

# Presentation of Water Forward 2024 initial list of water management strategies





# WATER MANAGEMENT STRATEGIES (WMS)

## Water Supply

- Strategies that enable the utility to access new sources of water and expand or make better use of existing sources of water

## Demand Management

- Strategies like conservation and reuse that reduce the demands on raw or potable water

## Best Management Practices

- Strategies that advance Water Forward objectives like protecting the health of the Colorado River and improving the utility's resilience.



# WMS Identification & Screening

- ♦ Initial list of WMS to be considered will include:
  - WF18 recommended strategies
  - Feasible strategies evaluated but not recommended in WF18
  - Additional strategies identified by stakeholder groups such as AW staff, the Water Forward Task Force, and the public
- ♦ Initial list of WMS will be reviewed, consolidated, and screened based on feasibility
- ♦ Up to 14 water supply strategies and 14 demand management strategies will move forward for further analysis and characterization



# Initial List Orientation

## Strategy Origin

- Recommended strategy in the Water Forward 2018 Plan
- Considered but not recommended in the Water Forward 2018 plan
- Group/Department/Division/Community input

## Strategy Name

## Description

## Status

- Implemented
- Implementation underway
- Implementation not yet begun
- Not previously recommended/new strategy

## Comments



# Next Steps

- ◆ Additional Task Force member, survey, community, and other feedback will be incorporated into initial list
- ◆ Initial list strategies will be consolidated and screened for feasibility through January
- ◆ Key Dates
  - 12/14 – Target to receive Task Force member feedback on initial list of WMS
  - 1/9 - Planning to present preliminary WMS costs and yields at Water Forward Task Force Meeting
  - 1/23 & 1/24 - Water Forward Public Workshops to gather feedback on WMS and equity and affordability considerations



# Questions?



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