

# **Committee on Energy Resources and the Environment**

NARUC  Summer  
Policy Summit

# **Committee on Energy Resources & the Environment and Committee on Water**

**What Do Water Reuse,  
Wastewater treatment, and  
Clean Energy Have in Common?  
Brewing of Course.**

# WATER/ENERGY/WASTE INFRASTRUCTURE PARTNERSHIPS





# Veolia is the global leader in optimized resource management: **WATER** **ENERGY** & **WASTE** solutions

**163**  
years of service

**\$25.7**  
billion revenue

**163,000**  
employees  
on 5 continents



Water Company  
of the Year:  
**VEOLIA**



**GLOBAL WATER  
AWARDS 2016**  
Recognising Excellence  
19 April Emirates Palace, Abu Dhabi, UAE

MORE THAN  
**2,000**  
PATENTS FILED



**6**  
RESEARCH  
CENTERS  
3 of them  
specialized

# Proven Industry Leader in North America

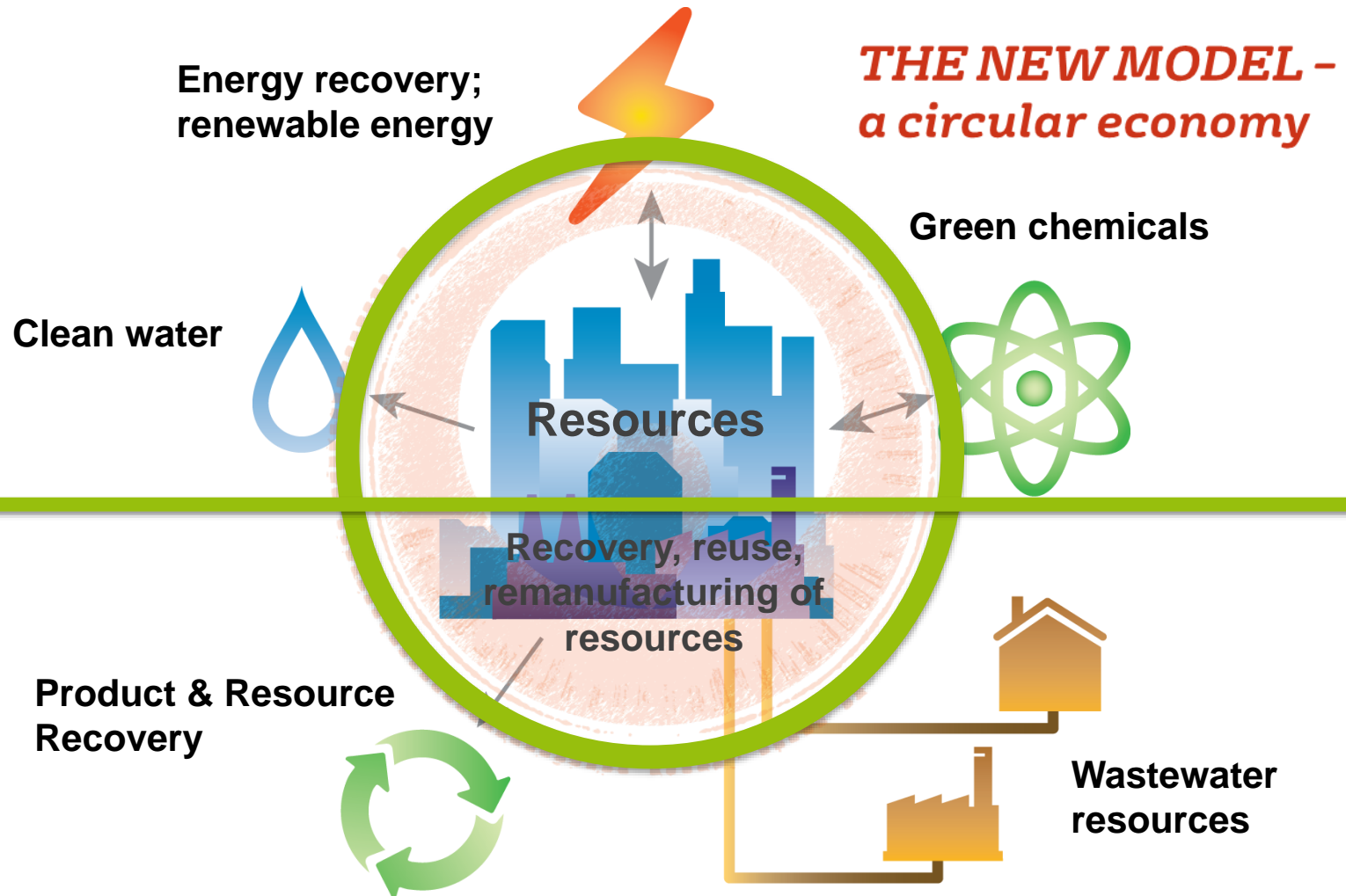


**530** cities

**#1** district  
energy portfolio

**#1** water  
partnership company

# We believe in a circular future



# Veolia's Municipal Level Engagement - Facilitating the Water/Energy/Waste Nexus



**Milwaukee, WI**  
630-MGD combined  
plant design flow  
(Veolia OM&M  
project since 2008)

- LFG/digester gas utilization via cogeneration
- Milorganite® pellet production – fertilizer
- Water Carbon Footprint Study
- Embarking on Resiliency Study (100 RC)



**Gresham, OR**  
20-MGD plant  
design flow  
(Veolia OM&M  
project since 2005)

- Digester gas utilization in CHP
- Cogidestion of fats, oil, and grease (FOG)
- Net Zero Energy Wastewater Facility



**Wilmington, DE**  
134-MGD plant  
design flow  
(Veolia OM&M  
project since 1985)

- LFG/digester gas utilization via cogeneration
- Pellet fertilizer utilizing waste heat



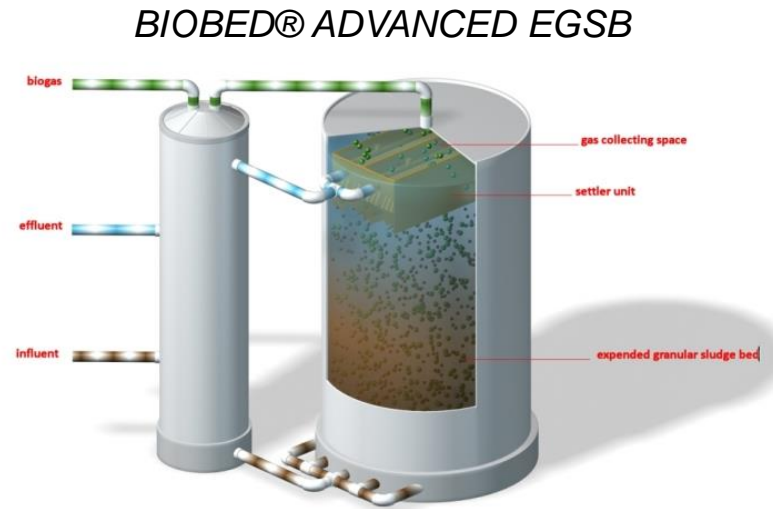
**New Orleans, LA**  
142-MGD combined  
plant design flow  
(Veolia OM&M  
project since 1992)

- RC 100 Resiliency Study
- 60 day response to Hurricane Katrina
- Continue to help City to implement Resiliency Projects



# Veolia's Industry Level Engagement – Facilitating the Water/Energy/Waste Nexus

- Biothane digestion technology and wastewater treatment applied in over 100 breweries globally.
- Example of distributed approach creating energy for the brewery while reducing wastewater impacts on centralized infrastructure.



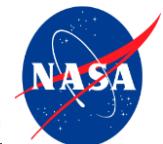


# Example of Distributed Water/Energy/Waste Nexus Integration at the Neighborhood Level - ECOBLOCK

- UC Berkley led demonstration project: deep-energy/water neighborhood retrofits.
- Phase 1: CEC – EPIC Grant and corporate/pro-bono support \$2.8 M.
- Phase 2: \$10M D/B prototype EcoBlock and pending CEC approval early 2018.
- Model can be applied to urban planning across CA, the US, and the World.

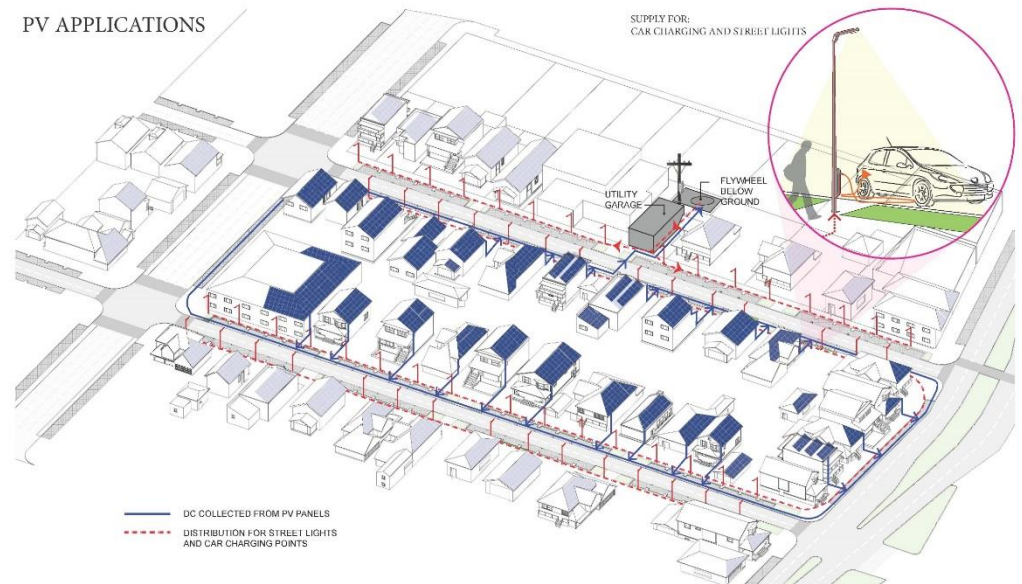


ENERGY  
SOLUTIONS



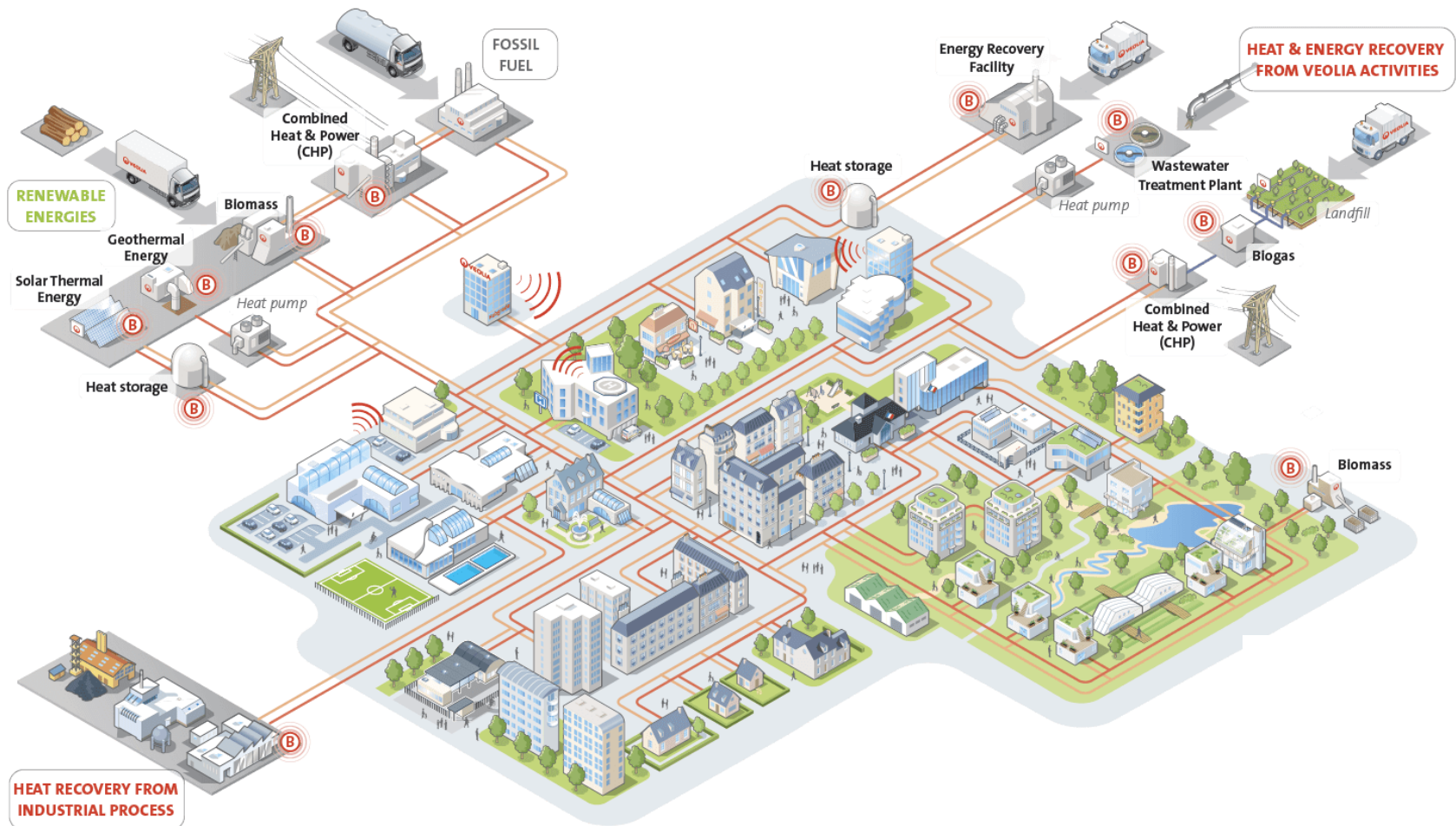
PV APPLICATIONS

SUPPLY FOR:  
CAR CHARGING AND STREET LIGHTS



# Veolia's Integration of Resource Recovery

## *Distributed and Centralized Resource Recovery Integration*



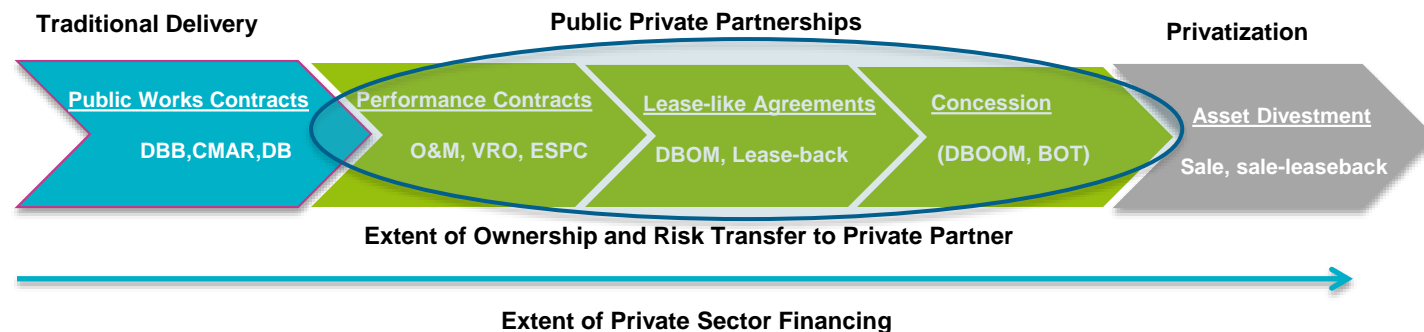
# P3's Role in this Sustainable Infrastructure

## Primary Benefits of a P3:

- Accelerate delivery of public infrastructure projects
- Risk Management Optimization
- Ratepayer Cost Certainty
- Leverage Private Sector Innovation
- Ensure asset life-cycle management
- Optimize project financing; whether public or private or combination

## Considerations for selecting a Private Party as a P3 Partner:

- Aligned with objective to efficiently deliver projects get to commercial operations
- Experienced private partners guides process with a focus life-cycle management approach.







# Thank You



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# Stone Brewing, Co.



**Water and Energy Sustainability  
National Association of  
Regulatory Utility Commissioners  
July 17, 2017**





# Agenda

- History and Background
- Production Plans
- Sustainability Drivers
- Water Sustainability and Partnering
- Energy Sustainability and Partnering



# History and Background

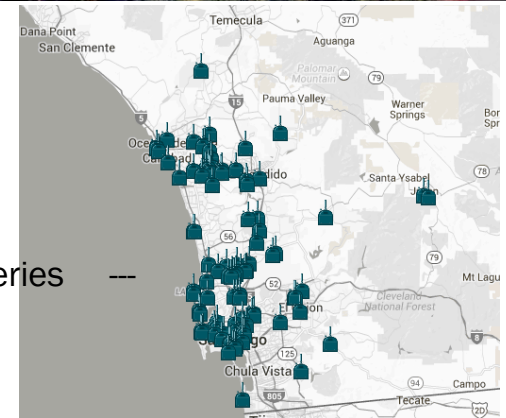
- Founded in 1996 by Greg Koch and Steve Wagner
- In San Marcos, CA; Northern San Diego County
- Relocated to Escondido in 2005
- Stone Brewing World Bistro and Gardens opened in 2006





# History and Background

- Packaging Hall built in 2014
- 2016 annual revenue ~ \$220 million
- Substantial part of the \$600 million economic impact craft breweries provide to the SD region



~ 130 Breweries

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# Background

- Seven year-round beers
- Multiple “Special Release” beers each year
- Regular collaboration releases annually in support of craft beer camaraderie
- ~1,200 employees
- Stone Beers are available in 50 states, 17 countries in Europe, 28 countries total
- 9<sup>th</sup> largest craft brewery in the US and one of the fastest growing craft breweries in the US







# Escondido Production



- 2015 - 330,000 barrels of beer packaged or 10 million gallons (MG) or 31 acre-feet
- 2016 – 305 kbbls
- 2017 - ~250 kbbls
- Anticipate around 10% increases moving forward



# Global Production Plans

- New breweries opened in 2016
  - Richmond, VA capacity 800,000 barrels per year – 100 kbbls in 2017
  - Berlin capacity 50,000 barrels per year – 20 kbbls in 2017







# Sustainability and Drivers

- Stone's commitment – a path of continuous improvement to deliver craft beer with progressively less negative impact to Earth's resources
- Stress on water/energy supplies
- Long term - resource savings allows more regional development => more beer drinkers
- Branding





# Stone and Sustainability

- Stone recycles 50% of its wastewater in Escondido



All spent grains in US are repurposed for cattle feed  
~ 70-130 tons per day

- 15% of electricity used in Escondido is generated from solar panels – also use VFDs everywhere
- Brewing by-product is used at Richmond, VA WWTP to meet effluent discharge requirements for nitrogen
- Working w/several local WWTPs to utilize our brewing by-products for use in generating electricity

# Water Sustainability

- Stone recycles ~ 50% of its brewing wastewater in a day
- ~ 40 kgal/day of recycled water is used for boiler operations, cooling towers and cleaning
- Recycled water cost is ~ \$0.08/gal
- Expensive when tap water cost is ~\$0.006/gal
- Received ~ \$65k from Metropolitan Water District of Southern CA under WSIP



# Partnering for Sustainability Stone and City of San Diego

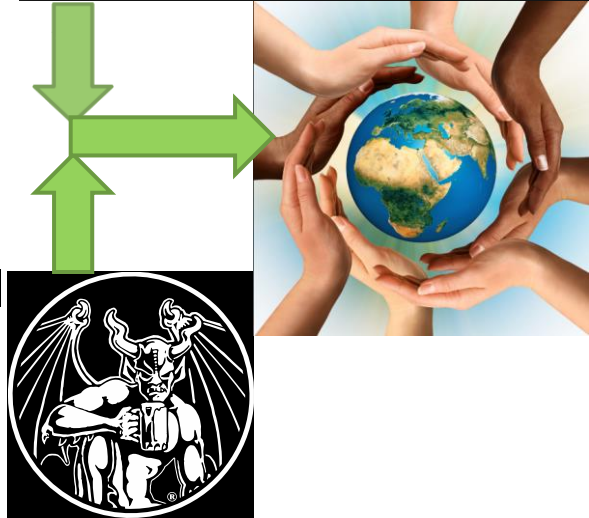
- Stone is committed to promoting and encouraging sustainability at all levels
- Stone and City partnered to brew Full Circle Pale Ale
- Very high quality treated water from City's Pure Water Project
- Water quality was so good we added minerals for the brew





# Partnering for Sustainability Stone and City of Richmond

- Beneficial use of Stone by-product waste to off-set use of other resource
- Stone supplying City high strength residual by-product
- Commodity chemical substitute for improving WWTP discharge to James River
- Discounted below commodity chemical so saves City and Stone \$
- Eliminates conventional treatment costs



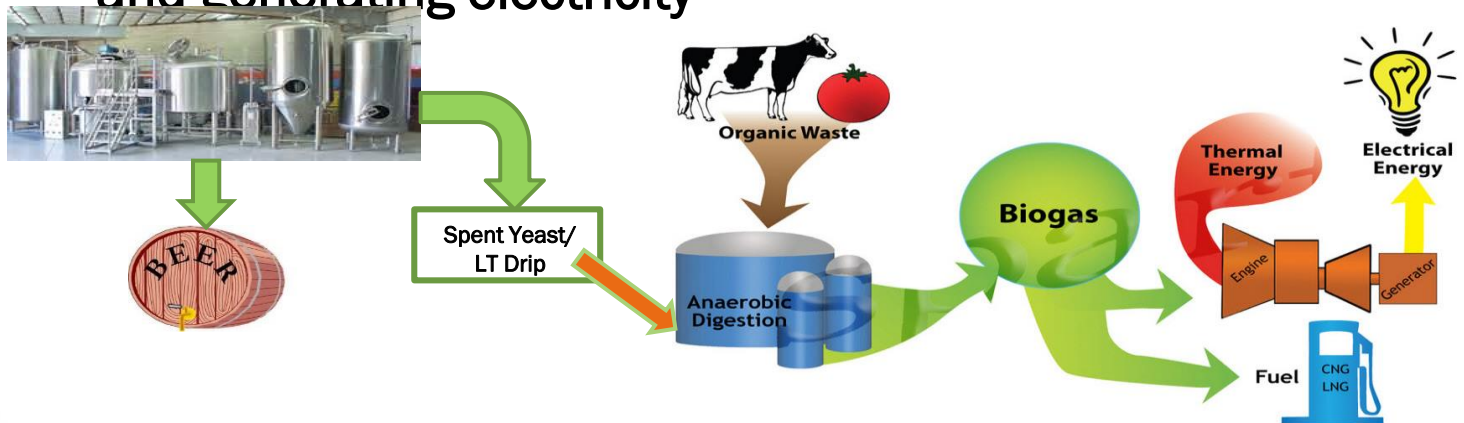
# Energy Sustainability Efforts

- **Electricity**

- Over 3000 solar panels
  - Accounts for ~ 15% electricity used in Escondido
- Over 100 variable frequency drives installed
- SDG&E approved high efficiency process equipment



- **Evaluating anaerobic digestion of high-strength by-products and generating electricity**





# Energy Sustainability Partnering

- Stone is actively seeking WWTPs interested in using by-products for energy generation
- WWTPs have infrastructure to easily implement
- Stone has infrastructure to easily implement
- Eliminates WWTP capacity/energy to treat aerobically
- Allows deferral of potential future WWTP expansion
- Aids in compliance with recycling regulations
- Excess energy generation – sell back to grid (\$0.18/kw-hr)
- Grant funding





# Economic Analysis

- Byproduct collection/AD feed facility ~\$1 million
- Electricity Cost \$0.16/kw-hr

Item	Cost per day	Assumptions
City Amortized Capital	(\$145)	5.5% int; 30 year bond
City O&M	(\$240)	Electricity, labor, maintenance, heating
<b>City Total Costs</b>	<b>(\$385)</b>	
City Energy Value	\$630	8000 gal each LT Drip @ 45,000 mg/L COD, 8000 gallons per day SY 130,000 mg/L COD; 0.3 liters CH <sub>4</sub> /g COD; 600 BTU/CF methane; 3412 kw-hr/BTU and CE is 40% efficient
<b>City Net Income</b>	<b>\$245</b>	\$61,000 per year in energy savings
Stone Amortized Capital	(\$50)	
Stone O&M	(\$300)	Chemicals, electricity, labor (assumes pipeline install)
<b>Stone Total Costs</b>	<b>(\$350)</b>	<b>(\$1,350)</b> if trucking is required



## Questions



Public Utilities Department

# Commitment to Sustainability

J. Brent Eidson  
Deputy Director, External Affairs  
Public Utilities Department



# By the Numbers

**1.3  
million**  
water  
customers

**\$20  
million**  
allocated

**>10**  
Regulating  
agencies

**~\$1  
billion**  
invested last 5  
years

**\$41  
2million**  
Projects next  
2 years

**2.5  
million**  
wastewater  
customers

**12**  
agencies

# Recycling and Reusing water



Reducing water use and  
ocean discharge

Producing renewable energy

Provides a:



Safe



Reliable



Cost-effective

Water Supply through  
Potable Reuse





Ozonation



Biological  
Activated  
Carbon Filters



Membrane  
Filtration



Reverse  
Osmosis

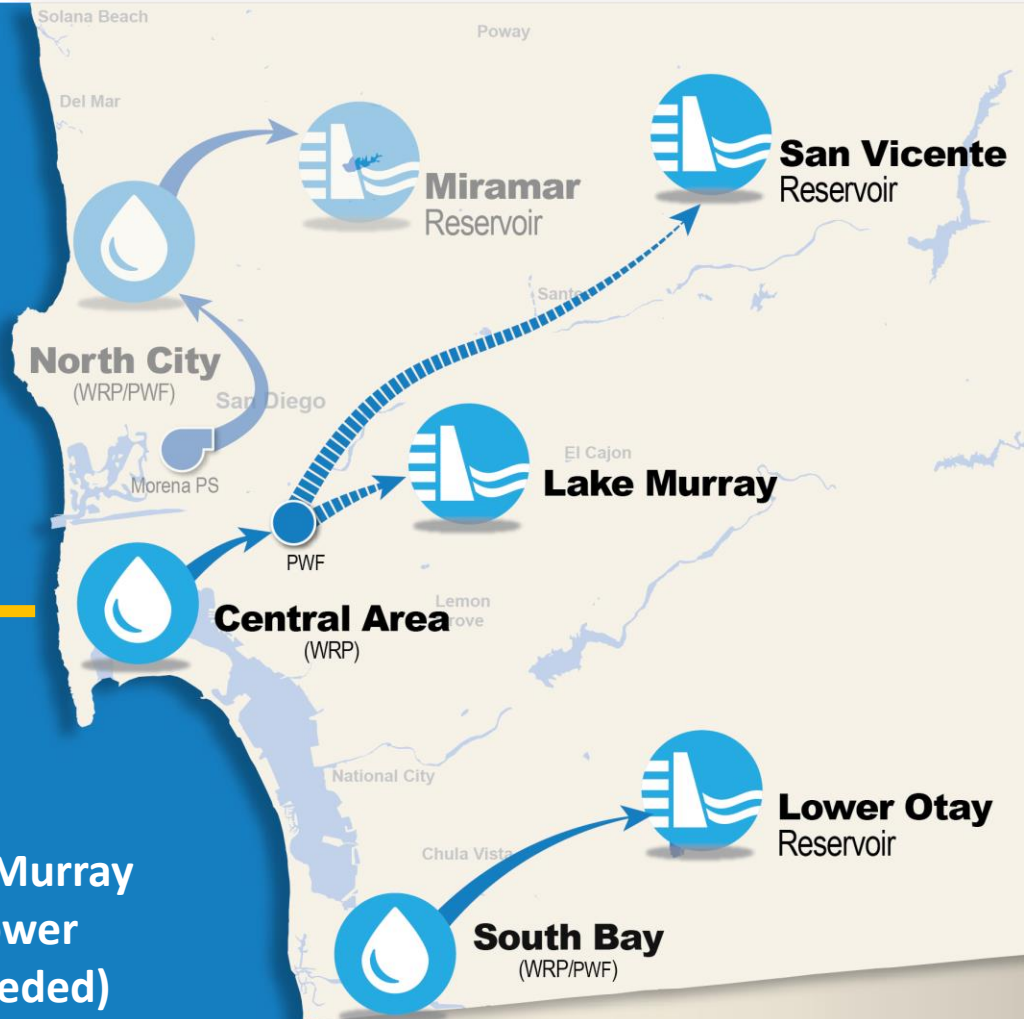


Ultraviolet  
Disinfection/  
Advanced  
Oxidation

**Pure Water**  
will produce  
**1/3**  
of your water  
**locally**

Phases 2 & 3

- 2035 Completion
- 53 mgd
- Central Area PWF to San Vicente or Lake Murray
- South Bay PWF to Lower Otay Reservoir (if needed)





# Pure Water Program: Exceeding Our Goals

- Completed Programmatic EIR
- Finished Phase I pre-design
- Advancing Final Design
- Developed Renewable Energy Project



Recycling and Reusing  
water

Reducing water use and  
ocean discharge



**Producing  
renewable energy**

## Current Renewable Energy Production

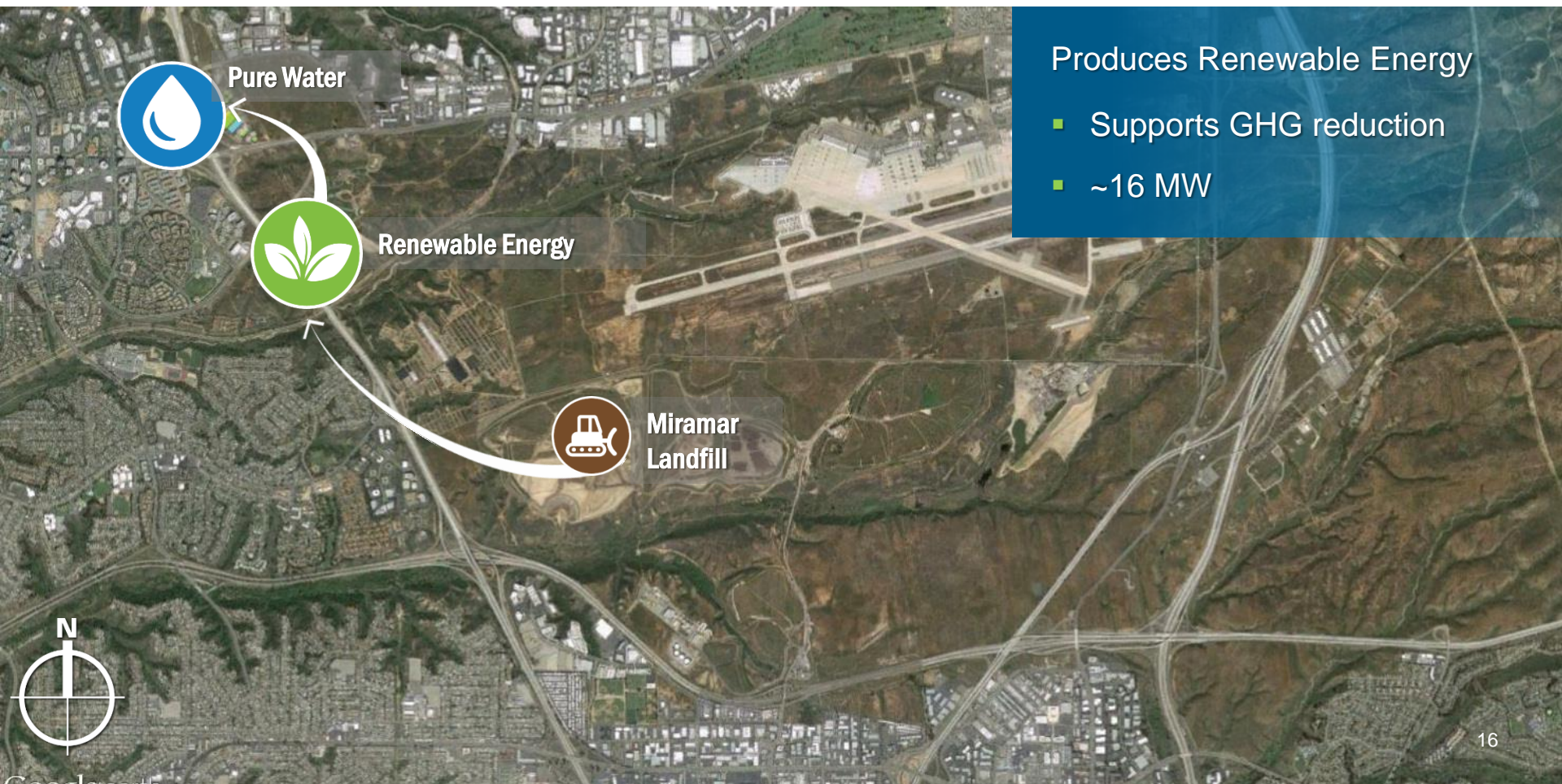
**24MW**

Energy Produced

**\$10M+**

Annual Savings







## Future Renewable Energy Production

# 40MW

Equivalent Power to Supply  
Energy to ~29,600 Homes



**Reducing**  
water use and ocean  
discharge

Recycling and Reusing  
water



Producing renewable energy from  
a sustainable source



**17.8%**

Population **increase** since  
1994

**20.1%**

Water use **decrease** since  
1994





2016

~23%

Due to Water Conservation &  
Recycled Water

2035

~68%

Due to Pure Water, Water Conservation  
& Recycled Water



More than **12,000** people have toured the Pure Water Facility.





- **400+** attendees
- **347** snow cones enjoyed
- **300+** succulents planted



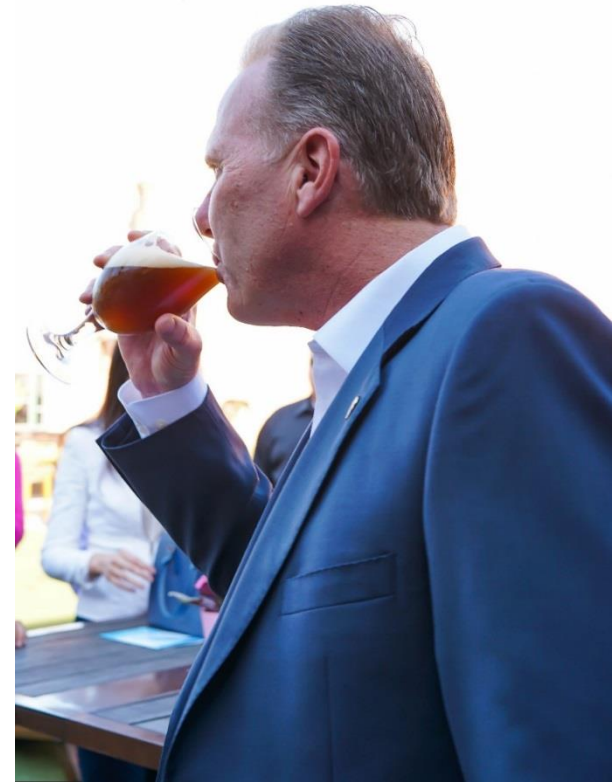


- 200+ attendees
- Stone Full Circle Pale Ale brewed with San Diego's Pure Water
- First commercial brewery to brew beer with 100% advanced-treated recycled water



- Mayor Faulconer and Stone Brewing COO, Pat Tiernan, poured first pints of beer
- “Pure Stone Day” Proclamation
- Video testimonials, selfie frame and informational booth







**THE HUFFINGTON POST**

WEIRD NEWS 03/17/2017 08:24 pm ET | Updated Mar 20, 2017

## San Diego Brewery Makes Beer From Treated Sewage Water



This beer is made from purified wastewater

**Mashable**

One brewery's latest beer took the trip from the toilet to the tap



Stone Brewery uses purified wastewater to brew new beer

**TIMES**  
of SAN DIEGO

Stone Demos 'Fantistic' Beer Brewed from 100% Recycled Water



Beer Brewers Test A Taboo, Recycling Water After It Was Used In Homes

**SFGATE**

This popular brewery is making beer with treated sewage water

Smithsonian.com

San Diego Breweries Experiment With Recycled Water

- Over 80 pieces of local, national and international coverage!



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