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SCBID LAUNCHES NEW WATER ORDERING AND INFORMATION WEB PORTAL

n September 2020, South Columbia Basin Irrigation District (SCBID) introduced a new website and water ordering and information web portal. Water users can order water online through a secure web portal from their smart phone, tablet, or computer.

SCBID worked closely with the developer, Central Valley Software Solutions (CVSS) in Fresno, California, to customize the web portal so it provides our water users with the functionality and information they need. CVSS was chosen since they have provided a reliable solution to the District's water assessment software needs for two decades. They understand the complexity of the District's database and related processes and committed to supporting the latest innovations in technology and software in their products. This is evident by the

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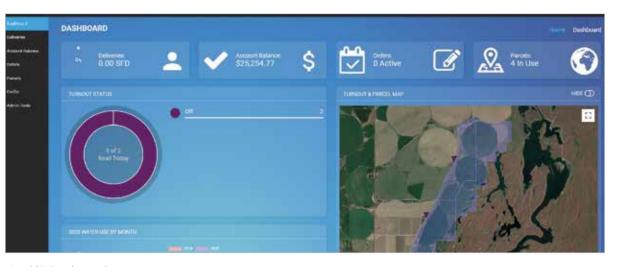
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New SCBID web portal

integrated and robust solution they have provided for the District's ditch riders and field staff who use iPads for accurate daily recording and communication of canal flows, water orders, deliveries, and field notes, which update directly into the District's database.

The web portal has been designed to provide a simplified and intuitive water ordering process. It includes comprehensive real-time information about user accounts, water orders, deliveries, and assessed land parcels. Once a user verifies their identity and account with the District, they can register on the portal and have access to all information tied to their account. A dashboard summary webpage shows totals and aggregate data, monthly water use compared to the previous season, as well as the boundary of each parcel and the location of turnout delivery points on the current Google satellite imagery map. Detailed information is accessible through each item on the dashboard and is thoughtfully laid out in tables using different colors and symbols for easy viewing of account transactions, individual turnout deliveries and orders, and water allotment associated with each parcel.

Since the District allows water allotments to be combined in complex ways, up-to-date details of water used and purchased in these combinations are also shown. Having instant access to their current combination balances is a very important feature for the District's users so they can manage their water efficiently, especially later in the season when additional water purchases may be needed. Another popular feature is the ability to download to a spreadsheet, all past account transactions, deliveries and orders within a date range so they can verify their records with that of the District at any time. These features eliminate having to contact their ditch rider or District office to obtain the same information.

The water ordering section of the web portal allows orders to be easily placed, modified, and deleted according to the District's rules and regulations. When registering, users must provide a field contact phone number so they can be contacted immediately if any issue arises with an order placed through the portal. Orders are updated directly in the database which is immediately available for download to the iPads of appropriate ditch riders. Water users who choose to continue to use the traditional paper card ordering system can also register on the portal and see their orders the same day as soon as they are entered in the database by District staff. This allows water users the option to use both the web portal and the traditional card system to order water. From within the portal, users can add authorized users to have access to their account with the ability to restrict them to specific turnouts, and limit access to other information.



By placing water orders on the web portal, water users save time as they no longer need to drop off a signed paper order card for their ditch rider. The ability to quickly submit orders also allows them to wait until later in the day to decide on the order for the following day before the deadline for order placement. They also have less chance of misidentifying the turnout for an order because a list of their turnouts and parcels is linked to map locations. The system helps guide the user with popup help notifications and built-in logic to default to the earliest possible date for an order and keep orders in succession by preventing illogical or overlapping orders. Automated validations help prevent mistakes, such as showing a notification alert if an order is placed for a flow larger than the maximum used during the prior season for the turnout.

Ditch riders benefit from the digital orders by having them immediately accessible for download to their iPads to be viewed in a standardized format, eliminating writing and illegibility issues. They also save time by not having to collect and sort through paper cards. Similarly, District staff who verify that recorded deliveries match associated water orders can carry out their task more efficiently having all the data they need being available and in a centralized place.

Although the web portal is fully operational, it continues to be refined to improve functionality and respond to the needs of the District and its water users. One such update planned for the 2021 season is the addition of a Spanish language version. Water users of the District who wish to register on the web portal should contact the District's Pasco office to obtain their account number and security access code/PIN, then follow the link posted on the District's webpage at www.scbid. org to access the login page. The District website is also an informative tool for water users. Current rates, block payout and Reclamation Reform Act information can be found on the website. It provides information regarding the Board of Director's meetings such as past meeting minutes and the upcoming agenda. The District Rules and Regulations and By-laws are available for viewing. SCBID is committed to delivering water to District users efficiently and utilizing effective communication tools.



QCBID EVALUATES FRENCHMAN HILLS PUMPING PLANT; REPLACES AGING ELECTRICAL

By: Roger Sonnichsen, Secretary-Manager, Quincy-Columbia Basin Irrigation District

n the fall of 2019 Quincy-Columbia Basin Irrigation District (QCBID) contracted with RH2 Engineering, Inc., (RH2) to assist with the evaluation of Pump units No. 1 and No. 2 in the Frenchman Hills Pumping Plant and assist with any design needs.

The Frenchman Hills Pumping Plant was constructed under a U.S. Bureau of Reclamation (Reclamation) contract as part of the Columbia Basin Project (CBP). QCBID has operated the pumping plant since 1962. Pumps No. 1 and No. 2 originally were used at South Columbia Basin Irrigation District's (SCBID) Pasco Pumping Plant before being surplused by Reclamation at Grand Coulee until construction started at Frenchman Hills. The pumping plant has a total of nine pumps. Pumps No. 1 and No. 2 are vertical shaft centrifugal pumps while the other seven pumps are horizontal split case pumps.

The completed evaluation found the Pumps No. 1 and No. 2 impellers appeared to be in overall good condition for their age, as was the suction bell. After evaluation of the costs, pros



and cons of new equipment life expectancy, and condition of exiting equipment and serviceability, QCBID has elected not to replace these units.

However, the electrical system at the pumping plant was determined to have several areas lacking. RH2 recommended replacing the Pump

No. 1 and Pump No. 2 motor starters with new soft-starters containing protection relays. RH2 has completed 90% Plans and Specifications. QCBID is on track to finalize the design with RH2 and go out bid over 2021 and see construction early 2022 to be ready for the water season in 2022.



ADMINISTRATION

By Kate Walker, Legislative Assistant, Water Strategies

he 117th Congress not only began with a new administration, but with Democrats holding a majority in both the House of Representatives and Senate. While President Biden has announced a number of appointments to form his administration, the Senate and House have only begun the process of establishing committee seats, including chairs, and ranking members--as of the writing of this article.

The confirmation process of individuals nominated for positions in the administration can take months to complete. President Biden has started the process by appointing numerous cabinet positions and deputy secretaries; however, many of the positions important to the League and water users throughout the West have not been announced. Below is a list of appointees of note to League members that have been announced and are awaiting confirmation by the Senate:

- Secretary of the Interior: Deb Haaland

- Trujillo
- **McCabe**
- Environmental Protection Agency Assistant Administrator in the Office of Water: Radhika Fox Secretary of Agriculture: Tom Vilsack
- Secretary of Energy: Jennifer Granholm
- Secretary of State: Antony Blinken

While many of the House committees remain similar to the 116th Congress, there are a few changes significant to Washington State water users, which include the following:

(R-WA)

Natural Resources: Ranking Member Rep. Bruce Westerman (R-AR) Agriculture Committee: Ranking Member Rep. GT Thompson (R-PA)

The successful elections of Jon Ossoff (D-GA) and Raphael Warnock (D-GA) resulted in Democrats taking control of the Senate. Subsequently,

NEW CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS AND

- Deputy Secretary of the Interior: Elizabeth Klein
- Bureau of Reclamation Deputy Commissioner: Maria (Camille) Touton • Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary for Water and Science: Tanya

 Environmental Protection Agency Administrator: Michael Regan Environmental Protection Agency Deputy Administrator: Janet

Deputy Secretary of Agriculture: Jewel H. Bronaugh

Energy and Commerce: Ranking Member Rep. Cathy McMorris Rodgers



Democrats will now hold leadership positions in key Senate committees including:

Energy and Natural Resources: Chairman Joe Manchin (D-WV) Environment and Public Works: Chairman Tom Carper (D-DE) Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry: Chairman Bob Casey Jr. (D-PA)

The change in leadership has led many of the leadership positions to shift to members from the eastern United States. While this poses certain challenges for western water users, it will provide the League with new opportunities to advocate on behalf of the Odessa Ground Water **Replacement Program.**

In November, the Western Caucus executive committee elected Representative Dan Newhouse (R-WA) to be Chairman of the Western Caucus. The Western Caucus is a coalition of members of Congress that work to forward the initiatives of rural, western communities. Chairman Newhouse will have the opportunity to set the agenda and priorities for the caucus. This will provide water users the opportunity to highlight important issues impacting Washington State and rural communities throughout the West.

LEAGUE BOARD HAS NEW FACES; NEW LEADERSHIP

he Columbia Basin Development League welcomed three new faces to its Board of Trustees: Jon Erickson (Othello), Russ Kehl (Quincy), and Terry Thompson (Othello).

Erickson was board appointed in November – which became effective immediately - to fulfill the term by outgoing trustee Stephen McFadden which expires at the end of 2021. McFadden, Economic Development Director for Adams County, resigned from the board in November after he accepted a job with the Port of Pasco. Both Kehl and Thompson will serve a full term, as they were elected during the League's annual meeting in November and took office this January.

Jon Erickson is on the Othello City Council elected in 2019 with his term expiring in 2023. He has lived in Othello since 2015, and works for the East Columbia Basin Irrigation District as project manager of the Odessa Ground Water Replacement Project. He is also the president of Haida Management Services LLC, a construction company.

Russ Kehl raises a variety of crops, including potatoes and dry beans. He also has a cow-calf herd, a dry bean processing facility, a custom farming business, and a trucking and logistics company. Kehl served as a director for CHS SunBasin Growers in Quincy and he has been a director since 2004 for CHS Connell Grain, which merged with CHS Sun Basin in 2017 to create CHS SunBasin Growers. Kehl was elected to the CHS Board of Directors in 2017. Kehl has participated in numerous leadership programs through Northwest Farm Credit Services, the National Potato Council and the CHS new leaders' program. He earned his National Association of Corporate Directors Governance Fellowship in 2019.

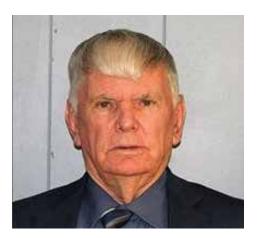
Terry Thompson is an Adams County Commissioner serving District 3 in the Othello area. He was



Jon Erickson



Russ Kehl



Terry Thompson

appointed to the position in May 2018 and elected in the November 2018 General Election. His family has grown hay, wheat, corn, beans, raised cattle and potatoes—and has been named Simplot Foods 'Potato Grower of the Year'. He is a resident of Othello and for over a decade served as a Port of Othello Commissioner; an Othello Community Hospital Board member for seven years; the Adams County Fair Board for 25 years; and Othello Livestock Sales Committee for 15 years. He has a strong understanding of water issues in the Columbia Basin and continues to support efforts to fund the Odessa Ground Water Replacement Project and completion of the Columbia Basin Project.

Additionally, the League elected new officers for its Board of Trustees for 2021.

Matt Harris will serve as Chairman, with Dale Pomeroy as Vice Chair, Clark Kagele returning as Secretary, and Orman Johnson returning as Treasurer. Current chairman Mark Stedman will serve as Past Chair.

Harris is Director of Governmental Affairs for the Washington State Potato Commission and lives in Moses Lake. Pomeroy is a commissioner for the Port of Warden, his hometown. Kagele is a farmer from Odessa, and Johnson is a farmer from Connell.

Besides officers, the Board chose its executive committee for 2021, which includes officers plus four at-large positions. The at-large members are Bill Wagoner, technical services manager for National Frozen Foods in Quincy; Rich Burres, manager of ag services for Lamb Weston in Kennewick; Kevin Lyle, a farmer from Othello; and Alice Parker, a farmer from Royal City.

All elected officers and executive committee members began serving January 1, 2021.

MOVING FORWARD IN FISCAL YEAR 2021

By Kate Walker, Legislative Assistant, Water Strategies

he Columbia Basin Development League's (League) continued advocacy efforts, and the hard work of members of the Washington congressional delegation, have once again benefited Columbia Basin Project stakeholders.

The Bureau of Reclamation (Reclamation) announced the distribution of additional funds for Columbia Basin Project (CBP) projects from the Consolidation Appropriations Act passed in December of 2020. These funds are in addition to budgeted fiscal year 2021 funding. Reclamation provided funds for Odessa Groundwater Replacement Project (OGWRP), Potholes Supplemental Feed Route, and Pasco Groundwater Management as follows: \$222,000 additional capability for OGWRP physical modeling for EL 22.1 and EL 79.2 and design support for those systems as well as other project advancement. • Mitigate the negative impact to Troutlodge and Grant County Airport of using the natural channel of Crab Creek to ensure adequate water delivery to Potholes Reservoir for South District supplies. • \$500,000 for 508-14 or the Pasco Basin, a Reclamation ground water mound accumulated from unused CBP water, CBP seepage, and return flows. [Funds will be used to establish program rules and guidelines in coordination with the Washington Department of Ecology for use

- of the water.]

Looking forward to fiscal year 2022, the League will continue to work with the Washington State delegation on appropriations and, like previous years, will submit requests to Senator Murray, Senator Cantwell, Representative Newhouse, Representative McMorris

Rodgers, Representative Herrera Beutler, and Representative Schrier, for OGWRP. In addition, the League will submit report language to Congress highlighting the importance of the Columbia Basin Project and the OGWRP.

President Biden has yet to nominate a Reclamation commissioner or a deputy secretary of water and science although candidates have been identified as of the writing of this article. It is unclear when the president's budget will be released; however, the League will continue to advocate for inclusion of the CBP.

Additionally, the League will ask Congress to prioritize water infrastructure in any transportation or infrastructure legislation, to fund the WaterSMART grants program in its fiscal year 2022 energy and water appropriations, to pass the Water Supply Infrastructure Rehabilitation and Utilization Act, and to authorize the U.S. Department of Agriculture's Environmental Quality Incentives Program at increased levels. By supporting these vital programs, Congress has an opportunity to address our nation's aging water infrastructure and provide the needed funding to support rural water projects across the country, including the CBP.

ADVANCING GROUND WATER PERMITTING IN THE CBP

enate Bill 5230 surfaced in the 2021 Legislative session to provide authority for Ecology to enter into agreements with the Bureau of Reclamation to create a ground water permitting program like that which currently exists in the Quincy Basin ground water management area. The League supports the bill.

The current ground water code, RCW 90.44.130, was enacted in 1945 when Columbia Basin Project (CBP) construction was just getting underway. It provided a method for entities who were operating traditional aquifer storage and recovery projects to make claims on the water they stored for their continued use. Ecology, in the early 1970's, created three ground water management subareas in the CBP area, the Quincy Basin, Odessa Subarea and the 508-14. 508-14 is the original Washington Administrative Code chapter number and the area is now known as the Pasco Basin. They recognized that CBP operations, delivering over three million-acre feet of water annually to the region, was having a significant impact on the ground water in the region. Reclamation at that time claimed the shallow groundwater present in the Quincy Basin, and a program was established to access the water.

A USGS study completed in 2016 characterized the ground water in Pasco Basin and estimated that 6.8-million-acre feet of water had accumulated from CBP waste, seepage and return flows. The water is Reclamation water; the state legislative bill simply advances efforts for Reclamation to use the water in deliveries to landowners. Ecology has provided technical assistance with the language and Reclamation has reviewed it and believes it meets their needs.

RECLAMATION – A REVIEW OF OGWRP IMPLEMENTATION

By: Jennifer Hickenbottom, Project Manager, Bureau of Reclamation

eclamation, working with project partners, has invested over \$40 million in federal Inding into the Odessa Ground Water Replacement Program (OGWRP) and supporting activities since 2005. Prior to the completion of the Odessa Subarea Special Study EIS from 2009 to 2011, Reclamation was able to capitalize on the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act funds and complete the Weber Branch Siphon, the Weber Coulee Siphon and Weber Wasteway Repair as components of increasing the capacity of the East Low Canal. Yet, it wasn't until 2018 with the reevaluation of the benefit/ cost ratio, that federal funding could be used for the Odessa Ground Water Replacement Program (OGWRP). With the completion of the 44 miles of canal widening and improvements, and completion of the design and construction of the five new siphons and two new radial gates, Reclamation and project partners (East Columbia Basin Irrigation District and Washington State Department of Ecology), supported the decision to use the FY19 federal funds to purchase the remaining five radial gates. This would complete the increased capacity of the East Low Canal, the backbone of the OGWRP (except for needed bridges as discussed in the December Voice of the Project newsletter).

Beginning in 2014, ECBID, Ecology and Reclamation began the implementation of the Odessa Special Study FEIS with the strategy that is known as OGWRP. OGWRP in its entirety, encompasses a multitude of components that must be implemented in a coordinated, strategic manner. All of the OGWRP projects are interconnected, making it difficult to move forward with one project without having planned out the timing, order and funding of the other projects. In total, the implementation



of OGWRP consists of constructing five new siphons, constructing and installing seven radial gates, widening and improving approximately 44 miles of canal, modifying or replacing 12 county road bridges, and design and construction of currently, eight pumping plants and nine delivery systems. This, in conjunction with the renewal master water service contract between Reclamation and ECBID, declining municipal and domestic water supplies, multiple power entities with differing procedures, and federal, state, and local governments each with their own policies, highlight the overlapping layers of coordination.

Although Reclamation may not be front and center of this high-profile endeavor, they still have a critical role, and they aim to provide the support and guidance that is necessary for OGWRP to be a success. Reclamation is responsible for: operating CBP infrastructure and distributing federally owned water resources consistent with Federal law and regulations; Approving all master water service contracts with CBP irrigation districts for delivery of water and repayment of project development costs; and Providing technical assistance to ECBID on varying aspects of implementation (Environmental and Cultural compliance, realty acquisition, design review and support, and construction oversight).

Radial Gates: Reclamation has designed and purchased the five remaining radial gates (\$1.6million). The contract for the gates is nearly complete; and Reclamation is working closely with ECBID in the installation of the gates. Due to unforeseen substantial pre-construction work needs, installation has been delayed. No gates will be installed this year. ECBID plans to install all five gates in winter of 2021/2022.

Siphons: Reclamation provided designs for all siphons; with upcoming final inspection of the last two siphons (Kansas Prairie 1 & 2).

Pumping Plants & Delivery Systems: Reclamation is providing environmental compliance, cultural compliance, and easement acquisition for all of the systems. Reclamation is also providing design support and review, with the option of completing designs for each of the systems. Finally, Reclamation is providing the construction oversight for each of the systems. With the completion of the EL47.5, Reclamation has been working closely with ECBID, Ecology, IRZ and the EL22.1 Landowners Association, towards the completion of the 30% designs on the EL22.1 System. Reclamation also has resources ready to assist with the EL11.8 and EL79.2 designs when needed.

USDA NRCS RCPP: Reclamation also provided backing to a recent RCPP EL79.2 NRCS grant proposal in the form of in-kind services, and a joint letter of support with Ecology and ECBID.

WEBINAR EXPLORES LAKE ROOSEVELT WATER RIGHTS ADJUDICATION

By: Andy Dunau, Executive Director, Lake Roosevelt Forum

Since implementation of Washington's water code in 1917, adjudication is the statutory tool used to quantify and prioritize state water right claims. The Washington Department of Ecology's 2020 "Water Resources Adjudication Assessment Legislative Report" identified Lake Roosevelt as one of two priority watersheds to resolve water rights uncertainties and disputes through adjudication. The Lake Roosevelt Forum is partnering with the Department of Ecology, the Columbia Basin Development League and others to plan a spring 'Upper Columbia Water Resources Webinar' to explore federal, state, tribal, community and stakeholder knowledge and perspectives regarding the state's recommendation. Stay tuned for more information on a webinar date and how to register.

Governor Inslee's biennium budget submitted to the state legislature includes funding to proceed with water rights adjudication for Lake Roosevelt and the Nooksack watersheds. The Lake Roosevelt adjudication would include the Upper Columbia River impounded above Grand Coulee Dam and the watershed drainage (WRIA 58) between Kettle Falls and the Spokane River at Fort Spokane.

A key uncertainty Ecology wants to address with adjudication relates to U.S. Bureau of Reclamation held state water rights for waters distributed to the Columbia Basin Project. These water rights could be affected by tribal claims. The Colville Tribes use a priority date of 1872 to claim water of over 470,000 acre-feet per year from Lake Roosevelt and WRIA 58. The Colville Tribe has petitioned to have their Federal Reserved Rights quantified and the adjudication process is a way to accomplish that. The process will also determine how other state water law rights utilizing the same water source are potentially impacted.

Andy Dunau, Executive Director of the Lake Roosevelt Forum said, "we'll schedule the webinar to be after the legislative session so everyone is clear how much funding is available for Ecology to proceed." Regardless of funding, webinar sponsors agree it is a good time for stakeholders to better understand how adjudication works, timeframes, perspectives, and whether adjudication could affect Columbia Basin irrigation, the Columbia River Treaty, or tribal appropriation of water. Additional presentations will include updates on infrastructure projects that are transitioning up to 90,000 acres of farmland from the declining Odessa aquifer in the Columbia Basin Project to surface water irrigation.

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QUOTE OF THE QUARTER

PROGRESS ALWAYS INVOLVES RISKS. YOU CAN'T STEAL SECOND BASE AND KEEP YOUR FOOT ON FIRST.

- Author, Frederick B. Wilcox

BUILDING THE OGWRP PYRAMIDS: FOCUS ON EL 79.2

By: Jed Crowther, Development Coordinator, East Columbia Basin Irrigation District

ave you ever wondered how the great pyramids were built? Or the Columbia Basin Project?

For the Odessa Groundwater Replacement Program (OGWRP), my role is to:

- Sync the Groundwater Replacement Goal.
- Work the Water Delivery Plan.
- Lead Coordinated Development Action.

The result – carefully connected together – forms a strong and lasting pyramid.

Likewise, each delivery system can become a pyramid of progress for generations to follow. Here we examine EL 79.2, which is currently in the design phase.

EL 79.2 Delivery System Development Key elements like design parameters and funding—as noted in the above article--affect implementation.

Design Process

EL 79.2 landowners asked ECBID to manage the design process and pledged specific parcels/acres to be included in design review, established by the EL 79.2 Design Agreement. Landowners contributed \$20 per acre, \$223,750, to create conceptual design for 11,188 acres, coupled with a Department of Commerce Planning Grant for \$169,750.

The District performed the public procurement process and selected RH2 to evaluate design. RH2 completed a preliminary evaluation of design options/costs. From the engineering study, Scenario 4 was selected by landowners and ECBID, with two pump stations, located at



approximately EL 80.6 and EL 84.7, documented by the Scoping Study Report.

Scope

The 11,188-acre design corresponds with full capacity to serve all landowner-pledged acres. This project scope serves to ensure the most efficient delivery system for participating parcels, by minimizing design changes and extra capacity that would unfairly increase landowner costs. However, legislators support designing additional future capacity by offering substantial funding to "buy-down" the cost of the project and/or add extra capacity. We recognize the significant effort involved in legislative work including appropriations to support OGWRP, but the benefits are optimized when advocacy links correctly with implementation.

The Odessa Groundwater Replacement Program (OGWRP) Preferred Alternative is strictly for groundwater replacement, not to add extra capacity for unrelated expansion. So, it is important to follow OGWRP for groundwater replacement, and to "fit the funding to the program" (rather than seek to change or dismiss the program). Upsized delivery systems could

leave capacity underutilized and cost more per acre served; like the EL 47.5 system with 8,521 contract acres, but with 1,979 acres uncommitted, resulting in higher costs instead of added efficiency.

OGWRP Capital Funding

The Preliminary Capital Budget for OGWRP (\$16 million) is currently proposed in the state budget. Our coalition of project partners prefer to maintain broad program funding flexibility for overall OGWRP benefit. Allocating the entire \$16 million amount solely to one project might add focus, but it limits flexibility. If the full \$16 million is tied up in design, then construction dollars can't be put to best use.

This concern has already been experienced with the EL 22.1 delivery system funding that was approved by the Capital Budget in April 2018 for \$15 million, but it is still working on the first \$2 million to achieve 30% design, and to determine costs and participants. In hindsight, the \$15 million could have been awarded to OGWRP in general, and utilized for the designs of multiple delivery systems.

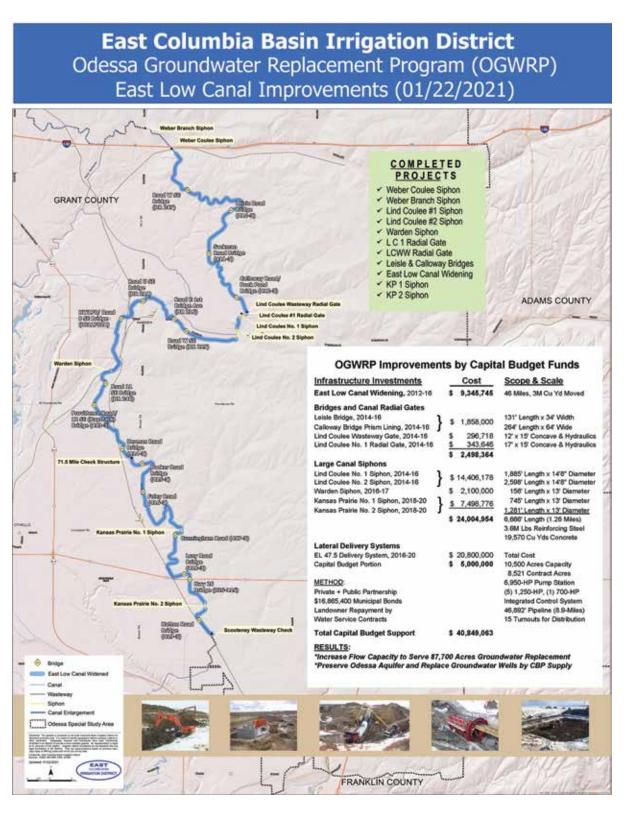
Uniform Capital Cost Policy

Cost normalization of OGWRP district delivery systems was established by ECBID board policy, with the intent to develop the overall program for similar cooperative participation and benefit. Therefore, the savings achieved by all grant funding sources combined, result in lower overall normalized cost per acre. As outside grant funds are received, they reduce the amount needed to borrow for designing and building the delivery systems.

If landowners, legislators, and funding partners come together under this district cost normalization policy, we can avoid individual systems competing against each other and promote collective, mutual benefit.

Additional capital funding needs are anticipated to be fulfilled via municipal bond financing. Lower interest rates are available, now, that would favor advancing projects through design to become construction ready, thus utilizing capital budget contributions more effectively.

In summary, we appreciate legislative funding support and value effective planning details. Let's link the OGWRP goal, plan, and action – to build a sustainable future.



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