rainfall Information
Total inches of rainfall, 10/01/22 to 12/01/22

- This Year: 3.74 in
- Last Year: 22.74 in
- Average: 8.70 in

Find more data at **marinwater.org/WaterWatch**.

OUR MISSION

Our mission is to manage our natural resources in a sustainable manner and to provide our customers with reliable, high-quality water at a reasonable price.

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Jed Smith
Larry Russell

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Ben Horenstein

Board of Directors meetings are on the first and third Tuesdays of the month at 7:30 p.m. Learn more at **marinwater.org**.

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