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Drought Update

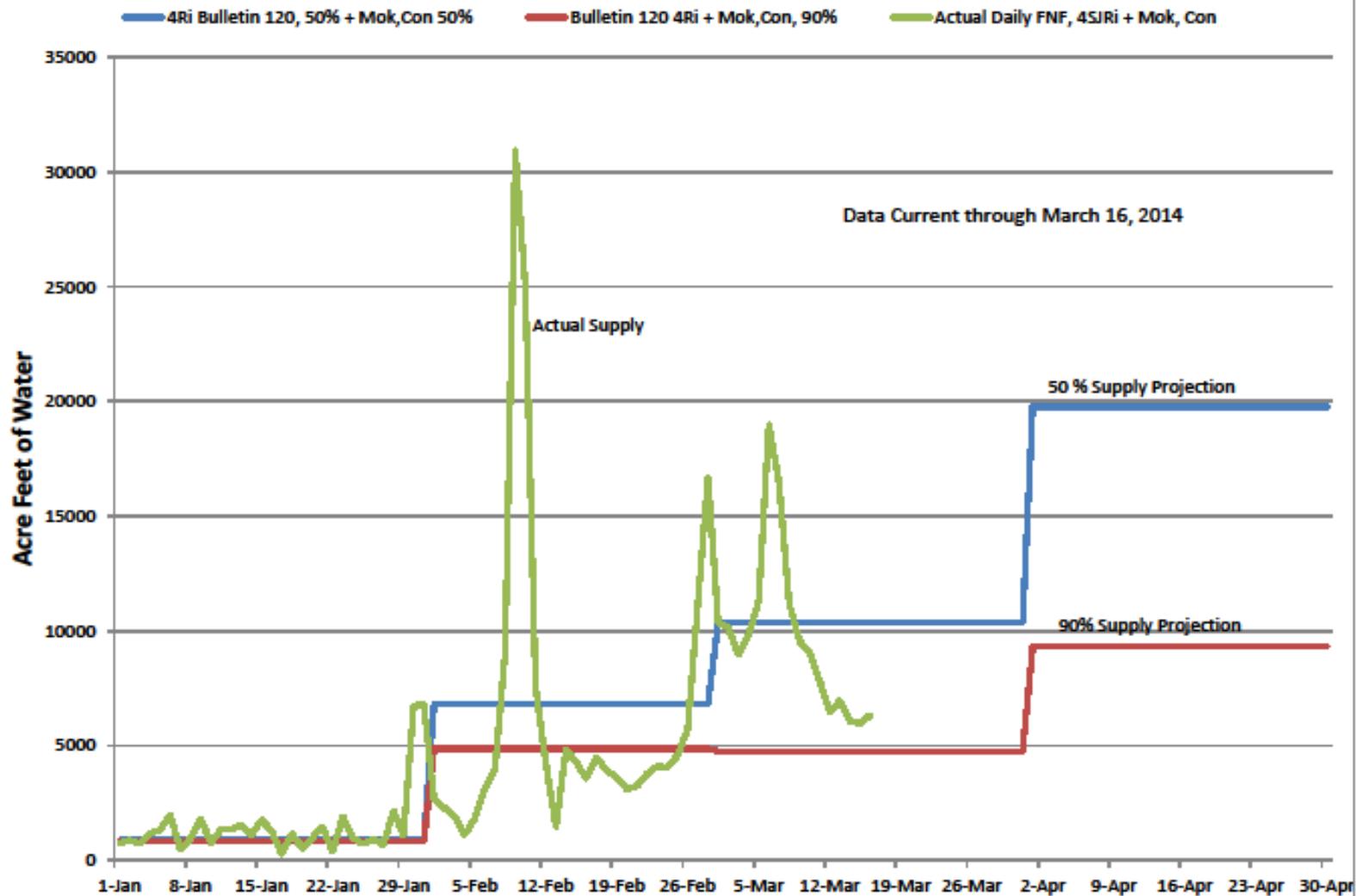
State Water Resources Control Board Meeting

March 18, 2014

Curtailments

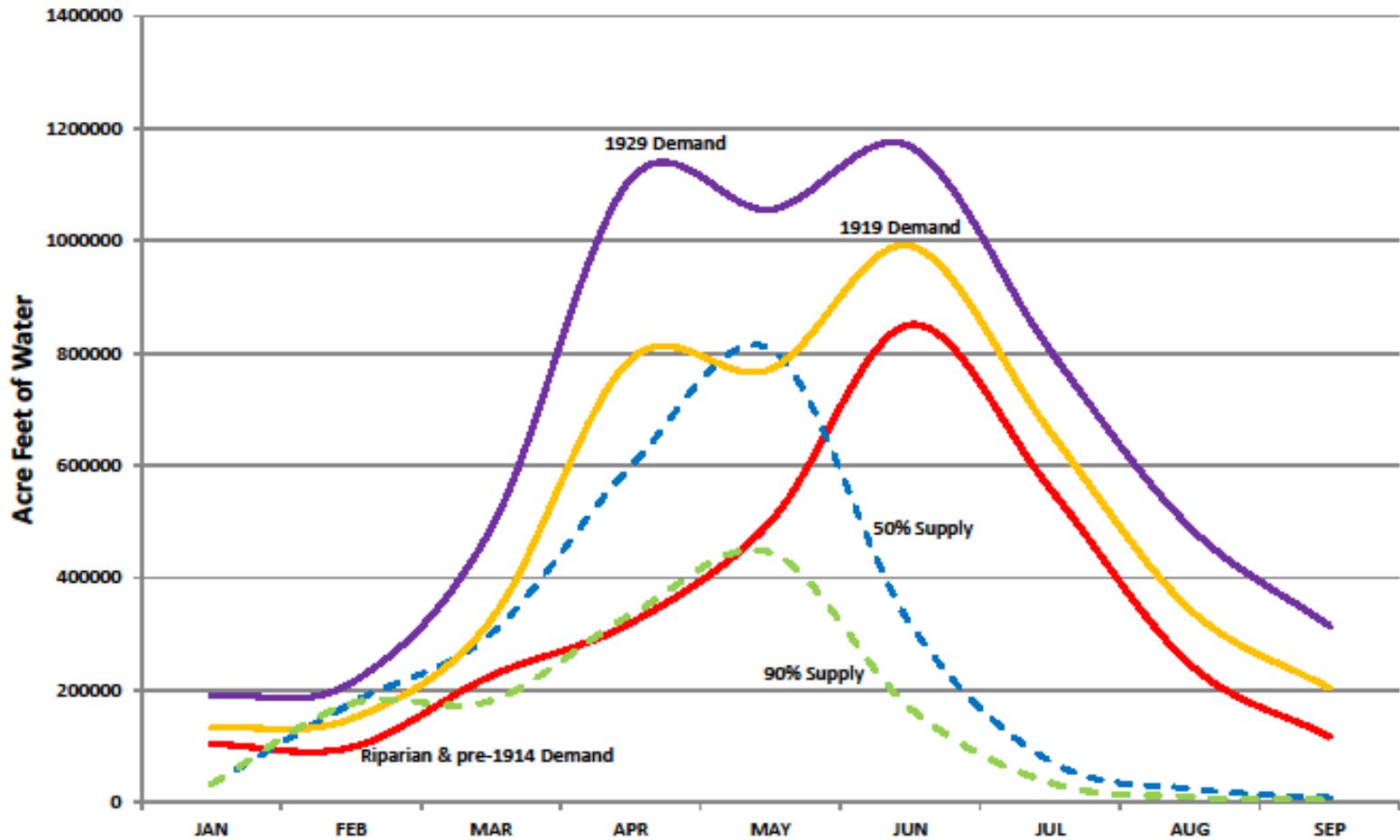
- Major Reservoirs in Sacramento and San Joaquin River watersheds are collecting storage.
- Delta is in Excess Conditions.
- Staff have met with many major diverter representatives and do not recommend curtailment at this time.
- Staff continue to monitor water supply and demand.

San Joaquin Basin - Daily FNF Tracking - March 16th



2014 San Joaquin Watershed Supply/Demand - March DWR Updates

- 2010 SJ Basin Statement Demand
- 2012 SJ Basin 1919 Demand
- - - Bulletin 120 4Ri + Mok,Cos, 90%
- - - Bulletin 120 4Ri + Mok,Cos, 50%
- 2012 SJ Basin 1929 Demand



Temporary Urgency Changes/Transfers

1. Amended TUCP Order Sonoma County Water Agency
2. Recent TUCP requests:
 - Rancho Murieta
 - El Dorado Irrigation District (Wastewater)
 - City of Willits
3. Recent Transfer requests:
 - Placer County Water Agency
 - Reclamation Districts 756 and 2026.

Delta Temporary Urgency Change (TUCP) of Decision 1641 (D-1641) Water Right Terms

- Petition received January 29, 2014
- Initial Order – January 31, 2014
- Modified:
 - February 7, 2014 in response to precipitation event
 - February 28, 2014 to extend Delta outflow requirements through March 2014
 - Another modification pending to allow flexible exports additional pumping

Delta TUCP Order

- Initial Order – January 31 2014
- Amended requirements:
 - Open Delta Cross Channel Gates as needed to maintain salinity in the Delta
 - Modified Delta Outflow 3,000 cfs
- Other conditions:
 - With exceptions, Delta exports limited to 1,500 cfs for health and safety
 - Save water in upstream reservoirs to protect flows for fish, maintain water supplies, improve water quality
 - Water balance estimates, modeling and monitoring, Real Time Drought Operations management
 - Modify requirements as needed

Modified Delta TUCP Order

- February 7, 2014
- Amended requirements:
 - If Department and Reclamation can comply with Delta outflow and DCC Gate closure requirements in D-1641 then D-1641 requirements are operative, except...
 - State Water Project and Central Valley Project exports greater than 1,500 cfs are limited to natural or abandoned flow
 - Projects can take advantage of precipitation events (and maintain water in upstream reservoirs)

Modified Delta TUCP Order

- February 28, 2014
- Amended requirements:
 - Continues for the month of March the modified Delta Outflow levels of 3,000 cfs originally approved on January 31, 2014
 - Continue to conserve stored water that will be needed to protect fishery resources, maintain water supplies, and improve water quality later in the year.

Delta TUCP Order Status

- Operated under Order for 15 days in February; still determining March
- Water balance information
- Current Modification
- Modification for April

Hydropower and Other Electrical Generation Projects

- March 11, 2014 Letter to Federal Energy Regulatory Commission
 - Mandatory Conservation
 - Quantification of Water
 - Monitoring
- Governor's Hydropower Workgroup
 - Moving beyond hydropower to water use associated with natural gas generation
 - Support of variance requests (DeSabra-Centerville & Phoenix Projects)

Delta Barriers

- Coordinating with the Department of Water Resources and other agencies on the Emergency Drought Barriers Project

Water Quality – Recycled Water

- **Permitting:**
 - LA Water Board Montebello Forebay
 - North Coast Waiver (offsets potable water use)
 - General Permit for recycled water in agriculture
- **Funding:**
 - Incentives for near-term recycled water projects
 - Support to CDPH for Regulations and Advisory Committee