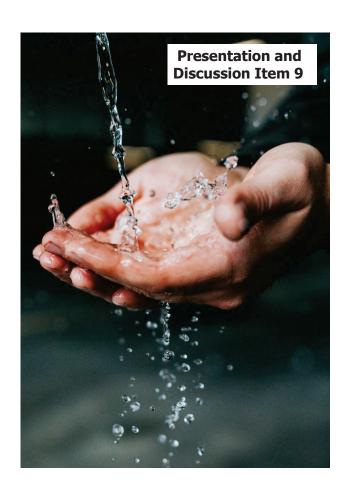


# **2025 PUBLIC HEALTH GOALS REPORT**

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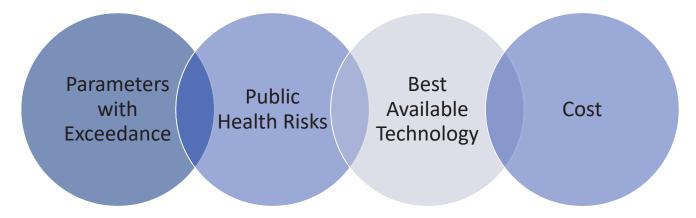
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#### Public Health Goals Reporting

Triennial reporting for all California Public Water Systems





### Parameters with Exceedances

Parameter	Unit	PHG or MCLG	MCL	DLR	Concentration Groundwater	Concentration Surface Water*
INORGANIC CHEMICALS						
Arsenic	μg/L	0.004	10	2	ND – 3	ND
Chromium, Hexavalent	μg/L	0.02	10	0.1	ND - 0.8	ND
DISINFECTION BYPRODUCTS						
Bromate	μg/L	0.1	10	1	ND	ND - 2.4
RADIOACTIVITY						
Gross Alpha Particle Activity	pCi/L	(0)	15	3	ND - 3.58	ND
Gross Beta Particle Activity	pCi/L	(0)	50 <sup>[2]</sup>	4	NA	ND – 6
Uranium	pCi/L	0.43	20	1	1.08 - 1.78	ND – 2

<sup>\*</sup>Surface water is emergency import water connection.

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#### Public Health Risk

Parameter	Category of Risk	Cancer Risk at PHG or MCLG	Cancer Risk at MCL
INORGANIC CHEMICALS			
Arsenic	Carcinogen	1x10 <sup>-6</sup>	2.5x10 <sup>-3</sup>
Chromium, Hexavalent	Carcinogen	1x10 <sup>-6</sup>	5x10 <sup>-4</sup>
DISINFECTION BYPRODUCTS			
Bromate	Carcinogen	1x10 <sup>-6</sup>	1x10 <sup>-4</sup>
RADIOACTIVITY			
Gross Alpha Particle Activity	Carcinogen	0	1x10 <sup>-3</sup>
Gross Beta Particle Activity	Carcinogen	0	2x10 <sup>-3</sup>
Uranium	Carcinogen	1x10 <sup>-6</sup>	5x10 <sup>-5</sup>



# Best Available Technology

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INORGANIC CHEMICALS	
Arsenic	activated alumina, coagulation/filtration, granular ferric oxide resin, <b>ion exchange</b> , lime softening, oxidation/filtration, reverse osmosis
Chromium, Hexavalent	reduction/coagulation/filtration, ion exchange with weak base anion resin
DISINFECTION BYPRODUCTS	
Bromate	coagulation/filtration, granular activated carbon, reverse osmosis
RADIOACTIVITY	
Gross Alpha Particle Activity	reverse osmosis
Gross Beta Particle Activity	ion exchange, reverse osmosis
Uranium	reverse osmosis



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#### **Estimated Treatment Costs**

Parameter	Aggregate Cost Per Year*	Cost Per Connection Per Year*
INORGANIC CHEMICALS		
Arsenic	\$12,010,000	\$490
Chromium, Hexavalent	\$12,760,000 - \$53,360,000	\$520 - \$2,200
DISINFECTION BYPRODUCTS		
Bromate	\$9,700 - \$18,400**	\$0.40 - \$0.75**
RADIOACTIVITY		
Gross Alpha Particle Activity	\$15,500,000 - \$24,300,000***	\$635 - \$995***
Gross Beta Particle Activity	\$10,900**	\$0.45**
Uranium	\$15,500,000 - \$24,300,000***	\$635 - \$995***

<sup>\*</sup>Theoretical costs to achieve PHG/MCLG are estimated based on BAT for treatment to MCL.



<sup>\*\*</sup>Low costs due to limited use of emergency import water connection.

<sup>\*\*\*</sup>Centralized treatment of all supplies with reverse osmosis.

