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Imperial IRWMP Project Evaluation and Ranking Criteria

Criteria	Weight	Performance Measure	Reviewer Score	Project Score
IRWMP Goals				
Water Supply Goal	Diversify the regional water supply portfolio to ensure a long-term, verifiable, reliable, and sustainable supply to meet current and future demands			
1. Effect to agricultural users of water.	2	<i>Does the project have an effect to water supplies historically available to agriculture?</i>		0
2. Improve Water Supply.	3	<i>Does the project provide a firm, verifiable, and sustainable supply that contributes to the regional goal of 50 to 100 thousand acre-feet per year for municipal, commercial, or industrial demands by 2025?</i>		0
3. Protect Surface Water Rights, maintain Colorado River yields.	4	<i>Would the project optimize and sustain use of Colorado River entitlements through development of groundwater storage of underruns?</i>		0
4. Conserves Colorado River Supplies.	4	<i>Would the project implement water conservation measures that demonstrate reasonable beneficial use and maintain consistency with established industry standards, state, and federal requirements?</i>		0
5. Support for in-lieu uses or substitution for Colorado River Water.	4	<i>Would the project provide a source of supply that could be used as a substitute for a current use of Colorado River supplies, and allow for reapportionment within the Imperial Region?</i>		0
6. Integrate Resource Management Strategies.	2	<i>Will the project apply or integrate Resource Management Strategies?</i>		0
7. Plan Consistency.	2	<i>Is the project consistent with City and County General Plan, State or Federal Land Use Plan, UWMP, or existing Capital Facility Plan?</i>		0
8. Groundwater Rights.	1	<i>Will the project protect correlative groundwater rights or optimize the use of groundwater?</i>		0
Water Supply Goal Score Subtotal				0
Water Quality Goal	Protect water quality for beneficial use consistent with regional community interests and the RWQCB Basin Plan through cooperation with stakeholders, local, and state agencies.			
1. Match Water Quality to use.	2	<i>Would the project make beneficial use of poor quality water and provide economic benefits?</i>		0
2. Support DACs- Wastewater.	1	<i>Would the project support DACs in meeting wastewater disposal and permit requirements; create economies of scale; and provide recycled water and reuse opportunities to extend Colorado River supplies?</i>		0
3. Support DACs- Drinking Water	4	<i>Would the project support DACs in meeting drinking water standards, protecting public health, or creating economies of scale?</i>		0
4. Effect on Existing Waterways	2	<i>Could the project affect the water quality of drains or rivers?</i>		0
5. Comply with Total Maximum Daily Loads (TMDLs)	1	<i>Would the project help the region comply with Regional Water Quality Control Board Requirements or implement to stormwater BMPs?</i>		0
6. Preserve or Improve	2	<i>Would the project preserve or improve quality of groundwater resources?</i>		0
Water Quality Goal Score Subtotal				0
Environmental Protection and Enhancement Goal	Protect and enhance aquatic ecosystems and wildlife habitat consistent with municipal, commercial, industrial, and agricultural land uses.			
1. Environmental Enhancements	3	<i>Would the project increase or improve habitat or support mitigation of other impacts?</i>		0
2. Integrated Design Elements	2	<i>Does the project integrate environmental, open space, parks, or other recreational elements into the design to achieve multiple benefits?</i>		0
Environmental Enhancement Goal Score Subtotal				0
Flood Protection and Stormwater Management Goal	Protect life and property from flooding and develop regional and local flood protection and stormwater management strategies.			
1. Reduce impacts from stormwater events	2	<i>Would the project help to reduce economic damages; and protect life and property from localized stormwater events and runoff from urban areas?</i>		0
Flood Goal Score Subtotal				0
Percent Total Score= 48.3%		IRWMP Goals Subtotal Score		0
Strategic Considerations for IRWM Plan Implementation				
1. Public Acceptance/Public	3	<i>Will the project be able to gain public support from the rate paying population?</i>		0
2. Cost Effectiveness	3	<i>Is the cost per acre foot of yield competitive with the other projects in the Region?</i>		0
3. Equitable cost sharing	2	<i>Do the entities that receive the benefits pay for the costs of producing those benefits?</i>		0
4. Promote Economic Development	3	<i>Does the project provide measurable economic benefits to Imperial Region in terms of net economic activity, job creation, and revenue generation to IID, Imperial County and Cities?</i>		0

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Percent Total Score=	18.3%	Strategic Considerations for IRWM Plan Implementation Subtotal		0
Readiness to Proceed Category				
1. Timeliness	2	<i>Does the project have the ability for Stakeholders to act quickly to implement a project or program without the need for new agreements or additional funding?</i>		0
2. Technical Feasibility of Project	4	<i>Does the project have technical documentation to evaluate the technical feasibility of the project?</i>		0
3. Environmental Compliance	2	<i>Does the project have environmental documentation and clearance?</i>		0
4. Permitting	1	<i>Does the project have permits or a plan to obtain permits?</i>		0
5. Funding	5	<i>Are the project funding sources well defined?</i>		0
Percent Total Score=	21.1%	Readiness to Proceed Subtotal		0
Other CDWR Statewide IRWMP Criteria				
1. Provides multiple benefits	5	<i>Does the project provide a range of supply, water quality, flood, ecosystem, conservation, recreation, or other benefits?</i>		0
2. Involves multiple participants and stakeholders	2	<i>Does the project include multiple stakeholders and participants?</i>		0
3. Provides regional benefits	4	<i>Does the project provide tangible regional benefits or only to a single or limited stakeholder group?</i>		0
4. State Program Preferences	2	<i>Does the project support meet the state preferences?</i>		0
5. Statewide Priorities	2	<i>Does the project support meet the statewide priorities?</i>		0
6. Climate Change Adaption	2	<i>Would the project support the region adaption to climate change or reduce the vulnerability to the effects of climate change?</i>		0
7. Greenhouse Gas Emissions Contribution- Project	1	<i>Does the project affect greenhouse gas emissions in the region?</i>		0
8. Greenhouse Gas Emissions - Support to Renewable Energy	2	<i>Does the project support expansion of renewable energy portfolio for the Region or State?</i>		0
Percent Total Score=	12.2%	Other CDWR Statewide IRWMP Criteria Subtotal		0
			Total Project Score	0