

# Inland Empire Brine Line Reserve Policy RFP

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### SAWPA Reserve Policy

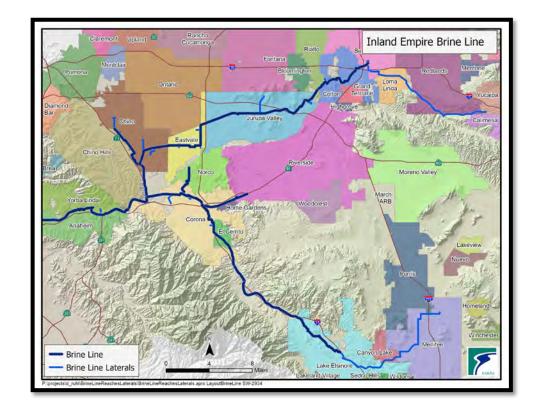
Recommendation:

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### Background

SAWPA maintains 9 reserves that pertain to the Brine Line

- Brine Line Operating Reserve
- Rate Stabilization Reserve
- Pipeline Replacement Reserve
- OC San Rehabilitation Reserve
- Debt Retirement Reserve
- OC San Future Capacity Reserve
- Self-Insurance Reserve
- Capacity Management Reserve
- Flow Imbalance Reserve



## **Reserve Policy Scope of Work**

- Review reserve policies and fund balance requirements for each reserve.
- Recommend minimum, maximum, and target reserve levels.
- Recommend methodology to determine reserve levels and provide basis for recommendation.
- Review lease rate for Brine Line capacity.
- Prepare Technical Memorandum, meeting with SAWPA and Agency staff, present recommendations to PA 24 and Commission



### **Selection Process**

- 2 Proposals received
  - Fieldman Rolapp & Associates
  - Raftelis
- Member Agency staff on selection committee
- Both firms selected for interview
- Selection based on scoring of the proposals, interviews, and fee proposal

#### **Selection Process**

<u>Firm</u>	Fee Proposal	<u>Score</u>
Fieldman Rolapp & Associates	\$81,550	63.9
Raftelis	\$49,875	90.5

- Raftelis selected as most qualified
- Additional meeting to discuss scope, allocation of billing hours
  - Revised scope of work and fee estimate \$50,895
  - Add additional in person meeting and presentation

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#### **Questions**?