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AGENCY OVERVIEW

KERN COUNTY WATER AGENCY

About KCWA: Kern County Water Agency coordinates the management of the water supplies of the San Joaquin Valley portion of Kern County, with particular emphasis on State Water Project (SWP) supplies, in order to enhance the local economy. It is the second largest participant in the SWP. The Agency's full Table A allocation is approximately 1,000,000 Acre-feet. Additionally, the Agency owns and operates one of the earliest groundwater banking operations, the Pioneer Project, in addition to two other groundwater projects. The Pioneer Project covers 2,200 acres to store surface water supplies during wet years for later use during dry years through extraction.



**Average Irrigated
Crop Land**
800,000 Acres



Top 5 Commodity Crops
Grapes, citrus fruits,
pistachios, almonds, & milk

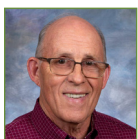


**Kern County houses
the largest groundwater
banking projects in CA**



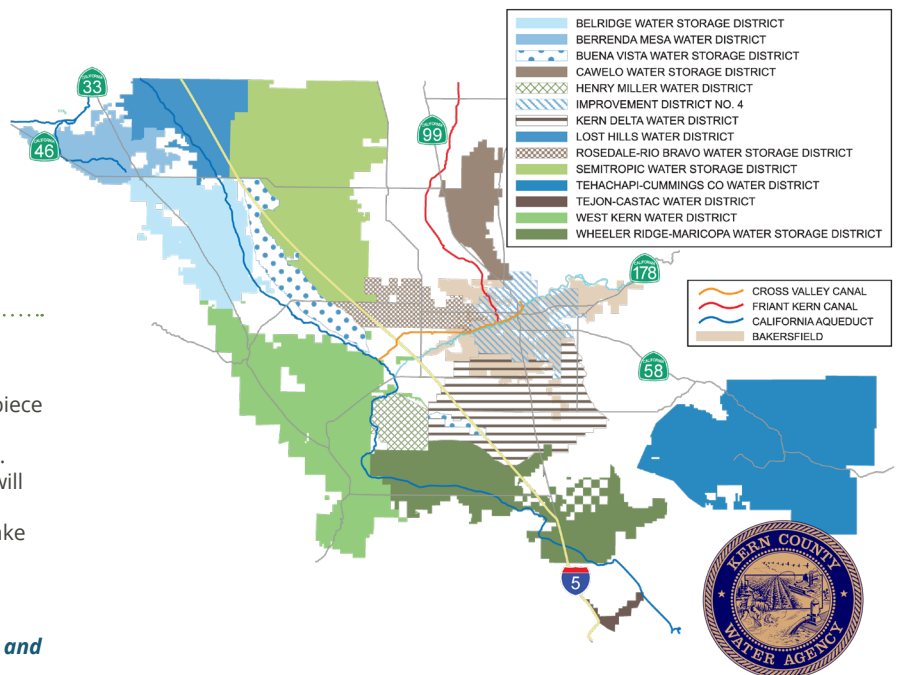
Kern County Water Agency
2nd largest municipal
SWP contractor

WHY ARE THE STATE WATER PROJECT AND DELTA CONVEYANCE PROJECT IMPORTANT TO KERN COUNTY WATER AGENCY?



"The Delta Conveyance project provides a modernization of the State Water Project. The State Water Project is a fundamental piece of infrastructure for the economy of Kern County and the food supply for the Nation. Modernization of the State Water Project will improve the reliability of water delivery by capturing, moving and storing water to make the most of large storm events."

Martin Milobar,
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Modernizing California's Water Infrastructure

The Delta Conveyance Project (DCP) is a proposal to modernize water infrastructure in the Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta by creating an additional point of diversion along the Sacramento River coupled with conveyance facilities in the Delta. The DCP is intended to restore and protect the reliability of State Water Project (SWP) and to ensure California's largest supply of clean water is climate resilient.