



### **Climate Change Plan**

Napa Sanitation District

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#### Purpose of Today's Briefing

- Summary of risk assessment findings
  - > Focus on wildfire/PSPS (power outages) and sea level rise
  - > Draft conclusions

Initial recommendations for future work

Next steps & schedule



#### **Background & Work to Date**



Identify Measures & Costs

#### **Conduct Risk Assessment**

#### **Confirm Hazards & Impacts**



#### Risk Assessment Findings

# Aggregated for all NapaSan assets (2040-2050)



Sea level rise



GW level rise



Wildfire/PSPS



Precipitation changes

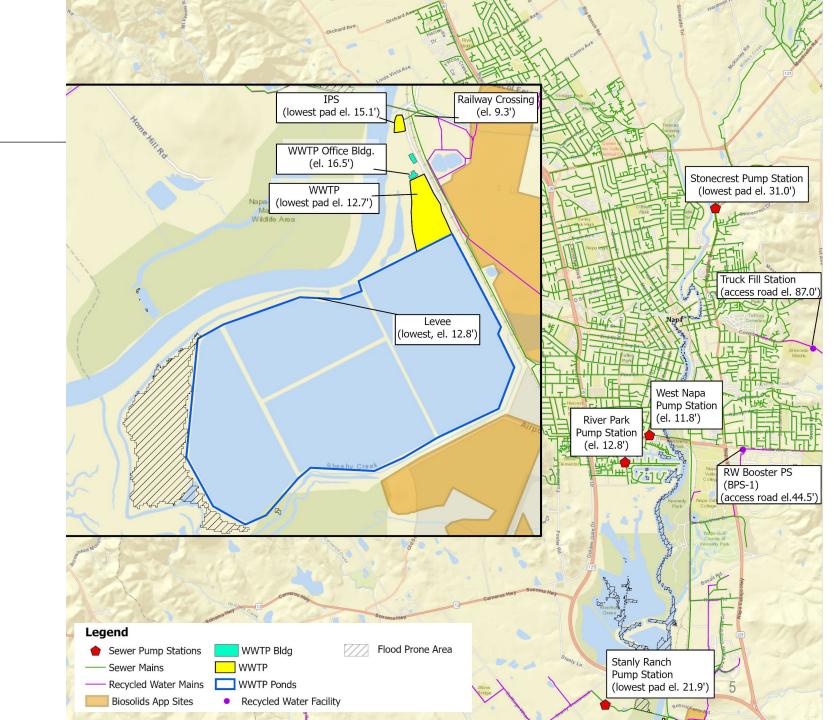


Temperature increase

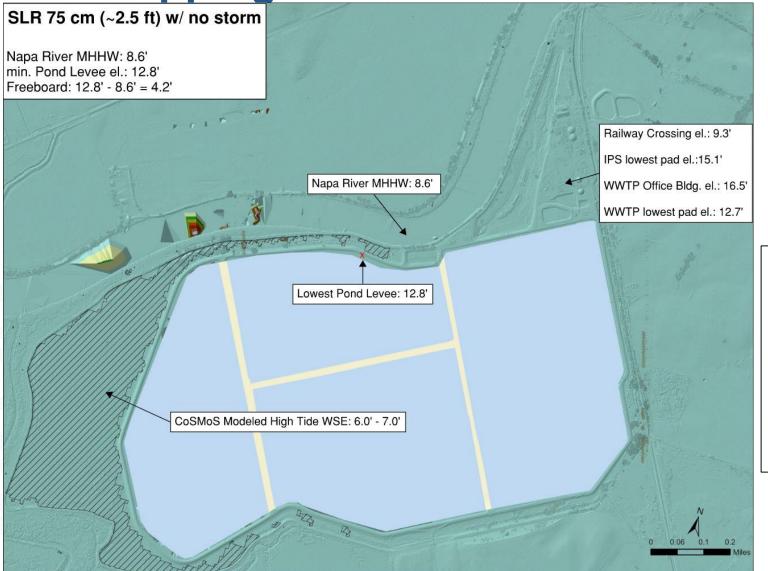
Certainty (probability, likelihood)	Almost certain				
	Likely				
	Possible	<b>4</b>			
	Unlikely				
		Low	Medium	High	Extreme
Severity (consequence, magnitude)					tude)

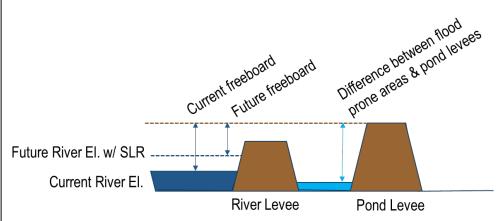
#### **Sea Level Rise**

- ~1 foot of rise expected by 2040/2050 with 30% probability
- Impacts already seen at railroad crossing
- Biggest future impacts around ponds, plant, and office building



#### Mapping Freeboard with Sea Level Rise in 2100



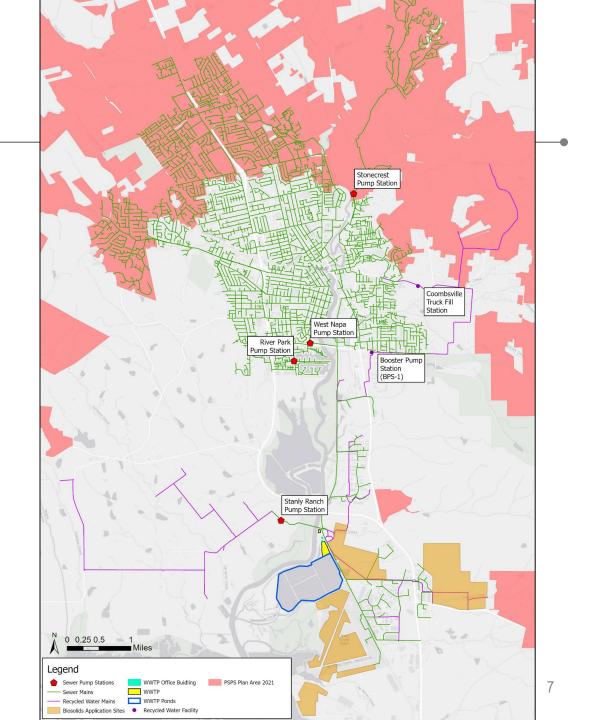




## PSPS & Other Sources of Power Outages

- PSPS is not a major concern for majority of facilities
  - ➤ Low likelihood of PSPS
  - Existing fuel storage reduces vulnerability

 Wildfires could have broader power supply implications beyond PSPS

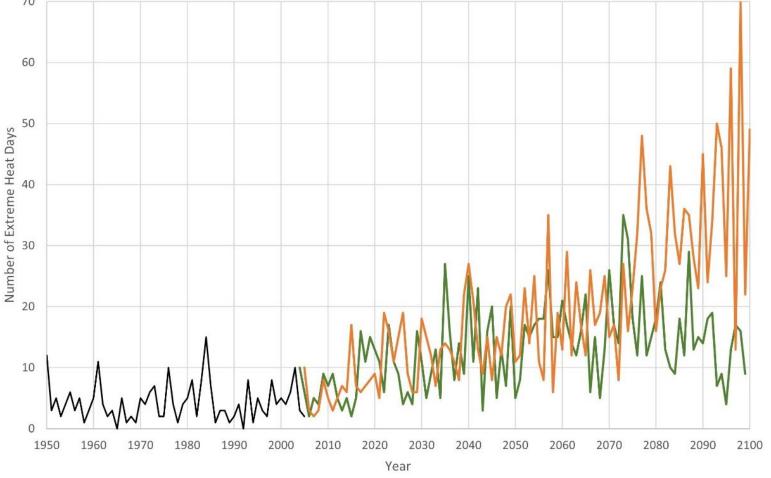




#### Extreme Heat Days (>104°)

 Electrical equipment standard rating of 104 °F

 Frequency of facility shutdowns could increase with higher likelihood of overheating





#### **Initial Assessment Conclusions**

 Assessment does not indicate that any immediate capital investments need to be made

- Extreme weather will dominate impacts to the system
  - > High tides, storms, flooding (exacerbated by sea level rise)
  - > Extreme heat

 NapaSan can consider taking some initial planning steps to avoid the need for immediate, costly "red-flag" actions



#### **Initial Recommendations**

- Plan for secondary access to the plant to leverage existing relationships
  - > Ultimate improvements would include building secondary access
- Future-proof planning/design criteria
  - > Track ASCE/NOAA partnership to update codes & standards
  - > Apply updated criteria to near-term capital projects
- Refine O&M practices related to load shedding and backup power
  - > Draft written load shedding procedures supporting staff
  - Consider opportunistically increasing fuel storage at the plant and/or trailer mounted fuel tank
- Revisit climate change analysis periodically
  - > Collect anecdotal data to support effort
  - > Participate in local & regional climate efforts



#### **Next Steps**

- Finalize list of recommended actions
- Prepare Climate Change Plan summarizing findings
- Hold final Board update (June 15)

Project complete by end of Fiscal Year



## Thank you! Questions?

