

Water Supply Briefing:

Prince William County Sustainability Commission

• December 16, 2024





Agenda

Presenter

- 1. Overview
- 2. Water System Results
- 3. Sewer System Results
- 4. Water Reuse Considerations
- 5. Water Supply Resiliency

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Prince William Water

Prince William Water protects public health and the environment by reliably providing clean, safe and dependable water and wastewater reclamation services to our community.

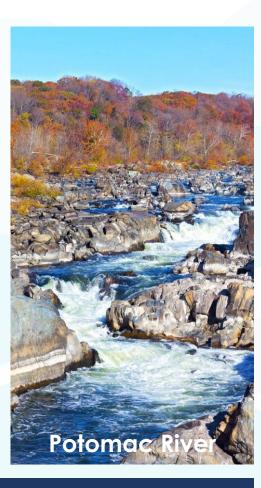
We serve approximately 380,000 people across Prince William County.

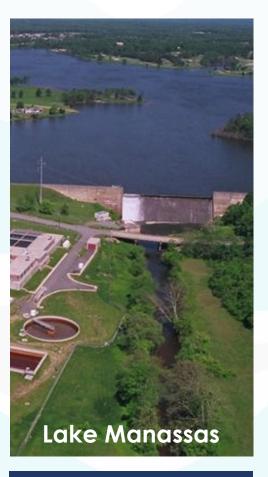




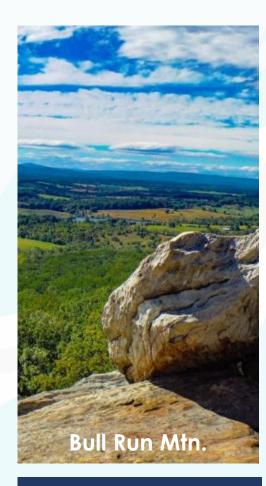
Our Water Sources









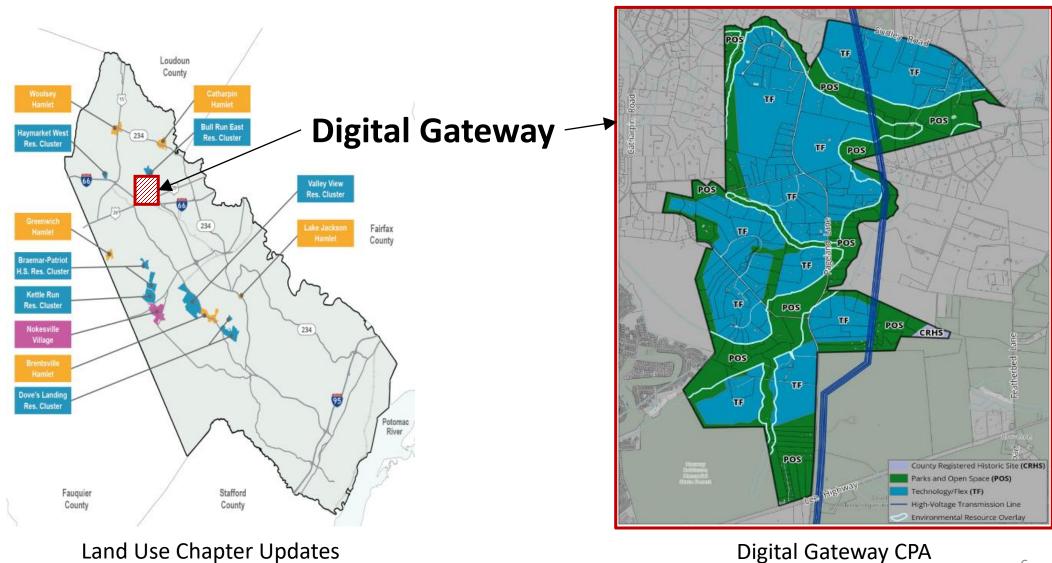


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Area Overview



Digital Gateway CPA

Analysis Overview

Objective: Evaluate impact to system and required capital improvement plan (CIP) projects due to new data center and rural development demands

Methodology:

Forecast demands through 2045

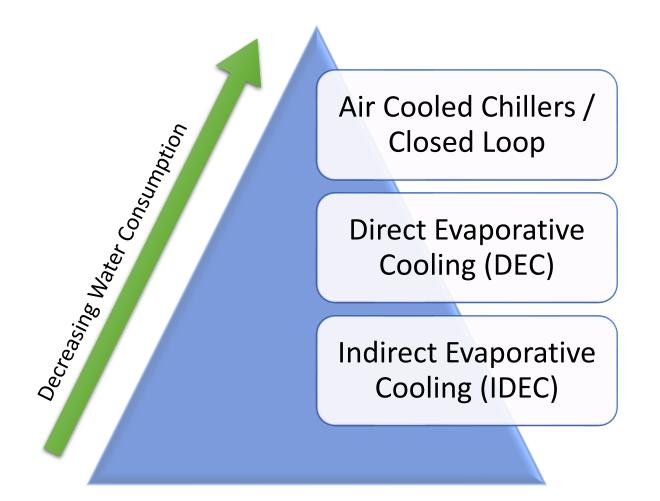
Allocate demands/loads in hydraulic models

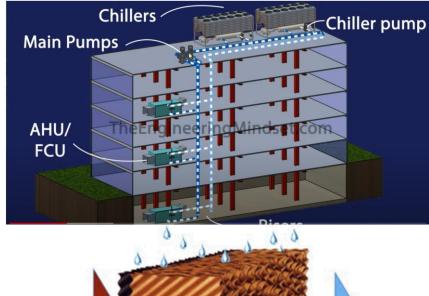
Identify updates to master plan project scope and timing

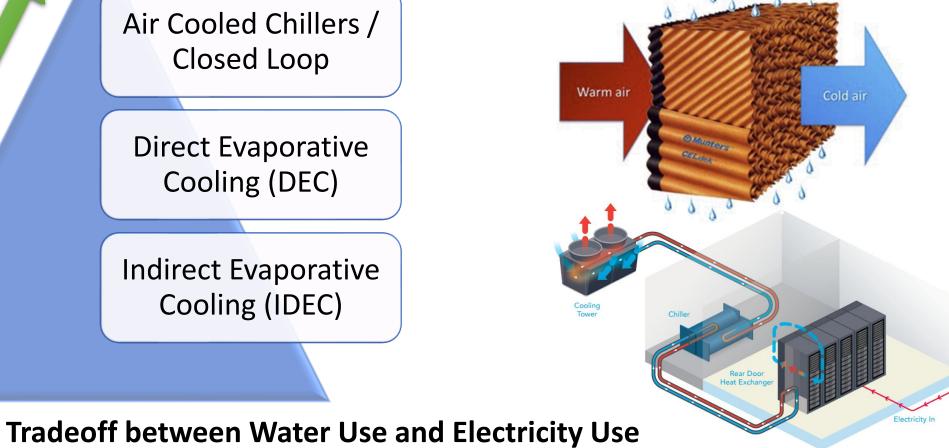
Evaluate impacts on Fairfax Water and UOSA



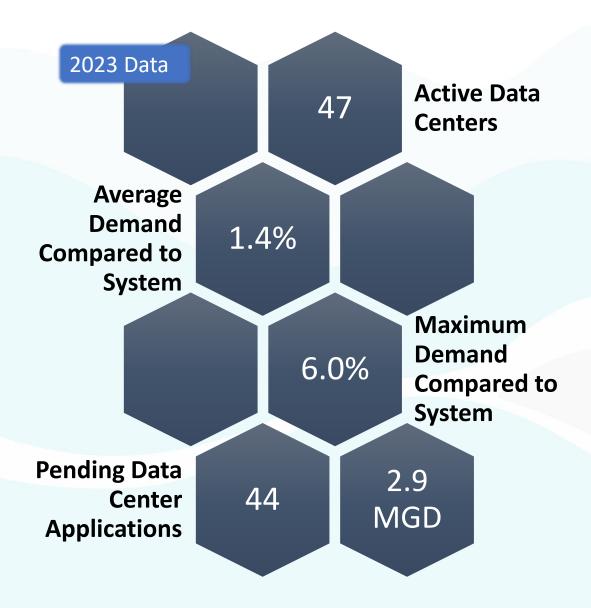
Data Center Technology







Data Centers in Prince William County



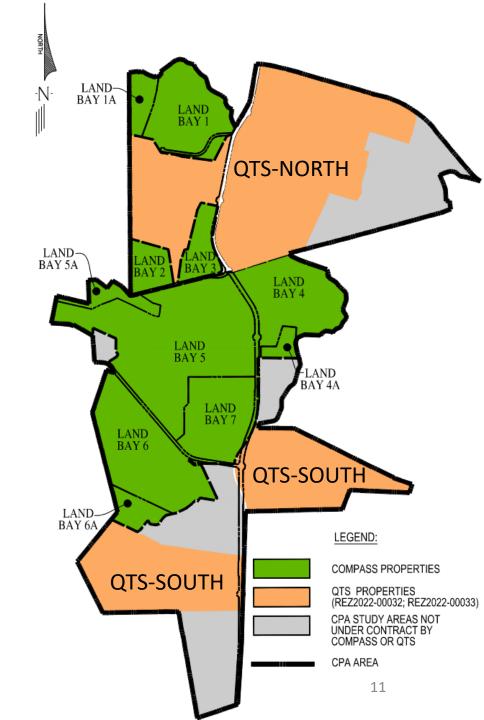
- Selected cooling technology drives water needs
- Data Center diurnal demands differ from residential diurnal demands



Digital Gateway Rezoning

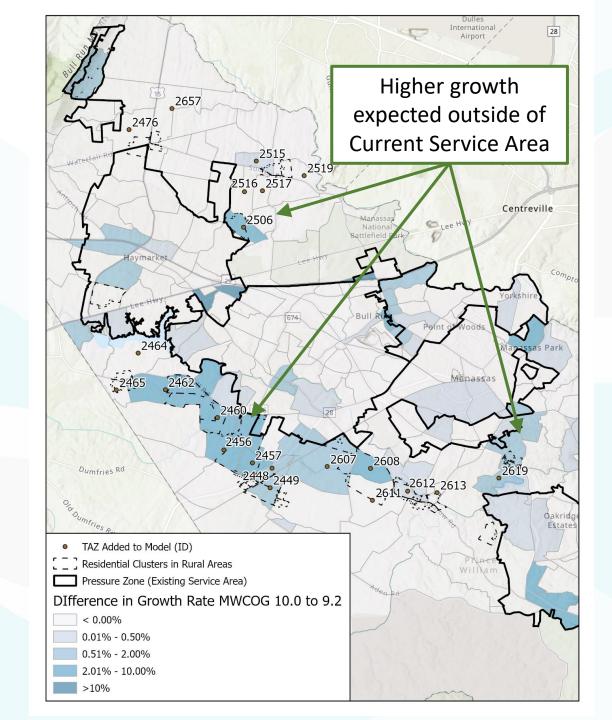
Section	Area (ac)	Open Space (ac)	Buildable Area (ac)	Floor Area Ratio (FAR)
QTS-North	534	189	345	0.30
QTS-South	342	184	158	0.25
Compass	868	382	486	0.30
Other	395	395	0	
	2,139	1,150	989	

- QTS has proffered closed-loop/air cooling
- Water demand may be lower than previously expected



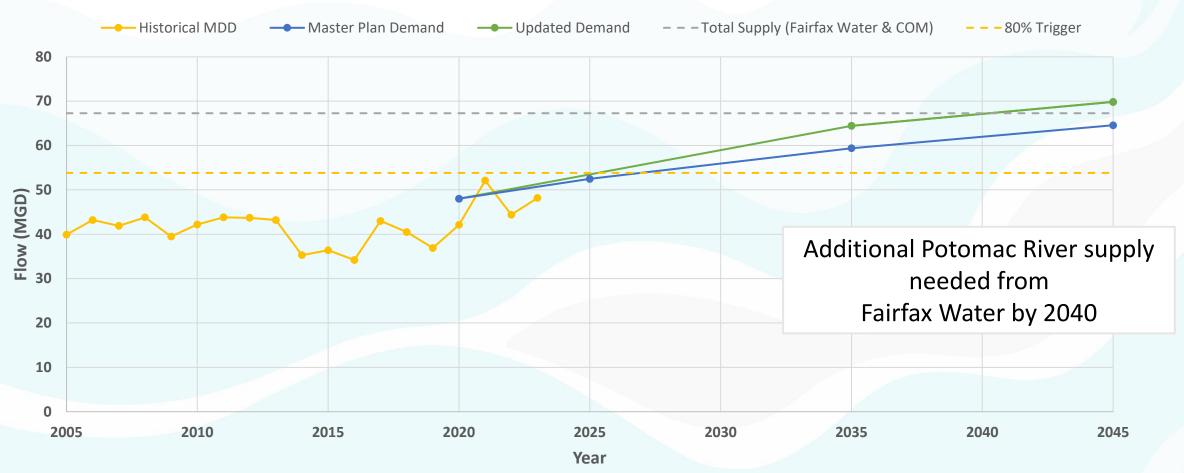
Rural Demands

- Increase in annual growth rate from WMCOG* shows higher projections in residential clusters
- 1.25 MGD added on 2045 MDD (0.75 MGD ADD)
- Most demand falls within Gainesville-Wellington



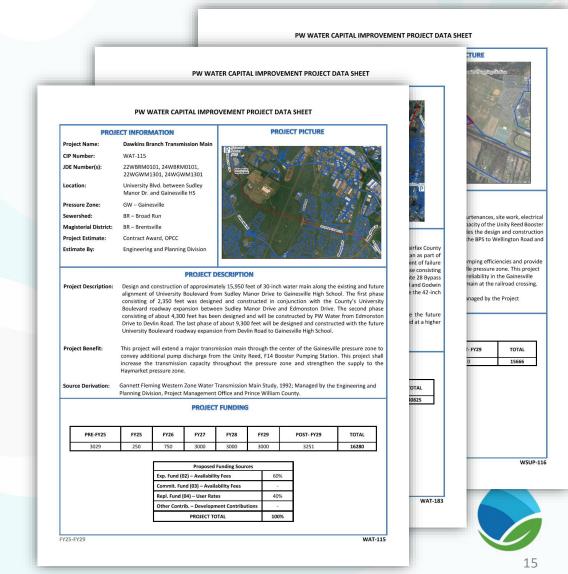
^{*}Metropolitan Washington Council of Governments

Key Takeaways – Water Supply



Key Takeaways – Water Transmission

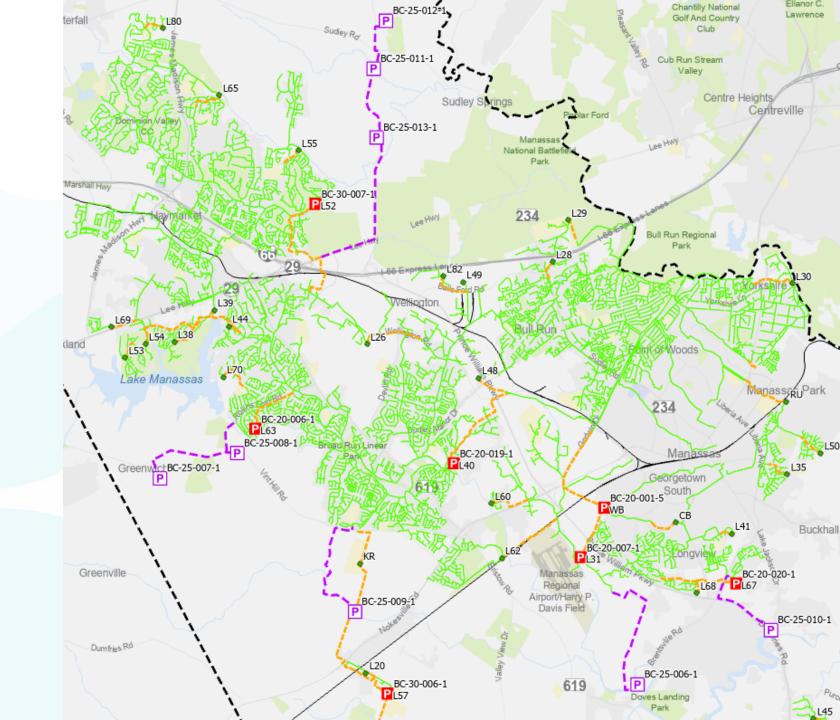
- Adequate pumping capacity into Haymarket
- Necessary improvements are currently part of the FY25-29 CIP
 - Need to complete improvements at Unity Reed (WSUP 116)
 - Transmission mains needed
 - Between MS-23 (Fairfax Water) and Unity Reed (WAT-183)
 - Between Unity Reed and Haymarket Booster (WAT-115)



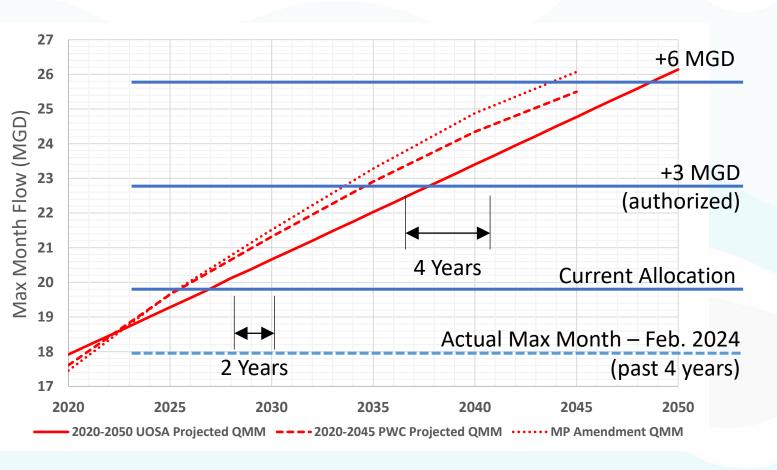


Lift Station & Force Main Improvements

- 7 lift station projects were affected
 - Increased capacity
 - Timing
- 8 new lift stations added to the plan
- Associated force mains and gravity mains affected



Key Takeaways – UOSA Flow Allocation

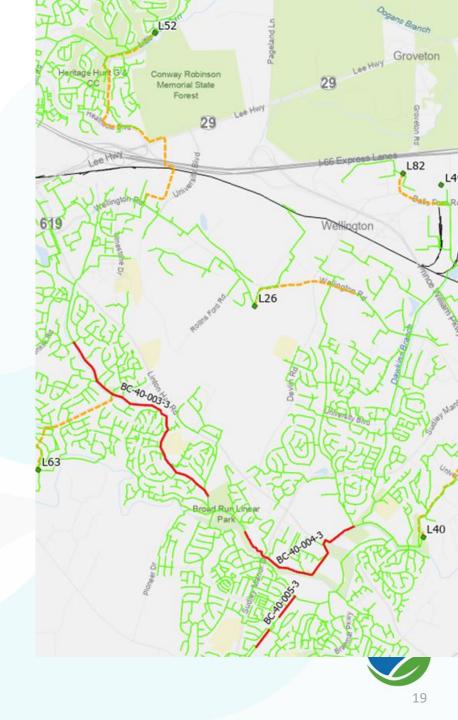


^{*}Assumes timing of Digital Gateway and rural areas in the short-term. Actual timing will vary.

- Timing of UOSA flow allocation affected by increased discharge*
- Initial 3 MGD already authorized
- UOSA Re-rating study is underway and could impact allocations
- Further action not required at this time

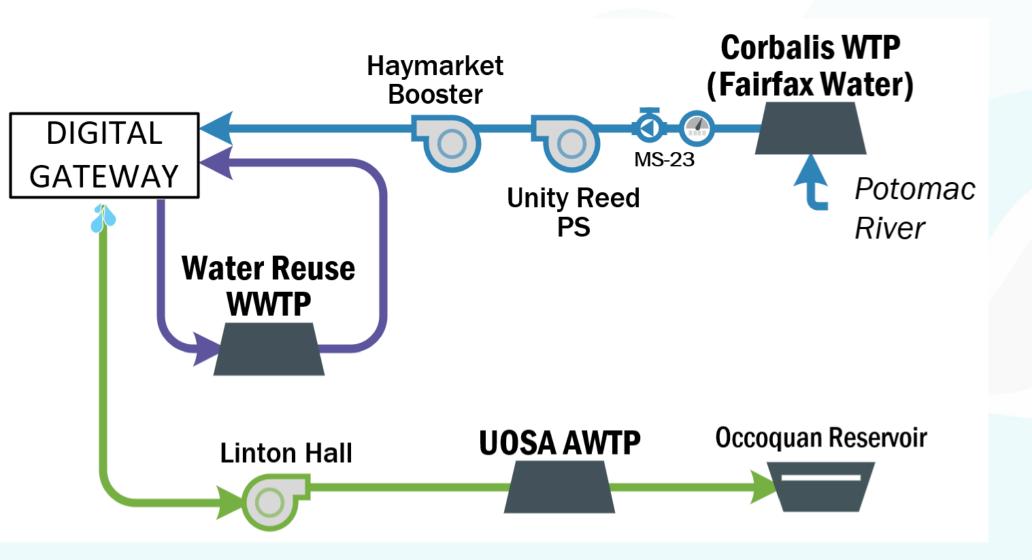
Key Takeaways – Sewer Collection

- New rural developments and the Digital Gateway contribute to additional collection system and pump station improvements under current loading assumptions
- Participation from development community is critical
- Monitor development activity for timing of collection system and pump station improvement triggers





Water Reuse Conceptual Overview





 Currently, BC sees limited value in pursuing a water reuse option for the Digital Gateway

Key Takeaways — Digital Gateway Water Reuse

Feasible from a regulatory perspective, but will require significant coordination with UOSA

Limited revenue potential from a highly-variable waste stream from the Digital Gateway

County guidance encouraging lower water use and therefore limiting the available recycle feed

Water reuse is a viable technology that could be employed in different scenarios

In Summary

Water

- Sufficient water capacity available from Fairfax Water
- Continue execution of transmission improvements in the CIP

Sewer

 Monitor development activity to align with timing of sewer improvements

Water Reuse

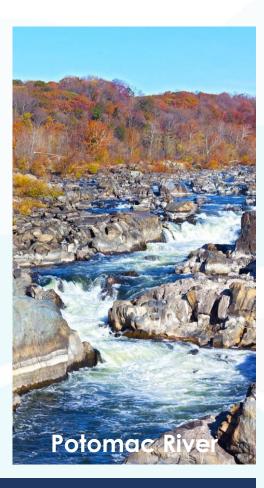
Continue to consider viable options

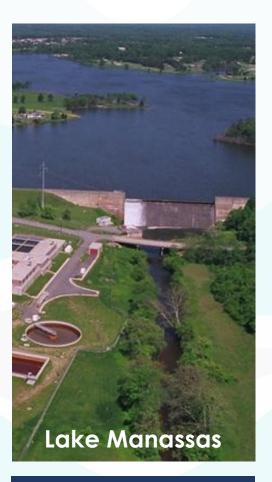




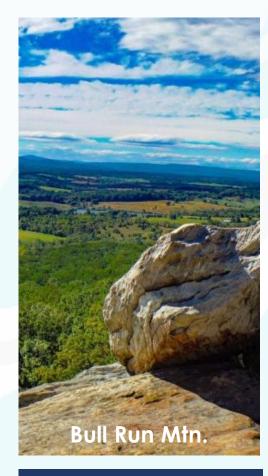
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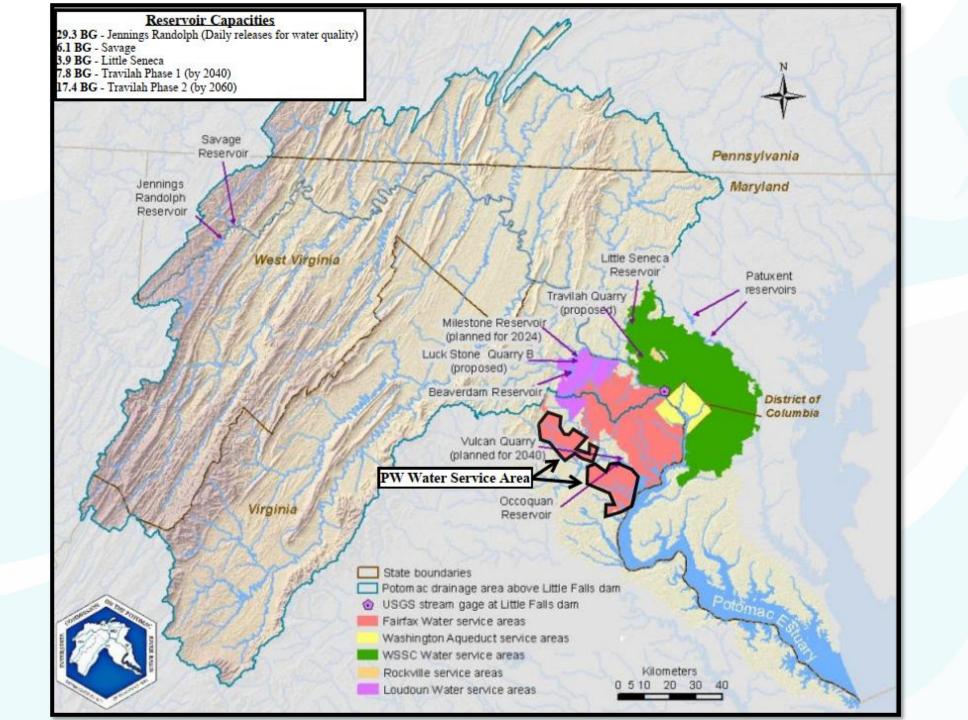




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- Occoquan Source benefits from indirect potable reuse
- Vulcan quarry will bolster Occoquan drought resilience
- Potomac River system managed by ICPRB (Interstate Commission on the Potomac River Basin)
 - https://www.potomacriver.org/focus-areas/water-resources-and-drinkingwater/cooperative-water-supply-operations-on-the-potomac/long-termplanning/
- Strong resilience due to upstream reservoirs
- Travilah needed to meet needs under most severe climate change assumptions



