Water Master Plan Project Update

City of Denton





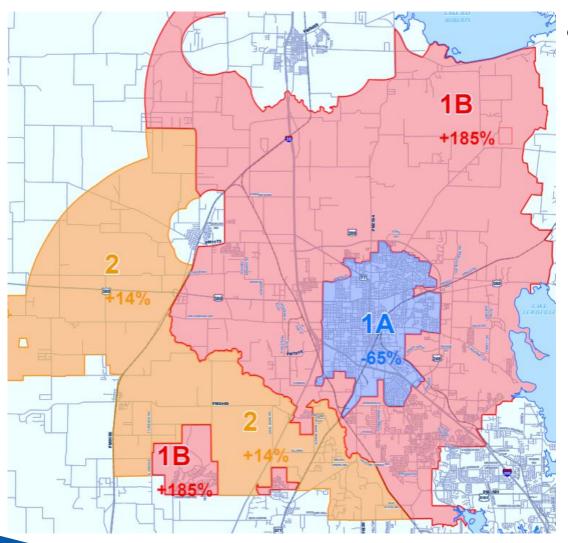
BACKGROUND

- Current Water Master Plan adopted in December 2018
 - Used as a planning tool for Water Utility
 - Details water system expansion needed to accommodate growth
 - Acts as an outline for future water resource needs
 - Includes growth projections and 25-year CIP
 - The Water Master Plan is updated regularly out of necessity
 - 2018 WMP estimated higher infill and lower growth in the outer regions

OBJECTIVE

- Imbalanced growth trends compared to 2018 projections have caused additional needs in:
 - Treatment Capacity
 - Conveyance Infrastructure
- Overall growth rate has exceeded projections, along with pockets of high growth in Western and Northern areas:
 - Initiatives for Industrial land use South of US-380 and West of I-35
 - Hunter and Cole Developments (2020)

GROWTH TREND HEAT MAP

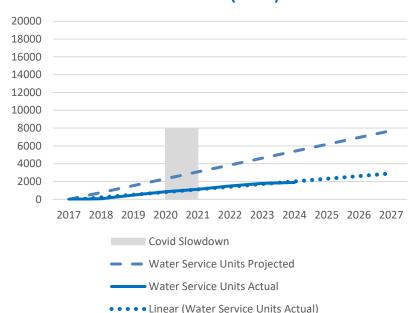


- Development trends between 2018 and today:
 - Infill is occurring more slowly than projected
 - Overall population and growth in the outer regions are occurring much faster than projected
 - Additional treatment capacity & conveyance infrastructure to accommodate the population growth
 - Color Key
 - Below Projections
 - Above Projections
 - Far Above Projections

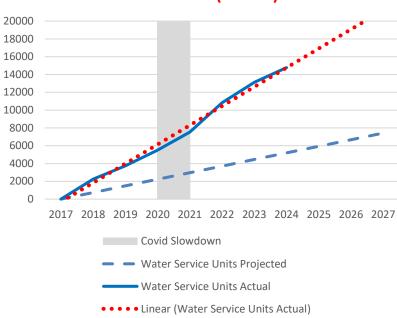


KEY POINTS

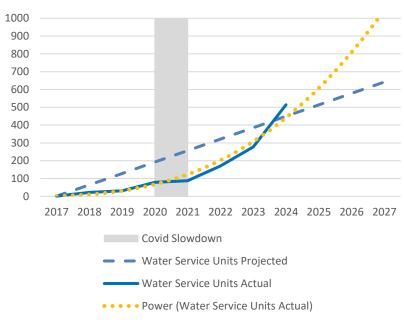
Water Service Unit - Service Area 1A: 2018-2027 (-65%)



Water Service Unit - Service Area 1B: 2018-2027 (+185%)



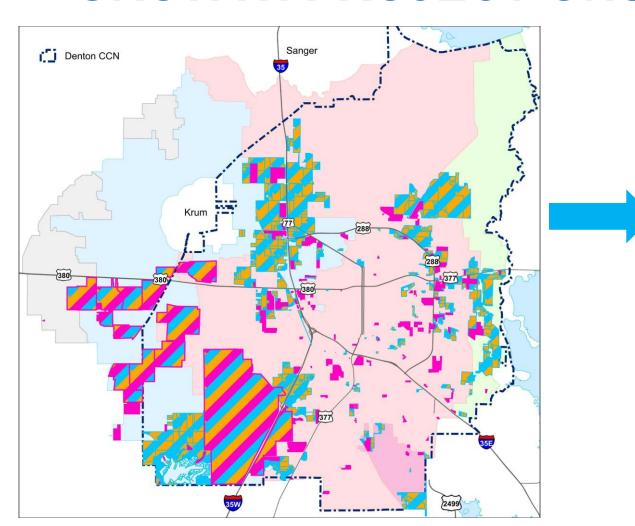
Water Service Unit - Service Area 2: 2018-2027 (+14%)

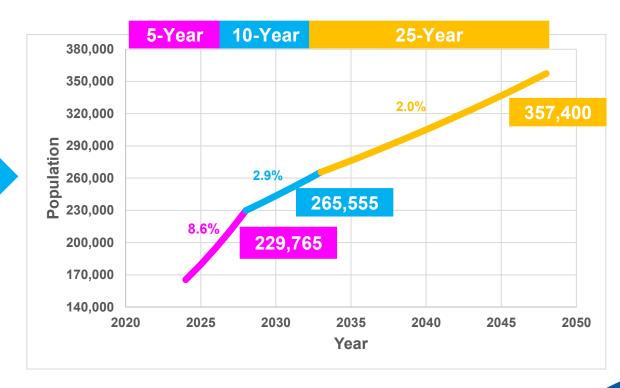


- Each Service Area has seen different growth rates
 - SA 1A: 65% below projections (linear trend)
 - SA 1B: 185% above projections (linear trend)
 - SA 2: 14% above projections with heavy recent growth (power trend)
 - Growth in 2025 is aggressive and consistent with the trend shown through 2024

GROWTH PROJECTIONS

Current Population: 165,398

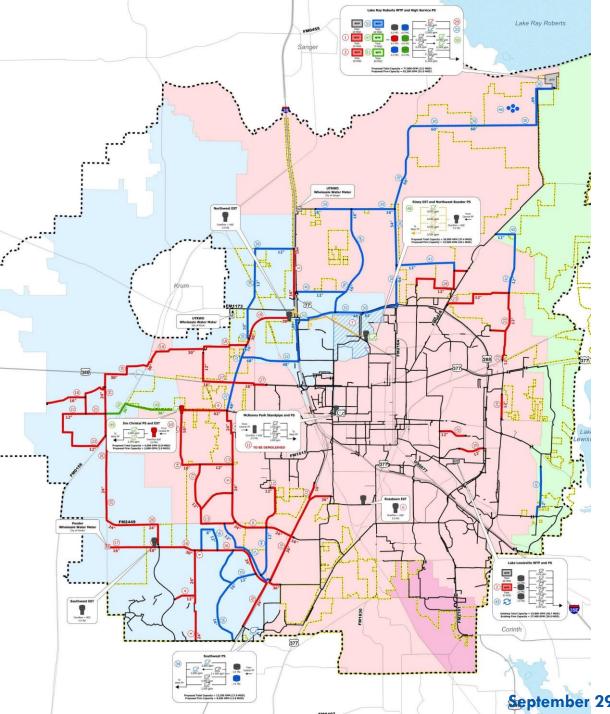




METHODOLOGY

- Incorporated existing and planned developments
 - Existing developments by using existing customer water meter data
 - The 5-year CIP projects are to serve incoming single and multiphase developments or to remedy existing deficiencies.
 - The 10-year CIP projects are to serve continuing multiphase developments.
 - The 25-year CIP projects are to serve continuing multiphase developments.
- Aligns with the Comprehensive Plan by utilizing the future land use categories shown within the Plan.
- The population numbers were taken from the North Central Texas Council of Governments.
- The Master Plan changes are required to adapt the Treatment and Conveyance systems to the City's evolving needs.
 - Changing needs are caused by the higher population growth projections the city is seeing.
 - Water efforts must meet the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality design and permitting requirements





CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PLAN

- Prioritizes projects to optimize City budget
- Capitalizes on existing infrastructure
- Improves system operation
- Ensures water reliability
- Addresses observed growth trends
 - Expanded Conveyance Infrastructure
 - Additional Treatment Capacity
 - Because the population growth projections were lower in the 2018 WMP, the conveyance and treatment improvements of the CIP were less intense compared to what we are seeing today.

CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PLAN

2018 WMP Projected Cost

| | 5-Yr | 10-Yr | 25-Yr |
|------------|-------|--------|-------|
| Conveyance | \$43M | \$44M | \$69M |
| Treatment | - | \$89M | - |
| Supply | - | - | - |
| Total | \$43M | \$133M | \$69M |

Grand Total: \$245M

WMP update Projected Cost

| | 5-Yr | 10-Yr | 25-Yr |
|------------|--------|--------|--------|
| Conveyance | \$313M | \$271M | \$40M |
| Treatment | \$196M | \$98M | \$196M |
| Supply | - | \$10M | - |
| Total | \$509M | \$379M | \$236M |

Grand Total: \$1.124B



NEXT STEPS

September 30 – Proposed adoption by City Council



Questions