MOJAVE WATER AGENCY

About MWA: The Mojave Water Agency, located in San Bernardino County, was established in 1960 to correct the overdraft of the basin. The Agency is one of 29 Contractors with rights to take delivery of State Water Project water from the California Aqueduct to replenish the service area when the use of groundwater resources exceeds the long-term average annual supply. MWA is governed by a 7-member Board of Directors.

- Service Area: 4,900 square miles
- Population Served: 509,915
- Disadvantaged Population: 95%
- Imported MWA Water: 100% from State Water Project

WHY ARE THE STATE WATER PROJECT AND DELTA CONVEYANCE PROJECT IMPORTANT TO THE HIGH DESERT?

"The Delta Conveyance Project isn’t about access to additional water. This project supports the investments we have already made in imported water, making its delivery to our region more dependable."

Adnan Anabtawi, General Manager, MWA

"Mojave Water Agency’s options for replenishing our groundwater are limited. For example, because we are non-coastal, desalination is cost-prohibitive. This makes imported water not only vital, but our only affordable option to replace the water we need for our communities."

Mike Page, Board of Directors, MWA

Modernizing California’s Water Infrastructure
The Delta Conveyance Project (DCP) is a proposal to modernize water infrastructure in the Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta by creating an additional point of diversion along the Sacramento River coupled with conveyance facilities in the Delta. The DCP is intended to restore and protect the reliability of State Water Project (SWP) and to ensure California’s largest supply of clean water is climate resilient.