

Engineering, Operations & Technology Committee Prestressed Concrete Cylinder Pipe Rehabilitation Program Update

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Subject

Update on PCCP Rehabilitation Program

Purpose

Provide briefing on background & status of the PCCP Rehabilitation Program

Next Steps

Continue implementation of the PCCP Rehabilitation Program

PCCP Rehab Program Update





Prestressed Concrete Cylinder Pipe (PCCP)



Broken Prestressing Wires



Steel Cylinder

PCCP Rehabilitation Program Background

- Dec. 1999 AMP Break
- Sep. 2011 Authorized development of PCCP Rehabilitation program
 - Initiate a comprehensive long-term program for monitoring & rehabilitation of PCCP
 - Increase overall system reliability
 - Reduce risk of potential PCCP failure
 - Reduce unplanned outages
- Sep. 2013 Started implementation
- Jan. 2015 First rehabilitation project
- Jan. 2017 Adopted Programmatic EIR



1999 Allen-McColloch Pipeline Break

PCCP Management Strategy

- Continue regular inspection & monitoring
 - Visual & electromagnetic inspections
 - Investigate new technologies
 - Monitor stray currents & install drain stations
 where necessary
- Perform repair of distressed segments as needed
- Plan & execute long-term rehabilitation
 - Identify & prioritize reaches
 - Reline or replace pipelines based on priority of individual reaches
 - Adjust priorities as needed



Second Lower Feeder Relining

Electromagnetic Inspections

2023/2024 PCCP Inspections

Pipeline	Miles
Allen-McColloch Pipeline	8.70
West Valley Feeder No. 2	2.85
Calabasas Feeder	9.31
Orange County Feeder Relocation	0.87
San Jacinto Pipeline	0.56
Total	22.29



Electromagnetic Inspection

Acoustic Fiber Optic (AFO) Monitoring

- Uses fiber optic cable to detect wire breaks in real-time
- Pilot completed in Mar. 2015
 - Second Lower Feeder at Long Beach airport
 - Removed after relining (two years)
 - Effective in detecting wire breaks
 - Monitoring is costly
 - Best utilized when regular electromagnetic inspection not feasible
- Planned installation for Foothill Feeder
 - February 2026



AFO Monitoring Visualization

Investigating New Technologies

- PipeDiver inspection of Sepulveda Feeder
- Competitive comparison of electromagnetic inspection
 - Pure Technologies
 - INSIGHT Water Technologies
 - APPIA Pipeline Solutions





PipeDiver Inspection Tool

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Stray Current Monitoring & Drain Stations



Stray Current Monitoring

Drilling for Anodes

Anode Installation



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Individual Segment Repairs





Sepulveda Feeder Urgent Carbon Fiber Lining

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PCCP Rehabilitation Prioritization

- Condition Criteria
 - Wire breaks, repair history, broken backs, other industry-recognized factors
- Consequence Criteria
 - Pressure, criticality, location
- Developed Risk Score/Ranking
 - Separate score for each pipe schedule
 - Based on highest score for each feeder
- Selected 5 priority lines for rehabilitation
 - Continue to reevaluate priorities after every inspection cycle
- Maintain flexibility to make adjustments



Allen-McColloch Pipeline Relining

PCCP Rehabilitation Program



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Sepulveda Feeder

- Resequencing
 - Accelerating North Reach to accommodate potential Stage 2 pumping
 - Proceeding from North to South
- Challenges
 - Large diameter
 - 120-inch, 96-inch, & 84-inch diameter
 - Anticipate higher costs
 - Extensive traffic control, permitting
- Current Status
 - Preliminary Design completed
 - Final Design underway (Reaches 1, 2, & 9)



PCCP Rehabilitation Program Constraints

- System Limitations
 - System ability to accommodate shutdowns
 - Outage duration & impacts to member agencies
- Resource Limitations
 - Staff ability to perform corrective & preventative maintenance
 - Contractor availability & resources
- Permitting
 - Traffic control
 - Work hours & noise variances
- Budget Limitations
 - CIP biennial budget

PCCP Rehabilitation Program Schedule



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PCCP Rehabilitation Program Cash Flow



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PCCP Rehabilitation Program Budget

Feeder	Budget	Work Completed
Second Lower	\$696,232,000	• 16.5 miles relined (55%)
Sepulveda	\$1,383,900,000	• 1.6 miles relined (4%)
Rialto	\$546,632,000	Completing prelim. design
Calabasas	\$160,423,000	Prelim. design underway
Allen-McColloch	\$320,152,000	• 3.2 miles completed or underway (35%)
Other	\$40,182,000	
Total	\$3,147,521,000	• 21.3 miles total relined (21%)

Next Steps

- Continue PCCP Rehabilitation Program Strategy
 - Comprehensive rehabilitation based on risk priority
 - Complete preliminary designs
- Planned Inspections
 - Rialto Pipeline, Second Lower Feeder, San Diego Pipeline No. 5
 - 37.7 miles total
- Upcoming Board Actions
 - Late 2024 Agreement for Rialto Pipeline PCCP Rehabilitation Final Design

