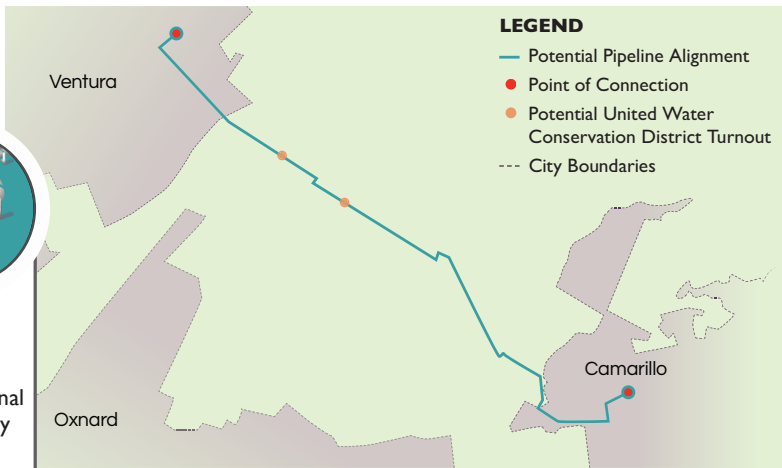


# State Water Interconnection Project

## A Timely Approach to Water Diversification

While the City has been fortunate enough to rely solely on local water resources, more persistent droughts and increased water demands, as well as new opportunities for regional collaboration, have made the proposed State Water Interconnection Project a viable backup supply option.



### State Water

The State Water Interconnection allows for additional clean water supply to be available, especially when it is dry locally but raining in Northern California.

## Benefiting Regional Water Security

The proposed Interconnection consists of a seven-mile pipeline that would connect from Calleguas Municipal Water District's system to the City of Ventura. The pipeline would enable the delivery of State Water to Ventura. Since 1971, the City of Ventura has owned rights to a 10,000 acre foot a year water entitlement through the California State Water Project.

The Interconnection between Ventura and Calleguas (shown above) would allow for a beneficial water exchange, especially important for emergency response and when local supplies are impacted. Water from the State would also improve water quality by supplementing the City's groundwater supplies. Additionally, the Interconnection would promote regional benefits by facilitating the delivery of State Water to United Water Conservation District and Casitas Municipal Water District.

## Next Steps



## Partnership Driven

The proposed Interconnection is made possible through the collaboration and commitments between agencies with the shared goal of enhancing local and regional water security. By partnering to bring State Water to multiple agencies, the project is economically advantageous and meets a regional water need..



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