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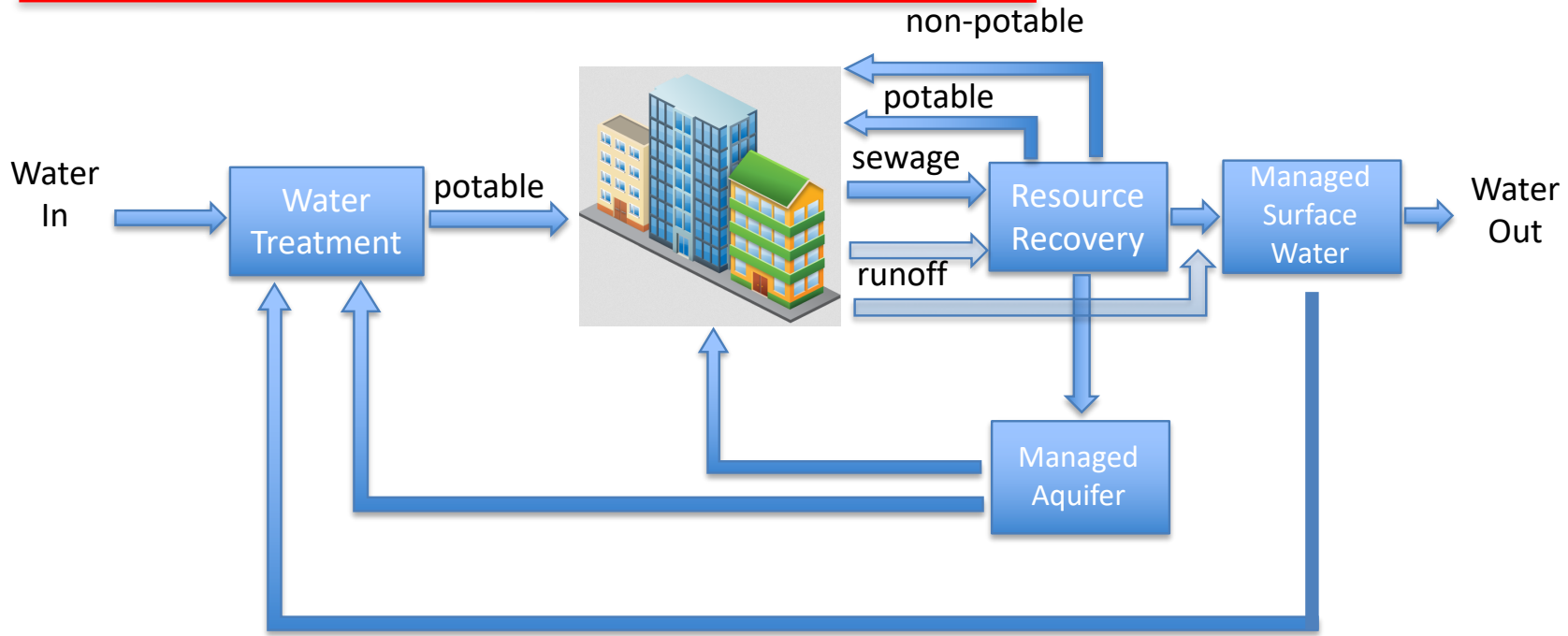
# Reflections on Accomplishments and a Look to the Future

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# Advance sustainable water supplies



- **Diversification is essential for resilience in the face of a changing climate**
- **Need to be forward looking with long-term planning**
- **Establish mechanisms for closer collaborations to respond to an uncertain future.**

# Bay Area One Water Network

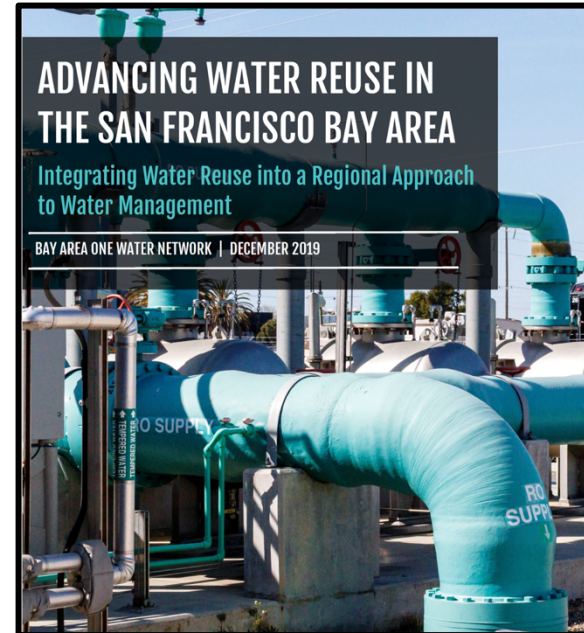
Clearinghouse for stakeholders and water managers in the region to share information, build collaborative capacity, and develop strategies for implementing resilient, integrated water systems.



# Workshops & synthesis reports

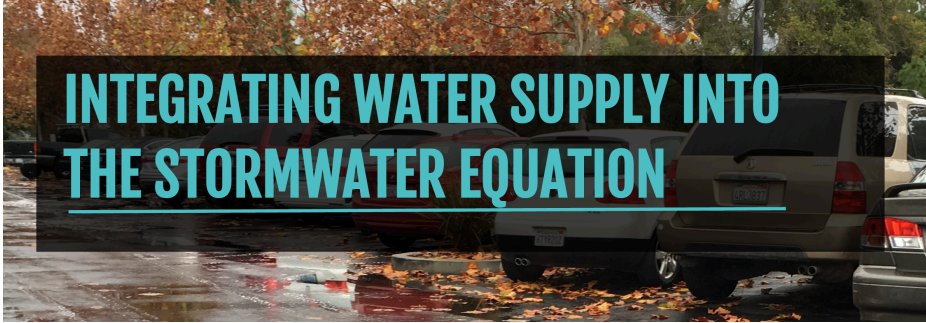
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- **Workshops**
  - Advancing Water Reuse
  - Stormwater as a Water Source
- **Frank discussions**
- **Synthesis reports & recommendations**
- **Well-attended dialogues in July & August 2020**



# Tangible recommendations

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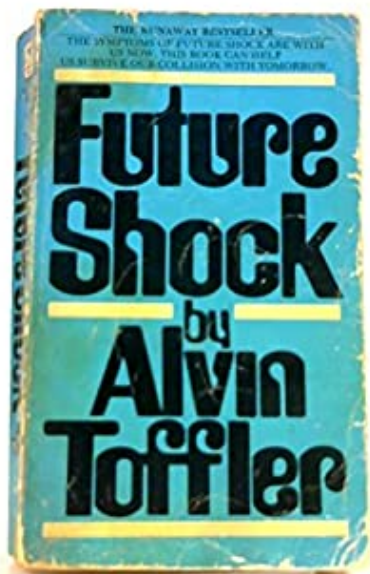
## INTEGRATING WATER SUPPLY INTO THE STORMWATER EQUATION



## OPPORTUNITIES TO ADVANCE WATER REUSE IN THE BAY AREA

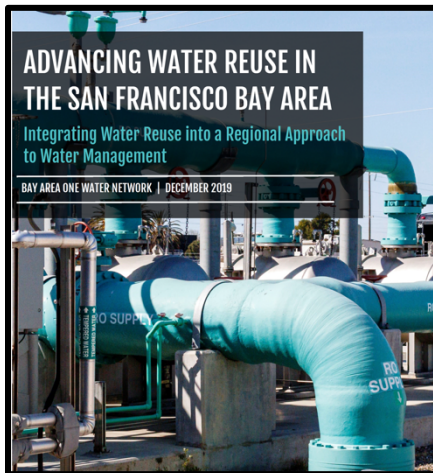
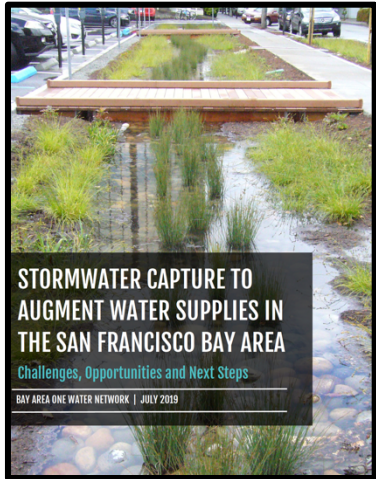
- Address region-specific data gaps
- Metrics for co-benefits to aid decision-making
- Innovate in leveraging existing infrastructure
- Evaluate/anticipate regulatory actions

# Our work is not finished



- Continue discussions about Bay Area water supply reliability
- Imagine a range of options and solutions
  - Technical
  - Jurisdictional
  - Regulatory
- Build institutional capacity for climate adaptation including low-resource institutions/populations
- Prepare for shocks and engage in long-term planning

# BAOWN in the coming years



- What do you envision for our water infrastructure in 30+ years
  - Why is that important?
  - What actions today can help reach those goals?
- In 2050, what would you wish for ourselves that we had started in 2020?

