



Marin City and Canal Pipeline Replacement Project

IRWM Coordination Committee

May 18, 2026



Marin Water

■ Service Area

- 147-square-mile service area covering central and southern Marin
- 191,000+ people served

■ Our Locally Sourced Water

- 75% collected in five reservoirs on Mt. Tam and two in west Marin
- 25% imported from the Russian River watershed

■ Our Watershed

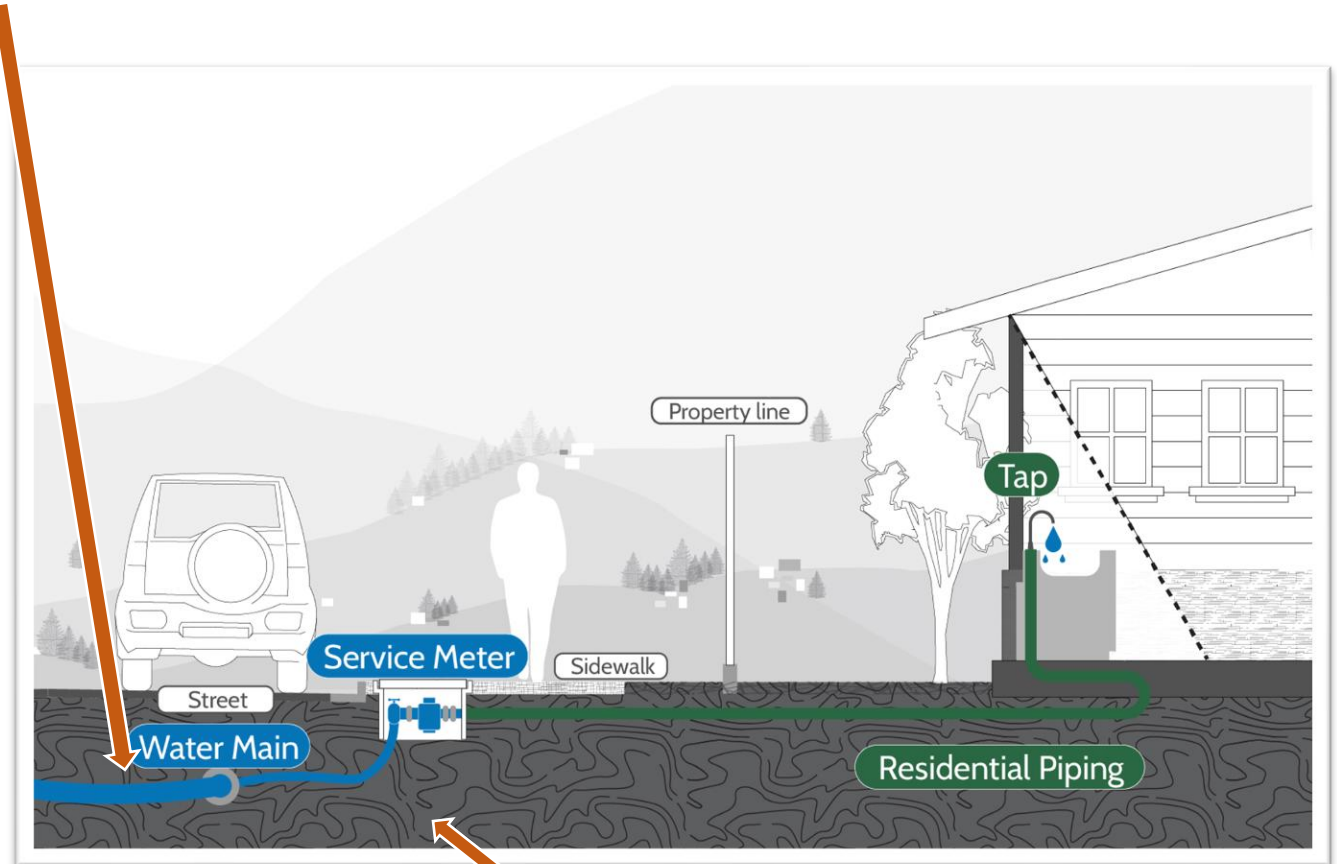
- 22,000 acres of watershed land
- 150+ miles of trails and roads
- 1,000+ species of plants and 400+ species of wildlife



Project Overview

- ~4.4 miles of mainline replaced
- 279 service laterals replaced
- 320 private lateral investigations completed in Marin City
- **Community outreach** to support construction and build trust in local water quality

Replaced ~4.4mi underground drinking water pipeline along streets in Marin City and Canal.

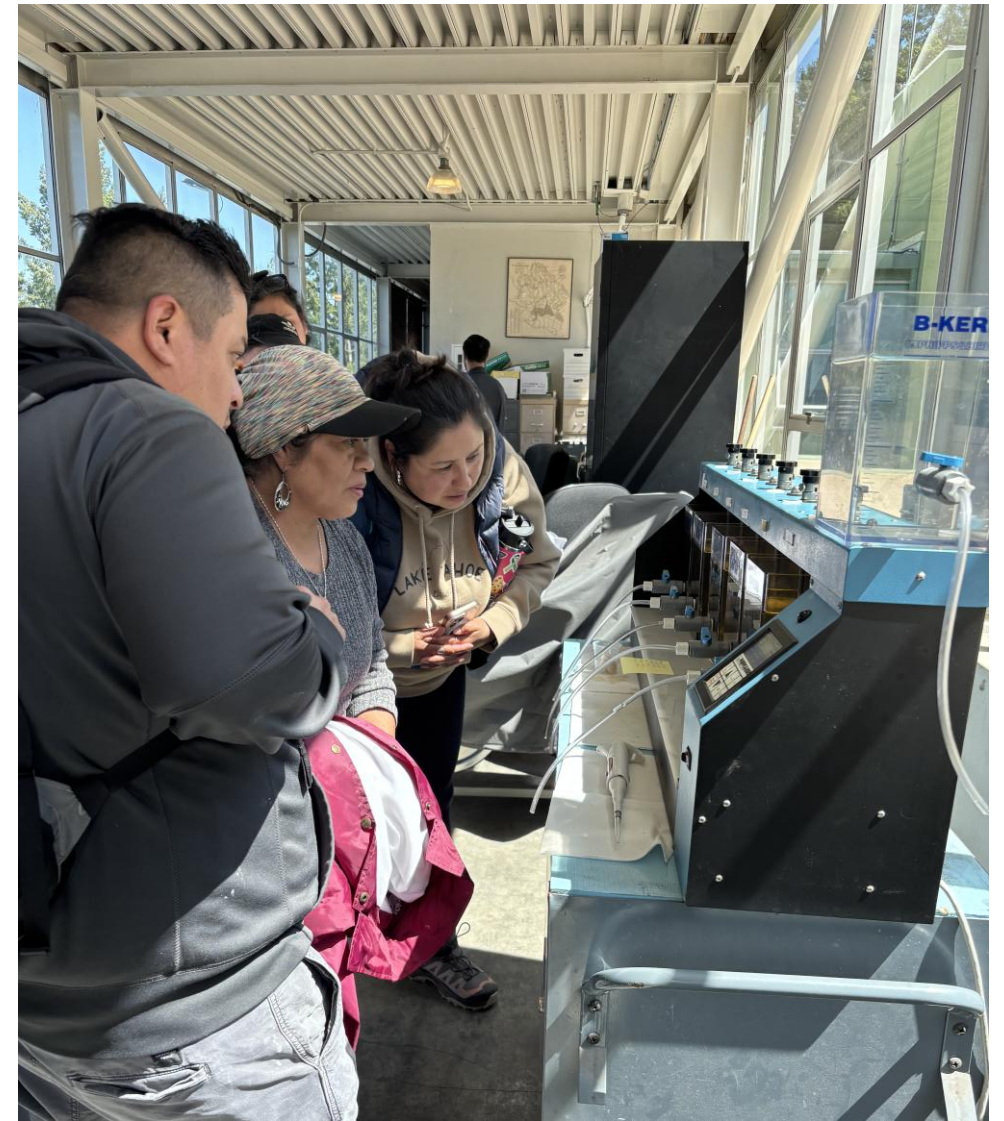


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Project Benefits



Installation of seismically resilient welded steel pipe during Marin City Phase 2 construction.



Community Water Ambassadors visit the Bon Tempe Treatment Plant to learn how their water is treated before distribution.

Marin City PRP

Construction schedule:

This is a two-phase project. Severe weather conditions may impact the construction schedule.

Phase I

Begins: January 2025
Completed: Fall 2025

Phase II

Begins: Fall 2025
Completed: Fall 2026



■ Marin City Phase 1

- Completed summer 2025
- 9,200 ft of pipeline
- 55 service laterals
- 6 fire service laterals
- 22 hydrants

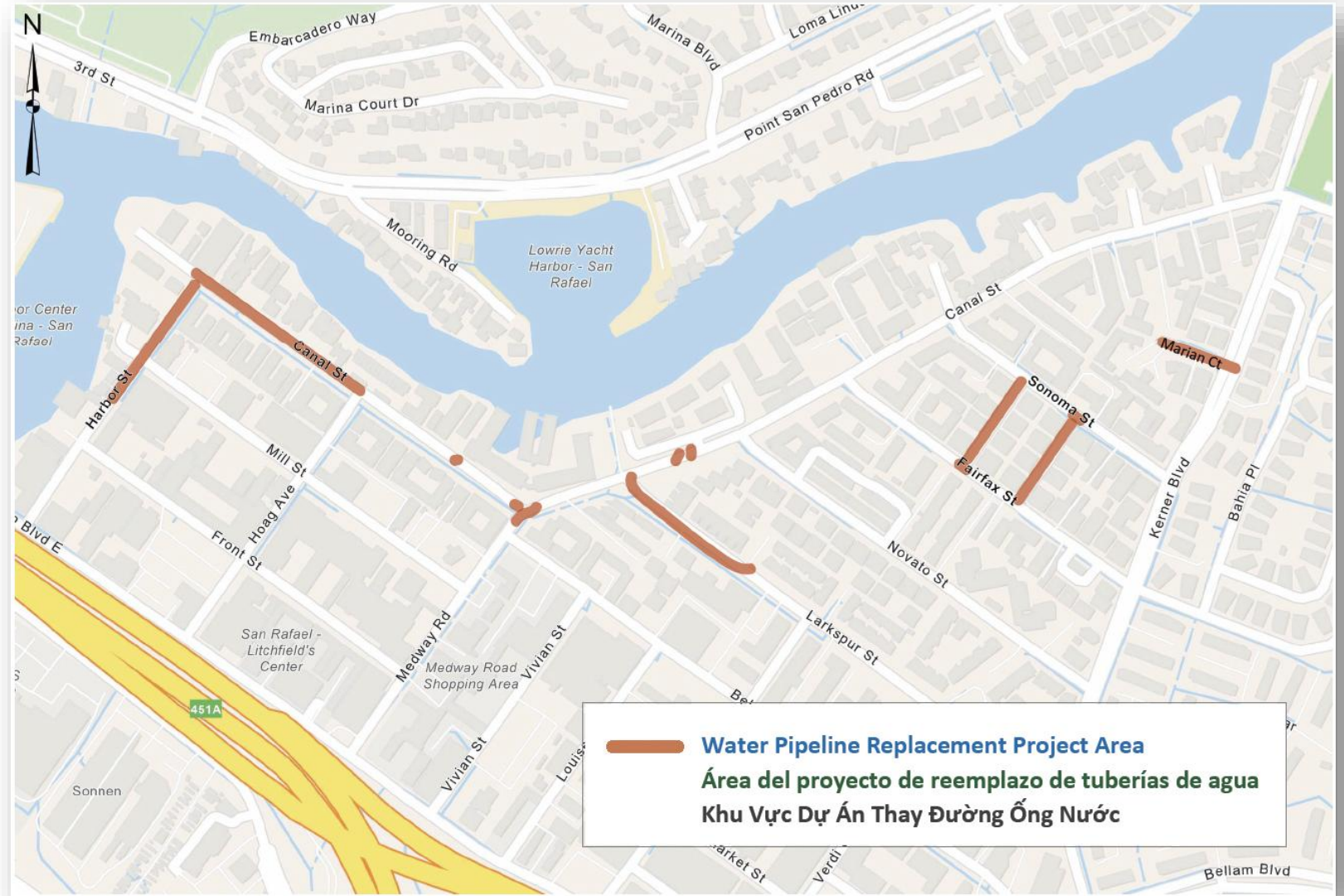
■ Marin City Phase 2

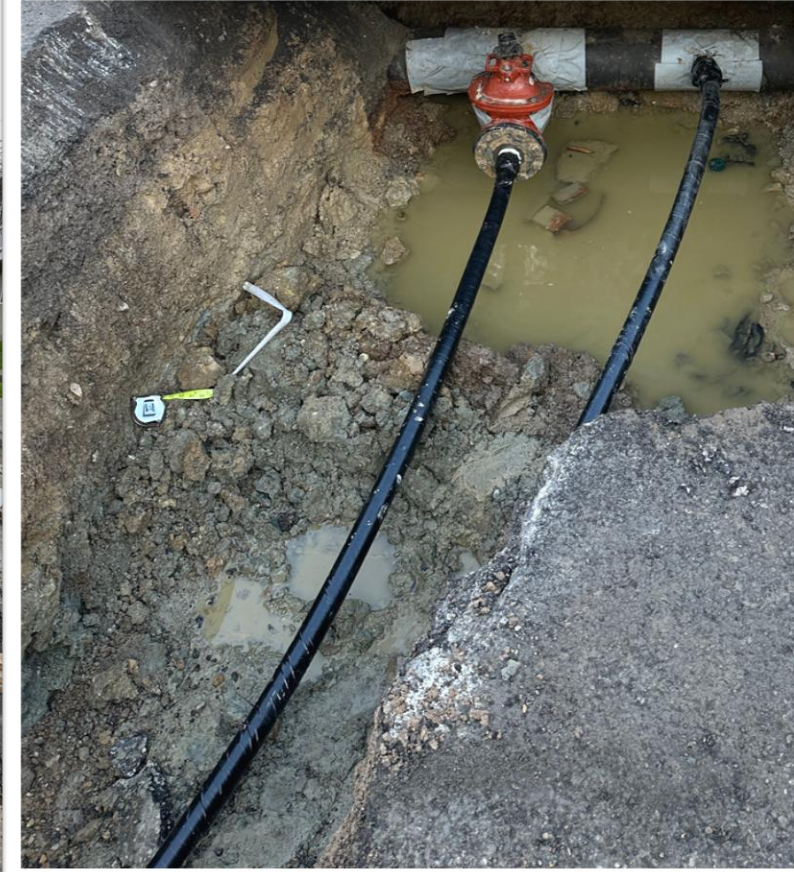
- Completion expected June 2026
- 10,440 ft of pipeline
- 137 service laterals
- 4 fire service laterals
- 18 hydrants



Canal PRP

- Completed March 2026
- 3,800 ft of pipeline
- 87 service laterals
- 4 fire service laterals
- 6 hydrants






State and local partnerships

- California Department of Water Resources IRWM Grant: \$6.4 million
- Marin Water: \$3.6 million
- Community outreach with Marin City Climate Resilience and Multicultural Center of Marin




MULTICULTURAL
CENTER OF MARIN



 MARIN WATER

Investing in your water system

Marin City Pipeline Replacement Project

 Funding for this project has been provided in part from the Water Quality, Supply, and Infrastructure Improvement Act of 2014 and through an agreement with the State Department of Water Resources.

Special thanks to Marin City Climate Resilience for helping to secure the grant funding for this project.

marinwater.org/MarinCityPipeline

Recent Project Outreach



Direct-mailed project flyers

MARIN CITY WATER PIPELINE REPLACEMENT
Phase 2 beginning this winter!

After completing the first phase of the Marin City Pipeline Replacement project ahead of schedule, Marin Water will soon begin Phase 2 of the project to replace aging and leak-prone underground water pipeline in your area. Service laterals, which connect a home or business to the water system, will also be replaced.

During the first phase, more than 9,000 feet of water pipeline and 55 service laterals were replaced. Another 10,000 feet of pipeline and 137 service laterals will be replaced as part of Phase 2.

This project is largely funded by a California Department of Water Resources grant. Marin City Climate Resilience, which worked hard to help secure the grant funding, will continue to partner with Marin Water to provide project outreach and engagement to the community during the project's second phase.

This pipeline replacement project will:

- Ensure high quality drinking water for Marin City now and for the future
- Reduce water service interruptions that have previously impacted Marin City
- Strengthen the water system to better handle natural disasters such as earthquakes or wildfires

Construction questions?
Contact Marin Water Construction Mgmt. Group at 415-945-1560 or go to marinwater.org/MarinCityPipeline

General project questions?
Contact Terrie Green at terriegreen@marincityclimateresilience.org

This project replaces:

3.65 MILES OF WATER MAINS
Owned by Marin Water, these mains are large underground sections of pipeline that carry drinking water from Marin Water's pumping stations to customer properties.

192 SERVICE LATERALS
Owned by Marin Water, this part of the lateral pipe connects the water mains to the service meter which connects to customer-owned piping.

Example of an underground water main and service lateral connection

What to expect during construction:

- Construction will occur on weekdays, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., setup and cleanup activities may occur outside this timeframe.
- Heavy equipment and construction personnel will be on the roadway. Please follow traffic control signs, reduce vehicle speed, and allow for extra time to drive through the area.
- Your water service may be interrupted for short periods of time. If so, Marin Water will notify you 24-48 hours in advance by hanging a notice of the planned water shut-off on your front gate or door. If a medical condition exists which requires that you receive continuous water service, notify us at 415-945-1560 as soon as possible.
- Marin Water and the project contractor will take all measures possible to minimize inconveniences associated with this project, including noise and traffic delays.

Construction schedule:
Severe weather conditions may impact the construction schedule.

Phase I COMPLETED ✓

Phase II COMPLETED

Begins: Mid-December 2025 or early January 2026

Estimated Completion: Spring 2026 - Fall 2026



Door hangers

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Outreach and Engagement

- **Marin City Phase 2 Site Visit**
 - SFEP and DWR
- **Marin City Climate Resilience**
 - Water Ambassador Training Day
 - Phase 2 Community Meeting
 - Guided Forest Health Hike





*Community Water Ambassador Training Day
Multicultural Center of Marin 5.16.26*



Closing and Q&A

