





60 Years in 60 Seconds



→ FOUNDED IN 1957

Founded on September 11, 1957 through a special act of the State Legislature.

→ SERVING PLACER COUNTY

PCWA is responsible for the development and protection of water resources for all of the people of Placer County.

→ MEETING A REGION'S NEEDS

PCWA Built the Middle Fork Project between 1963-1967 (\$115 M)

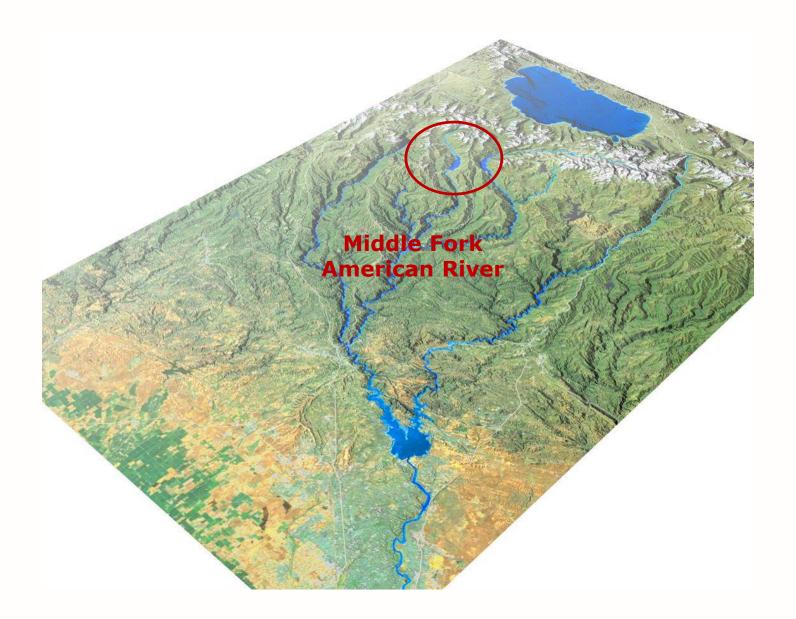
Purchased and continues to operate PG&E's west Placer retail water system

Developed retail water systems serving: Rocklin, Lincoln, Loomis, Auburn, Colfax, Alta and Martis Valley











Climate Data



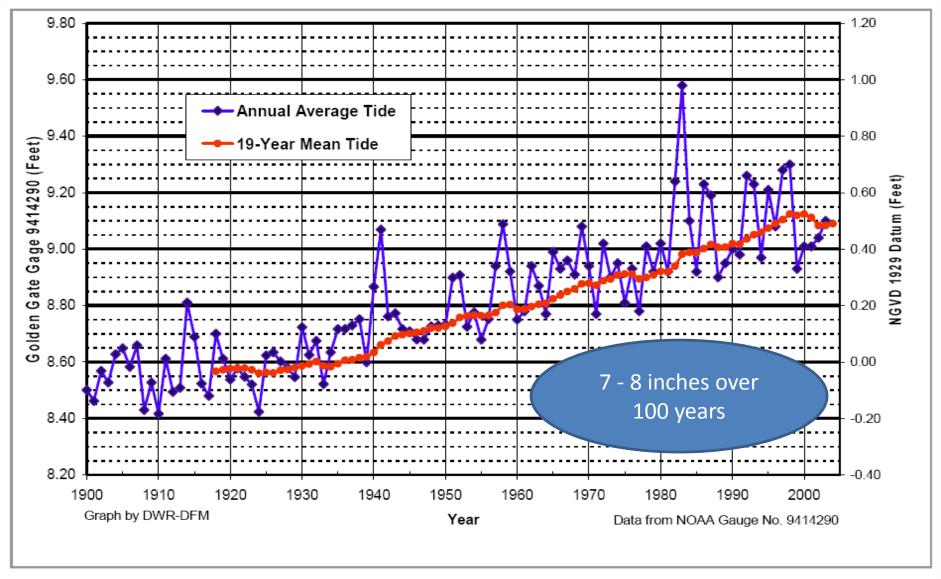


Figure 2-27 Graph of Annual Average Relative Sea Level and the 19-Year Running Average Sea Level at the San Francisco Tide Gauge



b) Total Water Year Runoff Volume (October-September)

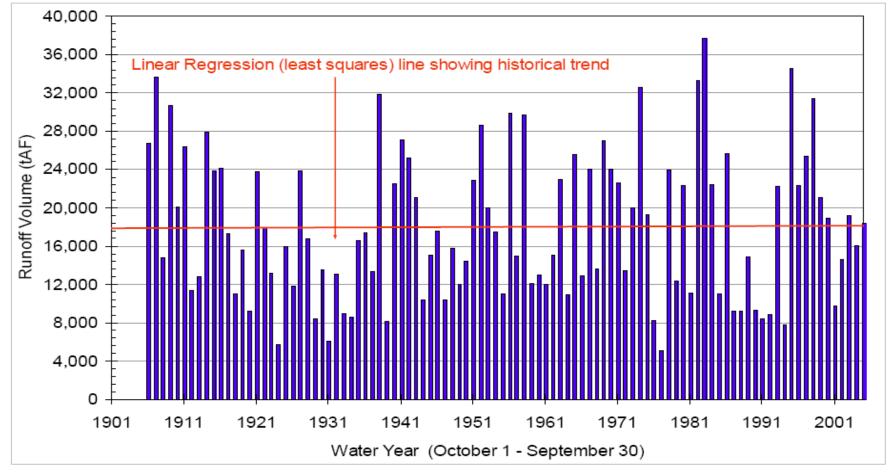
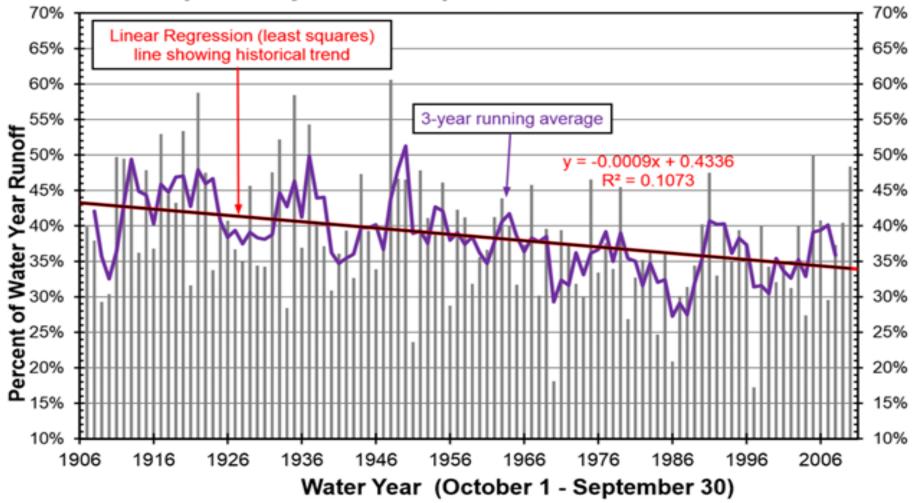


Figure 2-14 Unimpaired Runoff Volume for Four Sacramento Valley Rivers



^{*}Based on the flows of four rivers in the Sacramento Valley; Sacramento River at Bend Bridge (near Red Bluff), Feather River into Lake Oroville, Yuba River at Smartville, and American River below Folsom Lake. (taf) = thousand acre feet.

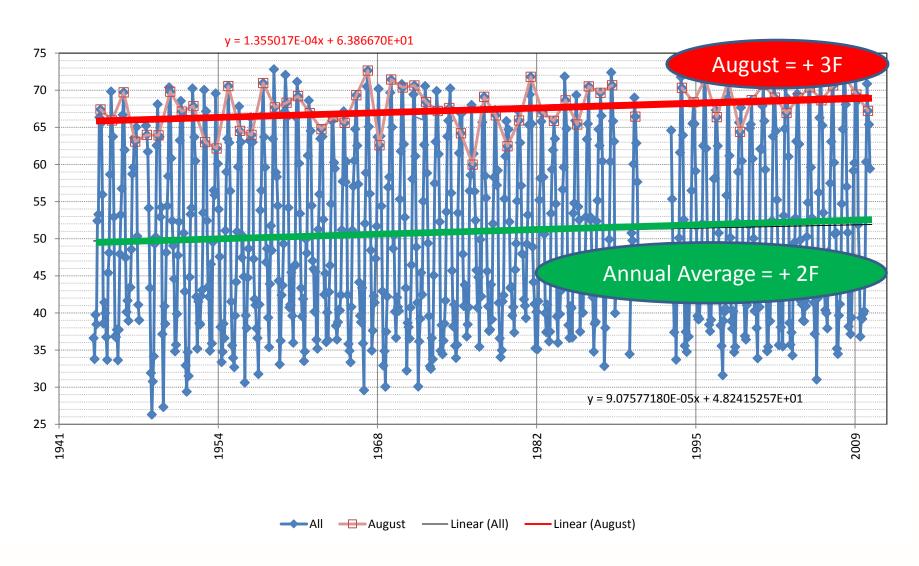
Sacramento River Runoff April - July Runoff in percent of Water Year Runoff



Source: DWR, 2011



Blue Canyon, CA - Air Temperature

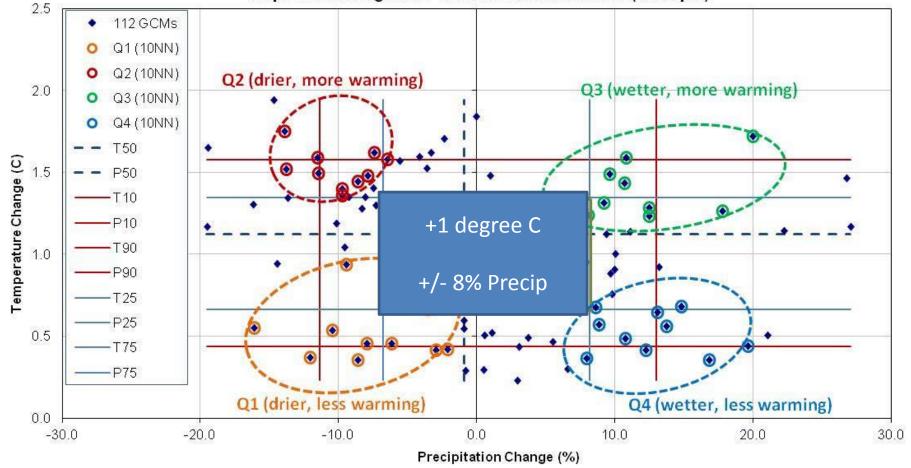




USBR Basin Study Modeling Assumptions

Relationship Between Changes in Mean Annual Temperature and Precipitation Scenarios - 10 NN Method

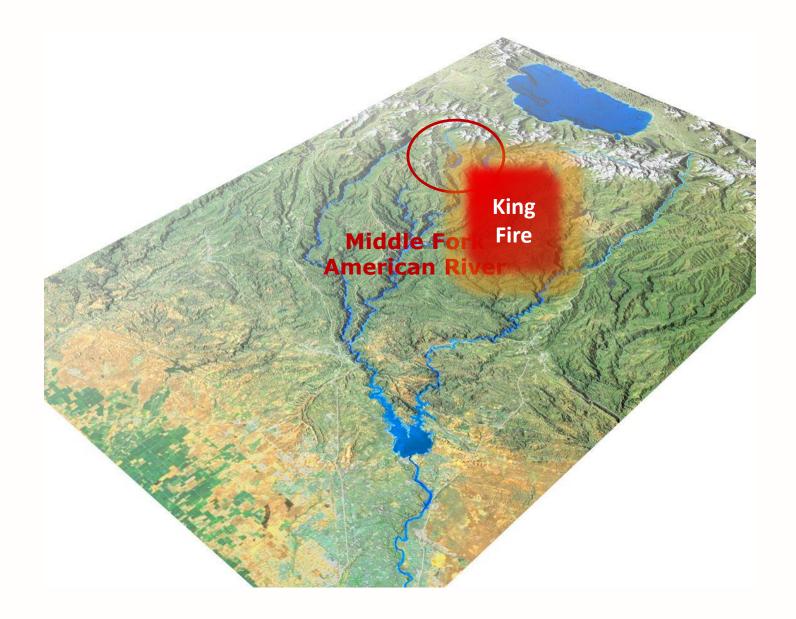
Representative gridcell at American River Basin (Example)





Fire Impacts

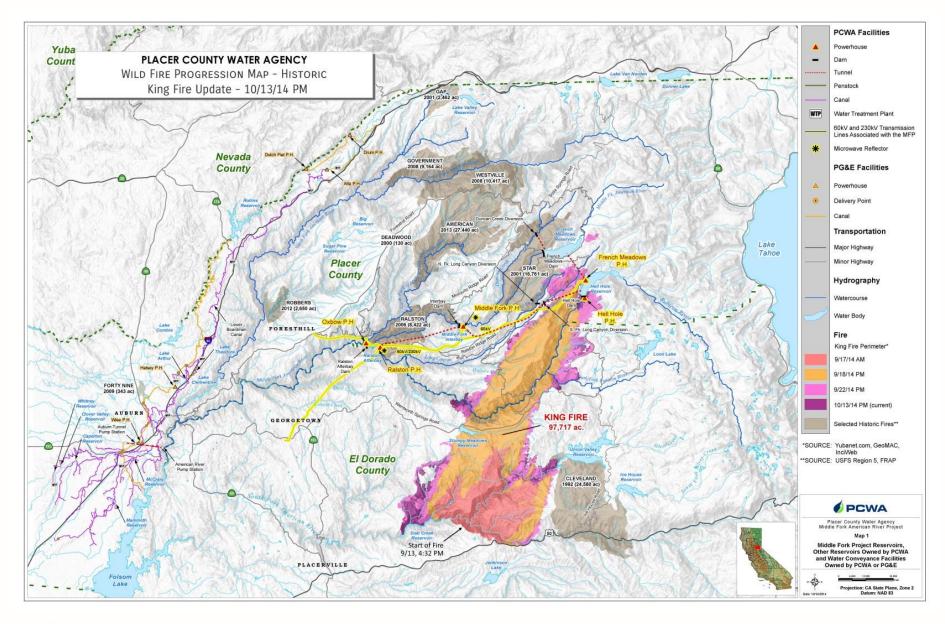




































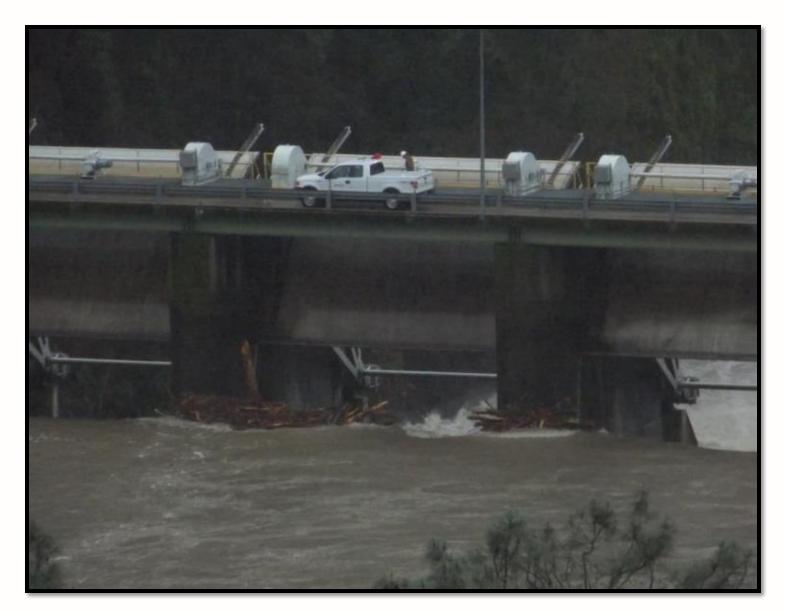






















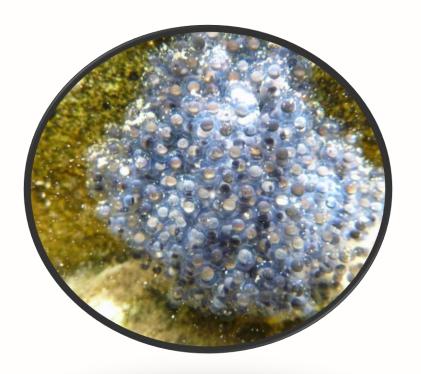




Photo courtesy of UC Davis

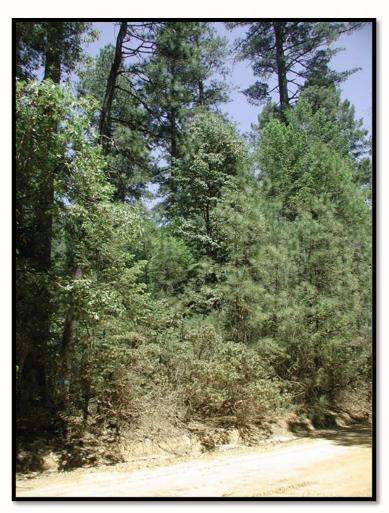


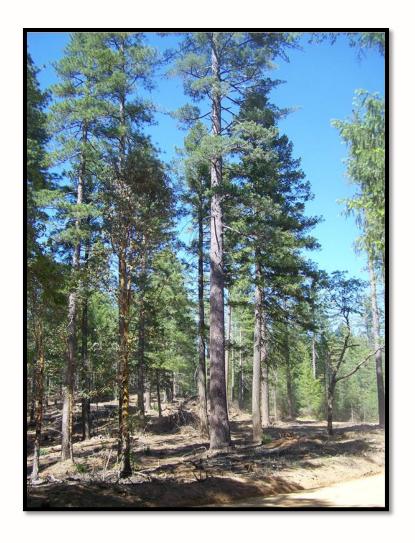
Mitigating Climate and Fire



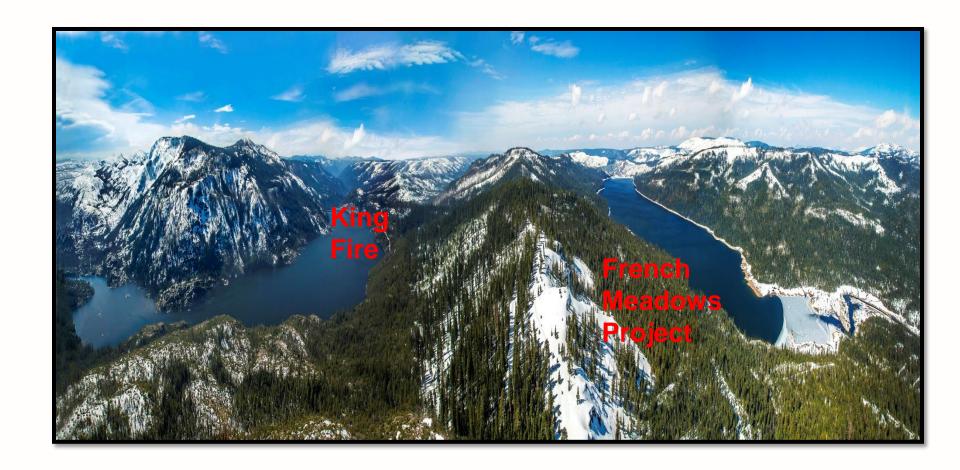
What We Can Do

Watershed Vegetation Management





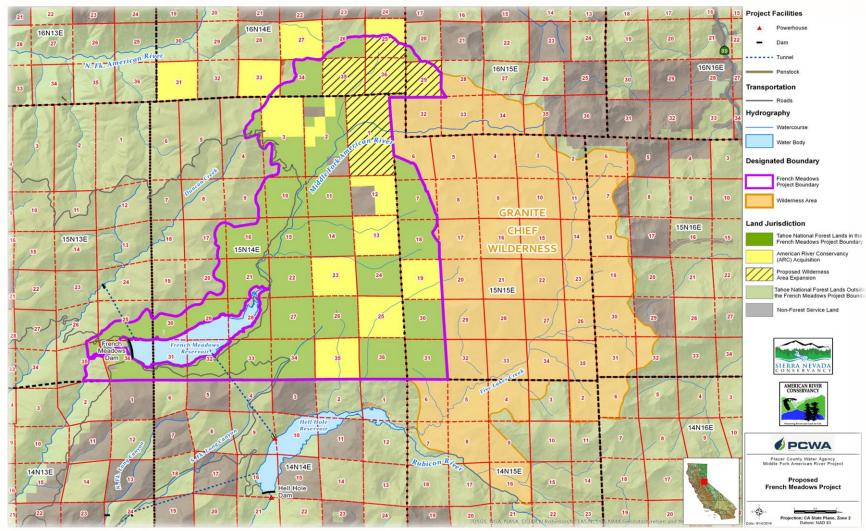




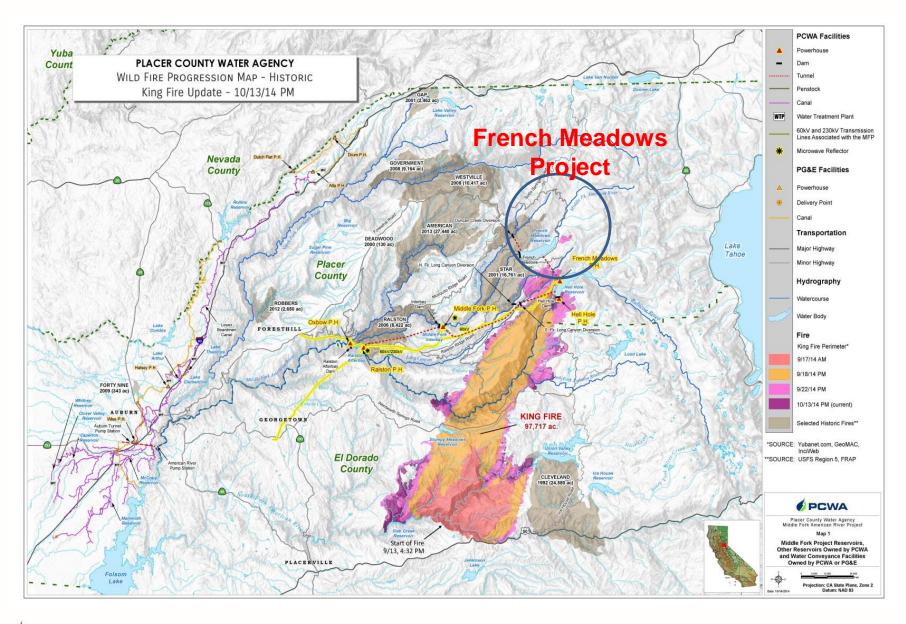


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Partner and Invest

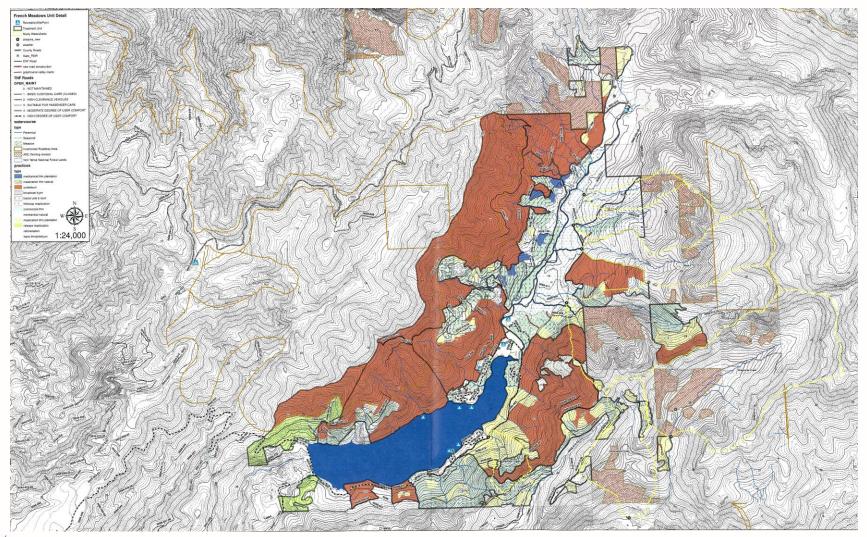








French Meadows Project Ecologically-based, Landscape-scale Fuels Management





French Meadows Project Fire Modelling

BP: Fraction
0
0-0.05
0.05-0.1
0.15-0.2
0.25-0.3
0.35-0.4
0.4-0.45
> 0.45

Treatment Alternative - Burn Probability



French Meadows Project Fire Modelling

Treatment Alternative - Flame Length No Action - Flame Length



FL: Feet

French Meadows Project



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