



Water Advisory Committee

Central Yavapai Highlands Water Resources Management Study

Water Advisory Committee Review of Phase I

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Yavapai County Water Advisory Committee

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The Study

- A cooperative regional study including communities in three Verde Sub-basins (Big Chino, PrAMA, and Verde Valley)
- This is a three phase study. **Today we are looking at Phase I.**
- The Technical Working Group (TWG) has worked together to produce these Phase 1 results

CYHWRMS - General Review

A logically constructed, comprehensive assessment of alternatives to meet future “unmet” water resource demands in the area of study. Assess regional solution for future water needs.

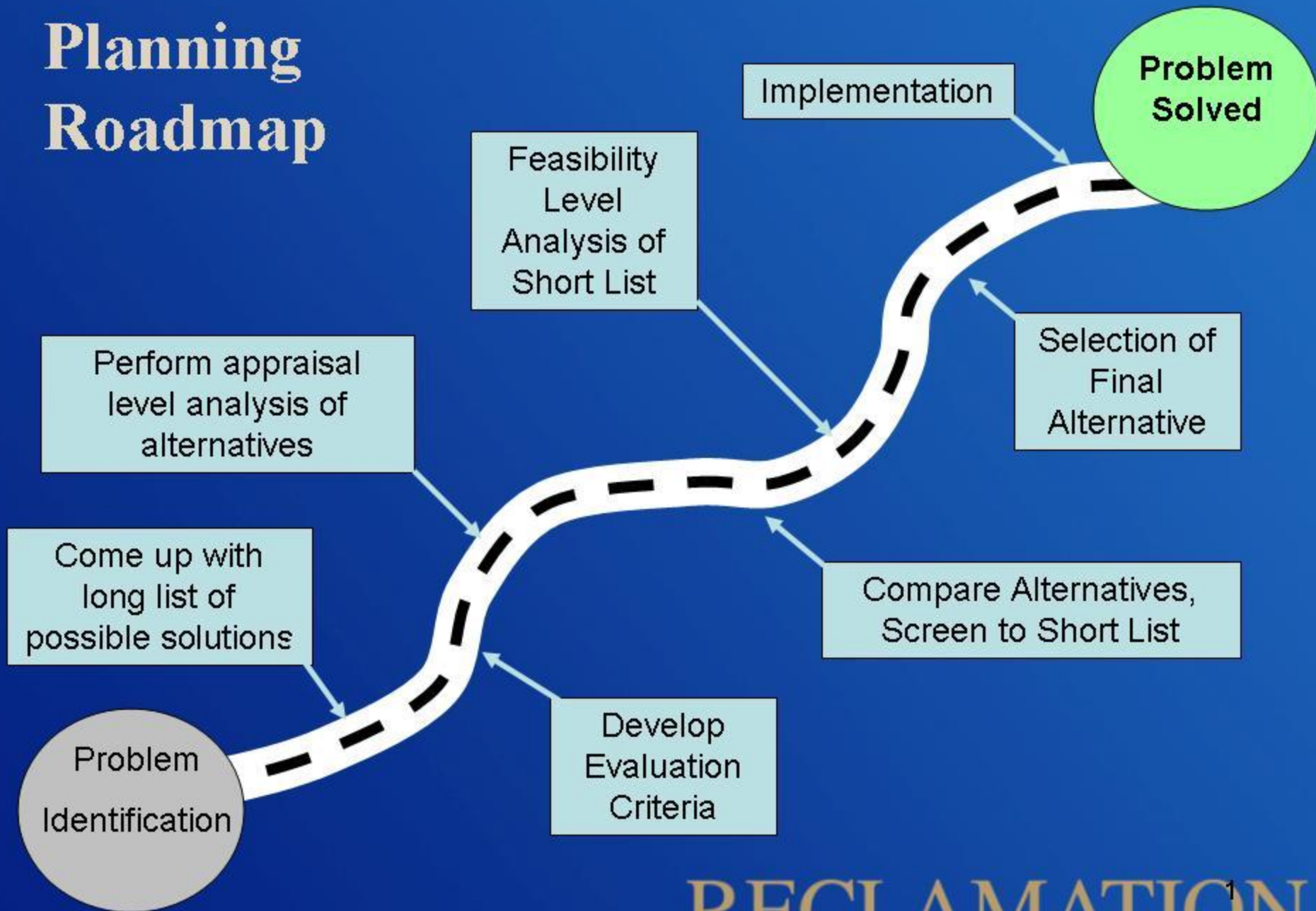
Assesses available information to address three basic questions

1. Are there unmet future demands?
2. If so, what are the alternatives to meet the demand?
3. Is there potential for Federal involvement for meeting the demands? (next step would be “Feasibility”)

Then Ask: Do communities want to pursue any alternative(s)?

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Planning Roadmap



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Structure for today's presentation

- **Explanation of the Phase 1 products (main and supporting)**
- **We will walk through the Demand Analysis Summary Table column by column and view supporting documents as necessary**

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Tasks – Phase I

- Define Area
- Develop list of water providers
- Water Demand (evaluated for each Water Provider)
- Present Population
- Future Population
- Present Water Demands
- Present Water Resources (source and amount)
- Future Demands

Questions:

Are there demands that will be unmet in 2050?

Where?

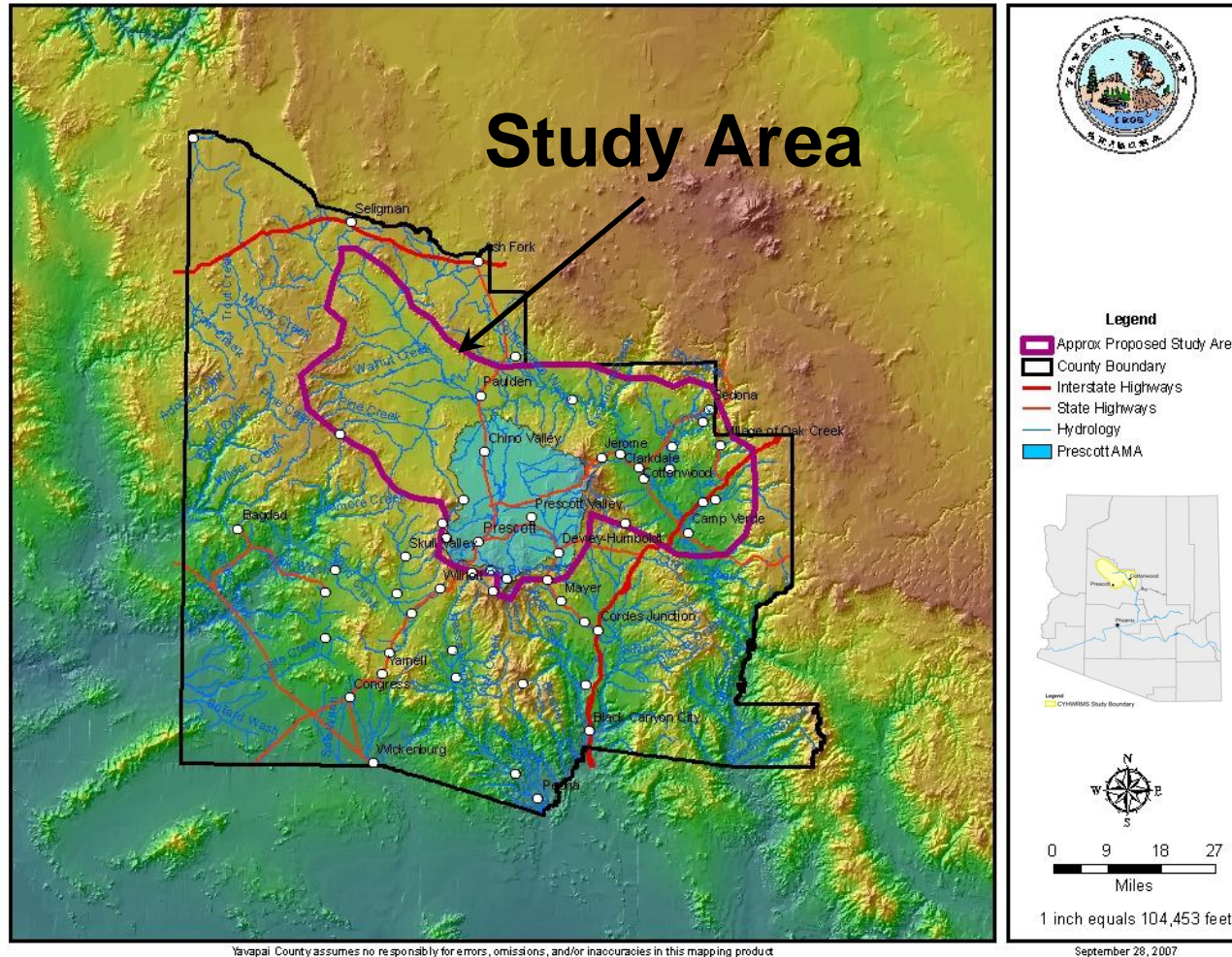
How much?

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Bottom Line:

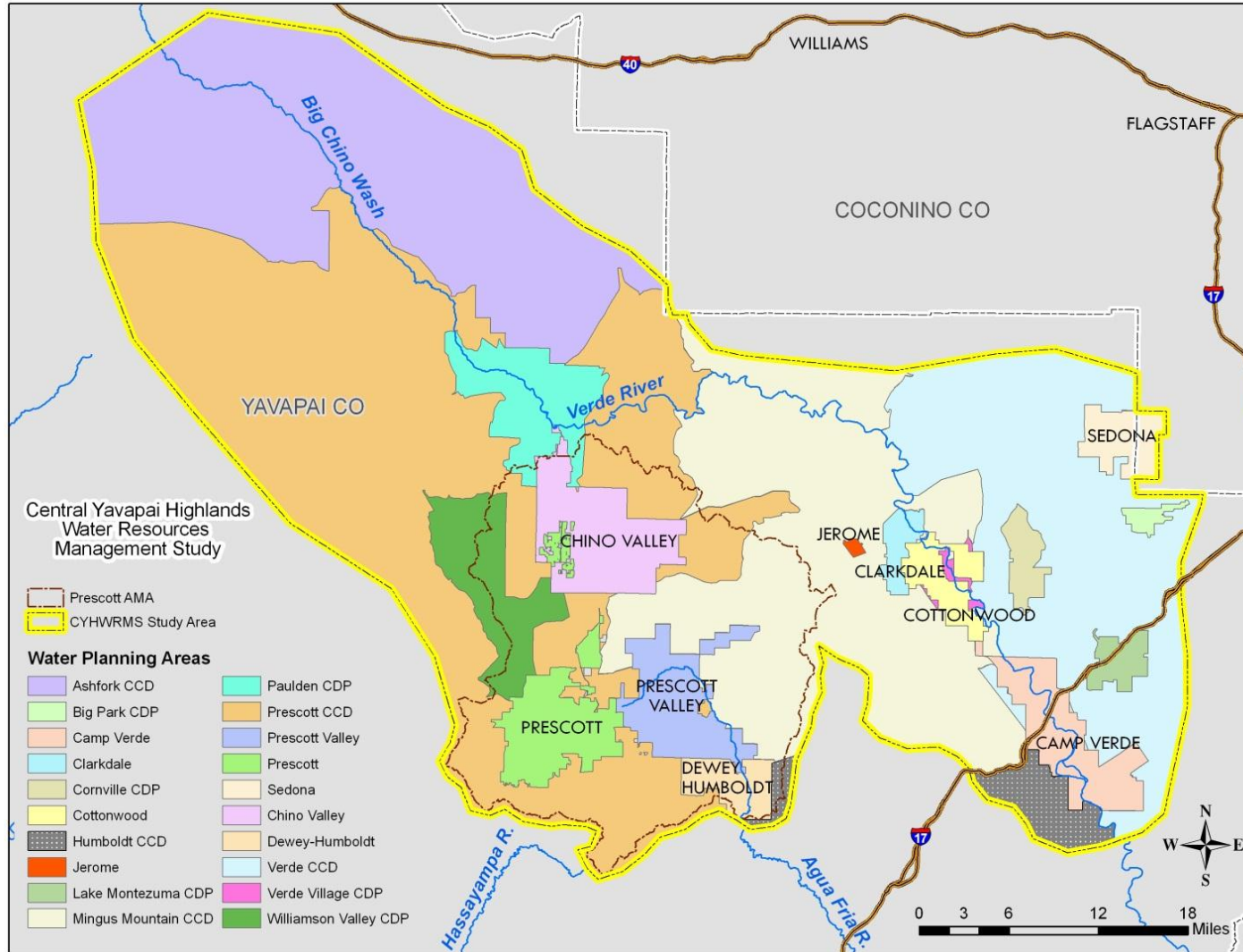
- Yes - Phase 1 has identified “unmet” future demands.
- The unmet demands are detailed in a table (Demand Analysis Table) and several supporting documents.
- They are expressed as a range based on a range of approaches used in the phase 1 analysis (a “status quo” and a “water balance” approach).
- **The total, overall study area unmet 2050 demands range from about 45,000 acft/yr (status quo method) to about 80,000 acft/yr (water budget method 1).**

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- Study Area includes areas with high potential growth and increased water demands: Big Chino, PrAMA, and Verde Valley

CYHWRMS - Study Area



• **STUDY AREA:** Big Chino, PrAMA, and Verde Valley; High Potential Growth Areas; With increased water demands

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Do we have unmet demands in 2050?

- Unmet 2050 demand for the entire study area = **- 46,472 AF**
- If the study area is broken down into groundwater sub-basins

	Verde Valley	PrAMA (Little Chino and Upper Agua Fria)	Big Chino
Status Quo	-11,886	-31,677	-2,909
Water Budget 1	-25,658	-54,182	-201
Water Budget 2	-21,898	-41,085	3,119

How did the TWG get to these figures?

Main Document - Demand Analysis Table

Central Yavapai Highlands Water Resources Management Study - Phase I

Demand Analysis

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A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O	P
			(C-B)				(E+F+G)	(E/B)	Estimated		(C*K)			(L+M+N)	(J-O)
Water Planning Area	2006 Population ¹	2050 Population ¹	Pop. Change	2006 Mun/Dom Demand ²	2006 Com/Ind Demand ²	2006 AG Demand ²	Total 2006 Demand	2006 ³	Available Water Supply ⁴	2050 ⁵	2050 Mun/Dom Demand ⁵	2050 Com/Ind Demand ⁶	2050 AG Demand ⁷	Total 2050 Demand	2050 Water Supply +/-
				(AF/yr)	(AF/yr)	(AF/yr)		GPPD	(AF/yr)	GPPD	(AF/yr)	(AF/yr)	(AF/yr)	(AF/yr)	(AF/yr)
Camp Verde	12,497	23,277	10,780	1,597	887	9,320	11,804	114	11,804	112	2,920	887	6,215	10,022	1,782
Dewey Humboldt	4,134	6,943	2,809	607	38	569	1,214	131	1,214	120	933	722	37	1,692	-478
Clarkdale	3,999	22,460	18,461	478	3	31	512	107	512	75	1,887	300	31	2,218	-1,706
Cottonwood	20,400	77,630	57,230	3,370	1,782	1,137	6,289	147	6,289	125	10,870	1,782	760	13,412	-7,123
Jerome	510	800	290	282	0	0	282	494	282	255	229	53	0	282	0
Prescott Valley	44,000	146,000	102,000	6,215	551	55	6,821	126	6,821	121	19,790	906	0	20,696	-13,875
Chino Valley	12,690	63,690	51,000	1,294	552	1,691	3,537	91	2,755	75	5,351	4,222	158	9,731	-6,976
Prescott	49,072	100,000	50,928	10,524	8	375	10,907	191	10,907	125	14,003	3,231	375	17,609	-6,702
Sedona	11,080	17,100	6,020	3,794	40	278	4,112	306	4,112	361	6,915	40	185	7,140	-3,028
Paulden CDP	5,342	14,099	8,757	778	148	1,346	2,272	130	2,272	120	1,895	148	962	3,005	-733
Big Park CDP	7,731	8,810	1,079	1,361	1,153	0	2,514	157	2,514	198	1,954	1,153	0	3,107	-593
Cornville CDP	4,075	7,448	3,373	927	31	2,823	3,781	203	3,781	185	1,544	31	1,880	3,455	326
Lake Montezuma CDP	4,237	8,308	4,071	631	751	537	1,919	133	1,919	120	1,117	751	360	2,228	-309
Ctn-Verde Village CDP	3,373	11,706	8,333	118	1	1,124	1,243	31	1,243	125	1,639	1	750	2,390	-1,147
Verde CCD	1,700	4,525	2,825	501	731	1,322	2,554	263	2,554	235	1,191	731	880	2,802	-248
Prescott CCD	16,120	42,909	26,789	2,756	78	4,936	7,770	153	7,770	135	6,489	86	2,556	9,131	-1,361
Mingus Mtn CCD	1,700	4,525	2,825	459	749	487	1,695	241	1,695	215	1,090	749	325	2,164	-469
Humboldt CCD	230	612	382	49	5	759	813	190	813	170	117	5	506	628	185
Ashfork CCD	470	36,250	35,780	28	8	2,796	2,832	53	2,832	134	5,441	8	1,400	6,849	-4,017
Total	203,360	597,092	393,732	35,769	7,516	29,586	72,871		72,089		85,375	15,806	17,380	118,561	-46,472

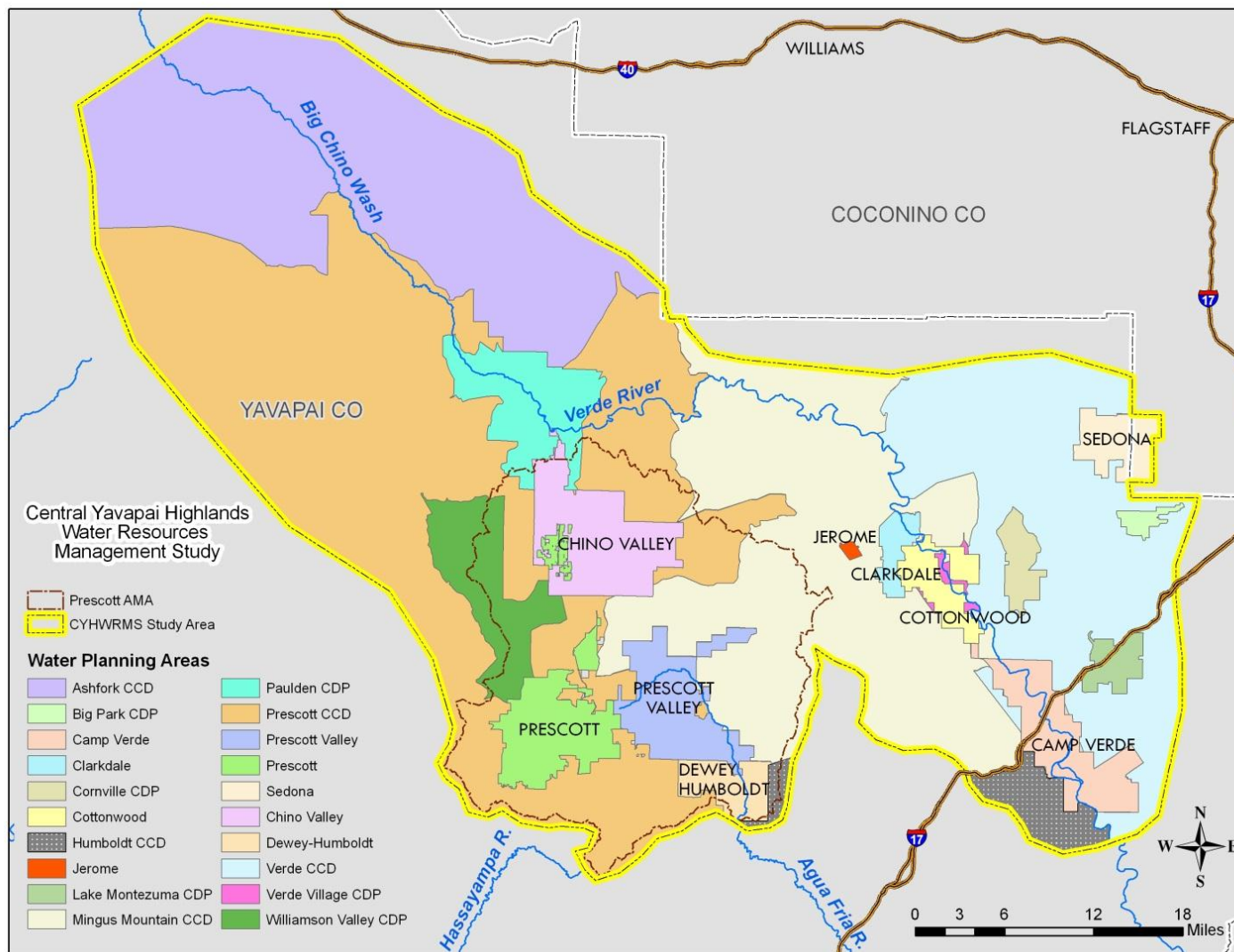
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Water Planning Areas

(Demand Analysis Table Column A)

- **Municipal WPAs were defined by the municipal boundary and any portion of the service area that originates inside the municipal boundary and extends outside of it.**
- **WPA boundaries for Census Designated Places, as identified by US Census and used in 2008 H3J report.**
- **The larger Census County Divisions as identified in 2008 H3J and they were clipped to the study area.**

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Demand Analysis – Population

(Demand Analysis Table columns B and C)

Population was developed based on previous studies and assessments, past trends, and/or GIS analysis. All population values were finalized in consultation with technical and political representatives from each WPA.



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Water Planning Area	2006 Population ¹	2050 Population ¹	Pop. Change
Camp Verde	12,497	23,277	10,780
Dewey Humboldt	4,134	6,943	2,809
Clarkdale	3,999	22,460	18,461
Cottonwood	20,400	77,630	57,230
Jerome	510	800	290
Prescott Valley	44,000	146,000	102,000
Chino Valley	12,690	63,690	51,000
Prescott	49,072	100,000	50,928
Sedona	11,080	17,100	6,020
Paulden CDP	5,342	14,099	8,757
Big Park CDP	7,731	8,810	1,079
Cornville CDP	4,075	7,448	3,373
Lake Montezuma CDP	4,237	8,308	4,071
Ctn-Verde Village CDP	3,373	11,706	8,333
Verde CCD	1,700	4,525	2,825
Prescott CCD	16,120	42,909	26,789
Mingus Mtn CCD	1,700	4,525	2,825
Humboldt CCD	230	612	382
Ashfork CCD	470	36,250	35,780
Total	203,360	597,092	393,732

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Supporting Doc – Pop Comparison

Central Yavapai Highlands Water Resources Management Study - Phase I Population Comparison

Water Planning Area ¹	not WPAs	not WPAs	WPAs		WPAs	WPAs	WPAs	WPAs	WPAs	Annual Growth Rate	Pop. Change
	2006 DES Population (not WPAs)	DES 2050 Population (not WPAs)	DES Annual Growth Rate	2006 DES modified for WPAs ¹	2006 ² Yavapai County Parcel Population	2006 ² Population - Yavapai County Estimates	2006 ³ Population	2050 County Estimates 2.25% Growth ^{2,4}	2050 ^{1,3} Assumed Population		
			%							%	
Camp Verde	11,779	22,387	1.5%		-9,826		12,497		23,277	1.4%	10,780
Dewey Humboldt	4,134	6,943	1.2%		-4,041		4,134		6,943	1.2%	2,809
Clarkdale	3,732	5,146	0.7%	3999	-3,568		3,999		22,460	4.0%	18,461
Cottonwood	11,201	20,411	1.4%	20400	-17,872		20,400		77,630	3.1%	57,230
Jerome	330	334	0.0%	510	-429		510		800	1.0%	290
Prescott Valley	35,609	90,620	2.1%	41610	-42,182		44,000		146,000	2.8%	102,000
Chino Valley	13,235	37,836	2.4%	12690	-7,874		12,690		63,690	3.7%	51,000
Prescott	42,154	79,588	1.5%	49072	-43,418		49,072		100,000	1.6%	50,928
Sedona	11,080	15,030	0.7%		-8,271		11,080		17,100	1.0%	6,020
Paulden CDP	5,342	14,099	2.2%		-5,890		5,342		14,099	2.2%	8,757
Big Park CDP	6,566	12,582	1.5%	7731	-7,252		7,731		8,810	0.3%	1,079
Cornville CDP	4,075	7,448	1.4%		-3,747		4,075		7,448	1.4%	3,373
Lake Montezuma CDP	4,237	8,308	1.5%		-4,679		4,237		8,308	1.5%	4,071
Ctn-Verde Village CDP	12,572	21,506	1.2%	3373	-1,928		3,373		11,706	2.9%	8,333
Verde CCD	2,239	3,309	0.9%		1,700	-2,239	1,700	4,525	4,525	2.2%	2,825
Prescott CCD	20,525	26,720	0.6%		16,120	-25,573	16,120	42,909	42,909	2.2%	26,789
Mingus Mtn CCD	1,687	3,224	1.5%		1,700	-1,687	1,700	4,525	4,525	2.2%	2,825
Humboldt CCD	1,470	1,470	0.0%		230	-287	230	612	612	2.2%	382
Ashfork CCD	1,341	2,995	1.8%		470	-500	470	1,251	36,250	10.4%	35,780
Total	193,308	379,956	1.5%		-140,757		203,360		597,092	2.5%	393,732

1. Modifications to 2006/2050 DES populations based on differences between water service area boundaries and city/town boundaries.

1. Modifications to 2006/2050 DES populations based on input from town/water provider.

2. See Phase I - Data Sources and Documentation for methods and assumptions used to estimate CCD populations.

3. Populations for Camp Verde and Clarkdale include Yavapai-Apache Nation reservations located with each Water Planning Area.

4. Ashfork CCD 2050 Population includes 1250 plus 35000 growth for CVCF and Yavapai Ranches.

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(Other) Main Document – Planning Area Water Use Summary Table



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- **This document houses all the 2006 demand information.**
- **It is organized by Water Provider, Exempt Well, Agricultural, and Nonexempt well Demands**

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(other) Main Document – Planning Area Water Use Summary Table

Water Planning Area	Water User ¹	2006 Demand ¹ (AF/YR)	Estimated Available Supplies (using 2006 Status-Quo) (AF/YR)	Estimated Available Supplies (using Assured and Adequate Determination) ² (AF/YR)
Camp Verde	Camp Verde Water System	502	502	1923.86
	Lake Verde Water Co.	19	19	
	Verde Lakes Water Corp.	241	241	
	Verde West Irrigation	0	0	
	Rainbow Acres	17	17	
	Yavapai-Apache – Middle Verde Sys.	37	88	
	Yavapai-Apache – Casino System	21	85	
	Water Provider Total	837	952	1923.86
	Exempt wells (2303@.33AF/yr)	760	760	760
	Agricultural Water Use	9320	9320	9320
	Nonexempt wells	104	104	104
**	Yavapai Apache Sand and Rock	100	100	100
**	United Metro Materials	403	403	403
**	Superior Materials	280	280	280
	PLANNING AREA TOTAL	11804	11919	12891

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Demand Analysis – 2006 Muni/Dom Demands (column E)



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- A comprehensive list of water providers was developed from existing reports.
- ADWR wells 55 database was queried for the exempt well counts and GIS was used to clip the data to the appropriate WPA.
- The TWG decided upon the volume to assign to exempt wells using existing documents and working knowledge.
- ADWR annual reports were used to document AMA municipal provider demands.

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Water Planning Area	2006 Mun/Dom Demand ² (AF/yr)
Camp Verde	1,597
Dewey	
Humboldt	607
Clarkdale	478
Cottonwood	3,370
Jerome	282
Prescott Valley	6,215
Chino Valley	1,294
Prescott	10,524
Sedona	3,794
Paulden CDP	778
Big Park CDP	1,361
Cornville CDP	927
Lake Montezuma CDP	631
Ctn-Verde Village CDP	118
Verde CCD	501
Prescott CCD	2,756
Mingus Mtn CCD	459
Humboldt CCD	49
Ashfork CCD	28
Total	35,769

**The 2006
Municipal/Domestic
Demand is the sum of**

**water provider's
reported demands**

+

**the number of exempt
wells X 0.33 AF/year.**

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Demand Analysis – 2006 Com/Ind Demands (table column F)

- These are demands that are not served by a water provider (municipality or private water co.)
- Non-exempt wells that were identified in ADWR Wells 55 DB with a TWG reviewed query.
- The wells were organized into their correct WPA by using GIS and reviewed by the appropriate TWG member.
- The wells were organized by type of water use and assigned a TWG agreed volume (AF/yr).

Demand Analysis – 2006 Com/Ind Demands (cont.)

- **Non-exempt in the Prescott AMA portion of the study are required to report their use annually.**
- **One user in the AMA doesn't have a Grandfather right but does have a surface water claim. Surface water user are not required to file annual reports.**

Water Planning Area	2006 Com/Ind Demand ² (AF/yr)
Camp Verde	887
Dewey Humboldt	38
Clarkdale	3
Cottonwood	1,782
Jerome	0
Prescott Valley	551
Chino Valley	552
Prescott	8
Sedona	40
Paulden CDP	148
Big Park CDP	1,153
Cornville CDP	31
Lake Montezuma CDP	751
Ctn-Verde Village CDP	1
Verde CCD	731
Prescott CCD	78
Mingus Mtn CCD	749
Humboldt CCD	5
Ashfork CCD	8
Total	7,516

2006 Commercial and Industrial Demand is a sum of those non-exempt wells that are not associated with a water system. The volumes in areas outside the AMA were estimated from previous reports. The areas inside the AMA used reported volumes.

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Demand Analysis – 2006 AG Demand (column G)

- A small working group from the TWG met to determine the best method for determining 2006 AG demands.
- ADWR performed two rounds of AG assessment using aerial imagery (2005 and 2007).
- The ADWR AG assessment was compared to early existing documents – Verde River Watershed Report, ADWR, 2000 and Big Chino Historical and Current Water Use and Water Use Projections, YCWAC, 2004

Demand Analysis – 2006 AG Demand (cont.)

- Outside of the Prescott AMA, irrigated acres were determined and then multiplied by a weighted water duty. ADWR, 2000 has duties by region in the Verde Watershed (Big Chino, Middle Verde, etc.)
- In the Prescott AMA, annual reports filed by Irrigation Grandfather Right holders were applied.
- The surface water used in the AMA was also reviewed by the TWG.

Water Planning Area	2006 AG Demand ² (AF/yr)
Camp Verde	9,320
Dewey Humboldt	569
Clarkdale	31
Cottonwood	1,137
Jerome	0
Prescott Valley	55
Chino Valley	1,691
Prescott	375
Sedona	278
Paulden CDP	1,346
Big Park CDP	0
Cornville CDP	2,823
Lake Montezuma CDP	537
Ctn-Verde Village CDP	1,124
Verde CCD	1,322
Prescott CCD	4,936
Mingus Mtn CCD	487
Humboldt CCD	759
Ashfork CCD	2,796
Total	29,586

2006 Agricultural Demand was determined based on whether the irrigation was outside or inside the AMA.

Outside the AMA = irrigated acres X weighted water duty.

Inside the AMA = reported use on Grandfather Irrigations Rights Annual Report + estimated for SW use for AG.

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Demand Analysis – Total 2006 Demands (column H)

- Column H is Total 2006 Demand (summation of Mun/Ind, Com/Ind, and AG demands for 2006 (column E + F + G))
- 72,089 acre feet (2006 total demand for study area)

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Demand Analysis – 2006 Gallons/Person/Day (GPPD) (column I)

A

B

E

I

(E/B)

Water Planning Area	2006 Population ¹	2006 Mun/Dom Demand ²	2006 ³ GPPD
		(AF/yr)	
Camp Verde	12,497	1,597	114
Dewey Humboldt	4,134	607	131
Clarkdale	3,999	478	107
Cottonwood	20,400	3,370	147
Jerome	510	282	494
Prescott Valley	44,000	6,215	126
Chino Valley	12,690	1,294	91
Prescott	49,072	10,524	191
Sedona	11,080	3,794	306
Paulden CDP	5,342	778	130
Big Park CDP	7,731	1,361	157
Cornville CDP	4,075	927	203
Lake Montezuma CDP	4,237	631	133
Ctn-Verde Village CDP	3,373	118	31
Verde CCD	1,700	501	263
Prescott CCD	16,120	2,756	153
MIngus Mtn CCD	1,700	459	241
Humboldt CCD	230	49	190
Ashfork CCD	470	28	53

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Demand Analysis – Estimated Available Supply

The Demand Analysis Table has two tabs (Excel spreadsheet)

- **The first tab houses the potential unmet demand if estimated supplies are based on the “Status Quo” = 2006 Demands.**
- **The second tab shows the unmet demand if estimated supplies are based on different components from existing water budgets.**

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Demand Analysis – Estimated Supplies, using components from existing water budgets

SUB-BASIN “Water Balance 1” APPROACH -

Verde Valley Sub-basin:

Inflow (167,000) – Outflow (baseflow out 144,100) = 22,900 AF available
22,900 – 48,558 (2050 Demand) = **-25,658** (unmet 2050 demand)

Little Chino/Upper Agua Fria (PrAMA):

Inflow Natural Recharge (8,070) – Outflow (4,850) = 3,220 AF available
3,220 – 57,402 (2050 Demand) = **-54,182** (unmet 2050 demand)

Big Chino Sub-basin:

Inflow (30,300) – Outflow (17,900 baseflow out) = 12,400 AF available
12,400 – 12,601 (2050 Demand) = **-201** (unmet 2050 demand)

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Demand Analysis – 2050 Water Demand (table columns L, M, N, O)

- Representative of each WPA provided their 2050 GPPD (table column K), and estimates were made for commercial/industrial (not served by a water provider) and agriculture volumes.
- Com/Industrial and Agriculture had to be examined separately due to an AMA being within the study area.

Demand Analysis – 2050 Water Demand – Muni/Dom

•Multiply the
2050 GPPD
by the 2050
Population

•Total 2050
Muni/Dom =
85,375 AF/yr

Water Planning Area	2050 Population ¹	2050 GPPD	2050 Mun/Dom Demand ⁵ (AF/yr)
Camp Verde	23,277	112	2,920
Dewey Humboldt	6,943	120	933
Clarkdale	22,460	75	1,887
Cottonwood	77,630	125	10,870
Jerome	800	255	229
Prescott Valley	146,000	121	19,790
Chino Valley	63,690	75	5,351
Prescott	100,000	125	14,003
Sedona	17,100	361	6,915
Paulden CDP	14,099	120	1,895
Big Park CDP	8,810	198	1,954
Cornville CDP	7,448	185	1,544
Lake Montezuma CDP	8,308	120	1,117
Ctn-Verde Village CDP	11,706	125	1,639
Verde CCD	4,525	235	1,191
Prescott CCD	42,909	135	6,489
Mingus Mtn CCD	4,525	215	1,090
Humboldt CCD	612	170	117
Ashfork CCD	36,250	134	5,441
Total	597,092		85,375

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Demand Analysis – 2050 Com/Ind (column M)

Com/Ind – Outside of the AMA

The future demand was determined in consultation with representative of the WPAs. Some areas chose to use the status quo from 2006 for the 2050 value, and others justified changing the value.

Com/Ind – Inside the AMA

Followed AMA assumptions for this sector as developed for the ADWR 2025 Assessment.

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Demand Analysis – 2050 AG (column N)

The future Agricultural water demand was determined in consultation with the TWG.

AG – Outside of the AMA

After several discussions, it seemed reasonable to choose Verde Valley Ag in 2050 to be $\frac{2}{3}$ (66%) of that in 2006 (reduced by $\frac{1}{3}$). Big Chino Ag in 2050 is assumed to be $\frac{1}{2}$ (50%) of that in 2006.

AG – Inside the AMA

Based on ADWR records and PrAMA staff assumptions.

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Demand Analysis – Total 2050 Demand (column 0)

•Total of 2050 Demands
(add columns L, M, N)

•Total year 2050 Study
Area Demand = **118,561**
AF/yr

Water Planning Area	Total 2050 Dem and (AF/yr)
Camp Verde	10,022
Dewey Humboldt	1,692
Clarkdale	2,218
Cottonwood	13,412
Jerome	400
Prescott Valley	20,696
Chino Valley	9,731
Prescott	17,609
Sedona	7,140
Paulden CDP	3,005
Big Park CDP	3,107
Cornville CDP	3,455
Lake Montezuma CDP	2,228
Ctn-Verde Village CDP	2,390
Verde CCD	2,802
Prescott CCD	9,131
Mingus Mtn CCD	2,164
Humboldt CCD	628
Ashfork CCD	6,849
Total	118,561



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Bottom Line (column P): 2050 Water Supply +/-



2050 Water Supply
+/-

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- The unmet demands are detailed the Demand Analysis Table (with several supporting documents).
- They are expressed as a range based on a range of approaches used in the phase 1 analysis (a “status quo” and a “water balance” approach).
- The total, overall study area unmet 2050 demands range from about 45,000 acft/yr (status quo method) to about 80,000 acft/yr (water budget method 1).

Water Planning Area	(AF/yr)	Water Advisory Committee
Camp Verde	1,782	
Dewey Humboldt	-478	
Clarkdale	-1,706	
Cottonwood	-7,123	
Jerome	-23	
Prescott Valley	-13,875	
Chino Valley	-6,976	
Prescott	-6,702	
Sedona	-3,028	
Paulden CDP	-733	
Big Park CDP	-593	
Cornville CDP	326	
Lake Montezuma CDP	-309	
Ctn-Verde Village CDP	-1,147	
Verde CCD	-248	
Prescott CCD	-1,361	
Mingus Mtn CCD	-469	
Humboldt CCD	185	
Ashfork CCD	-4,017	
Total	-46,472	

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Next Up...

Phase II

Water Supply Assessment (in addition to present water resources)

Phase III

- **Alternative Formulation**
- **Alternative Analysis**
- **Alternative Evaluation**

Question: Is there at least one alternative that can meet the unmet demands?

Question: Is there a Federal Interest in the identified alternatives?

Phase IV

- **Final Report Formulation**

Question: What do communities want to do with this information?

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CYHWRMS Phase 2

Water Resource Inventory

- Purpose: locate and describe water resources that could be included in various portfolio(s) to meet future unmet demands
- Consider possibilities both within the Study Area and outside of the Study Area
- Consider both quantity and quality
- Consider several types of water (surface, ground, effluent, reservoirs, impaired waters, demand management, waste water, flood, and others)
- **Findings represent appraisal level analysis based on available information and input from the Technical Working Group.**

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