



WATER SUPPLY PLANNING

MAY 20, 2025

BCC BRIEFING

2024 LEGISLATION

SB24-174

- MANDATES A WATER SUPPLY ELEMENT IN MUNICIPAL, COUNTY AND REGIONAL COMPREHENSIVE PLANS THAT MUST:
 - CONSULT AND COORDINATE WITH LOCAL WATER PROVIDERS
 - INCLUDE WATER CONSERVATION POLICIES
 - ESTIMATE A RANGE OF WATER SUPPLIES AND FACILITIES NEEDED TO SUPPORT THE POTENTIAL PUBLIC AND PRIVATE DEVELOPMENT DESCRIBED IN THE COMPREHENSIVE PLAN

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- FOCUSED ON TRANSIT ORIENTED COMMUNITIES AND WATER PROVIDERS MUST BE INVOLVED IN THE DISCUSSION OF SUPPLYING WATER TO ANY LOCALLY DESIGNATED TRANSIT CENTERS ZONED TO ALLOW A HIGHER DENSITY OF DWELLING UNITS FOR COMPLIANCE WITH THE ACT.

NEXT STEPS

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- FINALIZE COMPREHENSIVE PLAN FRAMEWORK
- FOCUS WATER PROVIDERS ON WATER SUPPLY FRAMEWORK AND PROPOSED FUTURE LAND USE RECOMMENDATIONS
- CONVENE WATER PROVIDERS

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- FINALIZE HOUSING OPPORTUNITY GOALS (HOG)
- DETERMINE WATER PROVIDERS TO INVOLVE IN THE DENSITY DISCUSSIONS
- CONVENE APPLICABLE WATER PROVIDERS

DEADLINES

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- DECEMBER 31, 2026 – WATER SUPPLY ELEMENT MUST BE INCLUDED IN THE ADOPTED COMPREHENSIVE PLAN

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- JUNE 30, 2025 – PRELIMINARY HOG REPORT DUE TO STATE
- DECEMBER 31, 2026 – FINAL HOG AND TRANSIT CENTER REPORT DUE TO STATE
- DECEMBER 31, 2027 – IDENTIFY TRANSIT CENTERS AND ZONING CAPACITY MUST MEET HOG



QUESTIONS/SUGGESTIONS?