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Ms. Teresa Wilhelmsen, State Engineer / Director Utah Division of Water Rights P.O. Box 146300 1594 W North Temple Suite 200 Salt Lake City, UT 84114-6300

Subject: 2024 Per Capita Consumptive Use

Dear Teresa:

In compliance with Utah Code 73-5-8, the Central Utah Water Conservancy District (District) respectfully submits to you its Per-Capita Consumptive Water Use Annual Report (Annual Report) for water use during the 2024 calendar year in Utah County. This Annual Report is due each year on or by July 1, for the prior calendar year reporting period.

This Annual Report includes water use from 19 Cities in Utah County along with their population data and the corresponding wastewater return flows to the natural environment. The reported 2024 per capita consumptive use (GPCD) for Utah County is 155 GPCD. We expect this number to continue to trend down as we continue our conservation efforts and programs.

For questions regarding this report, please direct them to Rick Maloy by email at <u>Rick@cuwcd.gov</u> or by phone at 801-226-7136.

Sincerely yours,

Gene Shawcroft, P.E. General Manager/CEO

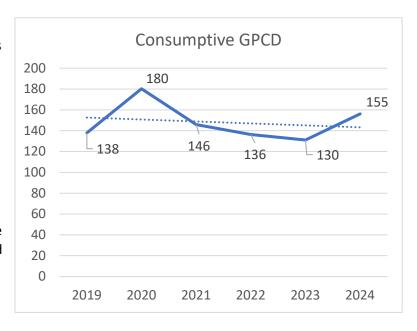
2024 Per Capita Consumptive Use Report



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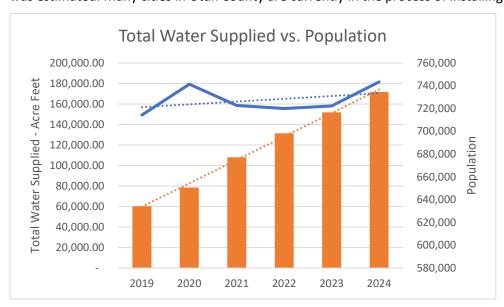
Utah County's 2024 per capita consumptive use was **155** gallons per day. This represents water consumed, divided by the population, divided by 365 days, as prescribed in Utah Code §73-5-8.5.

Gallons Per Capita Per Day (GPCD) is a common metric that utilities use to assess water use, set conservation goals, and plan for the future. The Central Utah Water Conservancy District (District) has historically relied on individual cities and the Division of Water Resources to calculate and provide GPCD data. In 2023, Senate Bill 119 was passed, requiring the District to report GPCD for Utah County.



Total Water Supplied

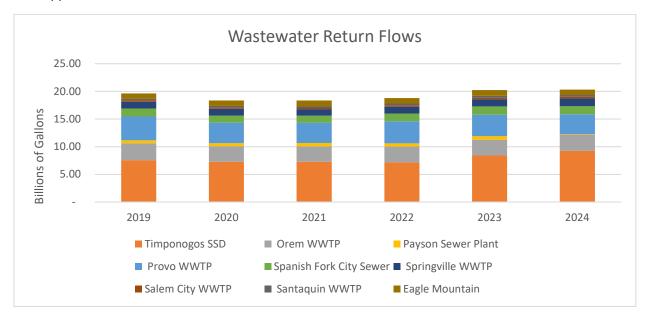
The District collected 2024 water data from the 19 cities/community water systems that serve a population of 3,300 or more as required by Utah Code §73-5-8.5(7)(a). The water data provided includes supplied culinary and secondary water for a total of **181,541.31** acre feet as required by §73-5-8.5(7). While most of this data is directly measured, some water systems provided secondary water data that was estimated. Many cities in Utah County are currently in the process of installing secondary meters to



bill and understand secondary water use more accurately. As more secondary water meters are installed and other infrastructure improvements are implemented, the District anticipates that the reliability of secondary water use and consumptive data in Utah County will improve.

Return Flows

To calculate a consumptive use number, wastewater return flow to the natural environment was collected from the same 19 cities in Utah County consistent with code §73-5-8.5(6), totaling **16,213,012,000** gallons. Within each city's wastewater collection system, there is some Inflow and Infiltration (I&I) that is not directly connected to water supplied by the water system. The rate of I&I was assumed at an average of 15% and subtracted from the lowest month of treated wastewater to limit the significant variations of I&I that occur from storm events throughout the year. This monthly data was then multiplied by 12 to generate the total for 2024. The total return flows were then subtracted from the supplied water.



Population

The 2023 total population of the 19 included cities in Utah County is **732,762**. Each city provided population and water data consistent with code §73-5-8.5(5). No additional population adjustments were made for transient or daytime population changes.