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Utilities Advisory Commission Staff Report

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TITLE

Discussion with San Francisco Public Utilities Commission's Assistant General Manager of the Water Enterprise: Operations, Drought Planning, and Alternative Water Supply Planning

RECOMMENDATION

This is a discussion with San Francisco Public Utilities Commission's Assistant General Manager of the Water Enterprise. No Utilities Advisory Commission action is requested.

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

The City of Palo Alto receives 100% of its potable water from the San Francisco Public Utilities Commission (SFPUC) through the Hetch Hetchy Regional Water System (RWS). Approximately 85 percent of this supply is from the Tuolumne River in the Sierra Nevada, delivered through the Hetch Hetchy aqueducts, and approximately 15 percent is treated water produced by the SFPUC from its local watersheds and facilities in Alameda and San Mateo Counties. The SFPUC owns and operates the RWS which serves 2.7 million residents and thousands of businesses in the San Francisco Bay Area.

Steve Ritchie SFPUC's Assistant General Manager of the Water Enterprise will present to the UAC. Mr. Ritchie will provide an overview of SFPUC's operations, drought planning, and Alternative Water Supply Plan.

ATTACHMENTS

Attachment A: Presentation

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