



## Meeting Brief: Water Supply Working Group #5

Meeting Held: 05.22.19

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### Overview and Next Steps

The Modeling Sub-Group presented detailed modeling results of the water supply scenarios. The results are available at [www.pottervalleyproject.org](http://www.pottervalleyproject.org)

The facilitation team reminded everyone that the Ad Hoc will not be reviewing these detailed modeling results at its June 17 meeting. Modeling Work Group members are responsible for briefing leadership and constituents on this work in advance of the June 17 meeting.

Scott McBain for Round Valley will begin analyzing ecological aspects on the Eel River, which has not been done at this stage. This will require hydrology information below point E-11 at Cape Horn Dam. The goal will be to analyze flows and temperature.

At the appropriate time, the group would also recommend looking more carefully at the feasibility of the pump back from Lake Mendocino to PVID.

The water supply working group would also like to explore Scenario 2 with a raised Coyote Dam because Scenario 2 has additional spills at Scott Dam. The group would also be interested in further refining Scenario 4 to look at the shoulder seasons to continue to enhance operations to improve fish passage. Some were interested in reanalyzing Scenario 4 under FIRO conditions although not everyone was supportive.

Andres Ticlavilca, NMFS, is working on the documentation of the calibration and validation. These will be important documents to support the work.

### Action Items

All	June 15	Brief leadership on modeling results prior to June 17 Ad Hoc Meeting
CBI	July	Draft high level summary of modeling results for policy makers