

Final Report

2014 Green Bonds





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The State of California (State) issued \$2,369,640,000 of tax-exempt General Obligation (GO) bonds on October 7, 2014. The bond sale consisted of four separate types of bonds, including \$300 million of Green Bonds (2014 Green Bonds). The State issued the 2014 Green Bonds to allow investors to invest directly in bonds, which specifically fund, or partially fund, environmentally beneficial projects throughout California. Like other GO bonds issued by the State, Green Bonds are secured by the full faith and credit of the State and therefore holders of 2014 Green Bonds do not assume any specific project related risk.

As part of the 2014 Green Bond issuance, the State agreed to provide annual updates on the use of 2014 Green Bond proceeds until all of the proceeds were disbursed. All the proceeds of the 2014 Green Bonds have been disbursed and this represents the final report for the 2014 Green Bonds.

Green Projects Criteria

No further reports will be

provided.

The 2014 Green Bonds were issued under existing. voter-approved GO bond acts. GO bonds fund various public purposes such as: education and other public facilities; highway safety; traffic reduction; air quality; safe drinking water; water security; watershed protection and flood protection; coastal and

parkland conservation; transportation; and rail projects.

In determining eligible projects to be funded from the 2014 Green Bonds, the State Treasurer's Office (STO) worked closely with the Department of Finance (DOF) to define categories of environmentally beneficial projects, eligible to be issued under existing GO bond acts. Once the categories were established, the STO worked with DOF and the various State Departments administering GO bond programs to identify specific GO projects eligible for funding under the established 2014 Green Bond categories (Green Projects).

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overview

The following is a list of the 2014 Green Bond eligible project categories:

- ✓ Air Pollution Reduction: Projects which reduce emissions to the air by promoting public transportation, including intercity rail projects and commuter or urban rail, buses, and waterborne transit. This category may also include emission reduction projects from activities related to the movement of freight along California's trade corridors and the retrofit of buses and trucks to reduce diesel exhaust.
- ✓ Clean Water and Drinking Water:
 Projects designed to improve the
 quality of drinking water, reduce
 pollution in the State's water supply
 according to State and federal
 standards, or improve water supply
 reliability.
- ✓ Energy Efficiency and Conservation
 Projects in Public Buildings:
 Projects designed to reduce energy
 costs in existing public buildings or
 create new energy-saving Leadership
 in Energy and Environmental Design
 (LEED) certified buildings, including
 educational facilities.
- ✓ Protection of Rivers, Lakes, and Streams: Projects which protect and restore rivers, lakes and streams, their watersheds and associated land, water, and other natural resources.
- ✓ Protection of Beaches, Bays, and Coastal Waterways: Projects which protect beaches, bays and coastal waters and watersheds, including projects to prevent contamination and degradation of coastal waters and watersheds, and projects to protect and

restore the natural habitat of coastal waters and lands.

- ✓ Forest and Wildlife Conservation, and Open Space Protection: Projects which protect and conserve forests and wildlife habitat, and projects that include land protection programs and open space acquisitions.
- ✓ **Flood Prevention:** Projects which repair, rehabilitate, reconstruct, or replace levees, weirs, bypasses, and facilities of the State Plan of Flood Control, and projects which improve or add facilities to the State Plan of Flood Control to increase levels of flood prevention for urban areas. This category may include projects designed to manage stormwater runoff to reduce flood damage and, where feasible, provide other benefits, including groundwater recharge, water quality improvement, and ecosystem restoration. This category may also include projects which protect, create, and enhance flood protection corridors and bypasses.
- ✓ Sustainable Communities and Climate Change Reduction:

Projects which improve the sustainability and livability of California's communities through investment in natural resources, including urban greening projects that reduce energy consumption, conserve water, improve air and water quality, and provide other community benefits; and acquisition and development of new parks and expansion of overused parks.

2014 Green Bond Terms				
Maturity Date (October 1)	Principal Amount	Interest Rate	Yield to Initial Purchaser	CUSIP ²
2028	\$35,000,000			13063CNP1
2028	\$65,000,000	5.00%	2.900% ¹	13063CNR7
2037	\$100,000,000	3.75%	3.840%	13063CNQ9
2037	\$100,000,000	5.00%	3.370%1	13063CNS5

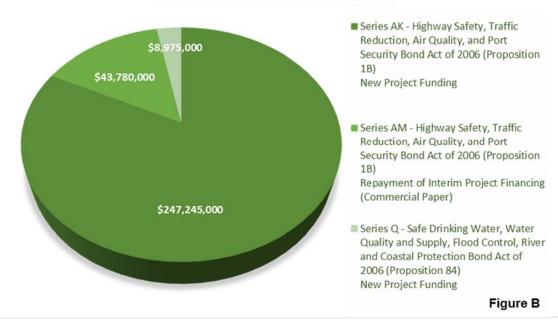
Figure A

The 2014 Green Bonds provided funds for Green Projects, repaid certain commercial paper notes, which funded Green Projects, and paid costs of issuance. The 2014 Green Bonds were issued with the terms displayed in **Figure A.**

As of the date of this report, Moody's Investors Service, S&P Global Ratings, and Fitch Ratings rate the 2014 Green Bonds Aa3, AA-, and AA- respectively. As listed in **Figure B**, the State issued the

2014 Green Bonds as three series of bonds, under two voter approved GO bond acts.

2014 Green Bonds Series



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2014 Green Bond Project Categories

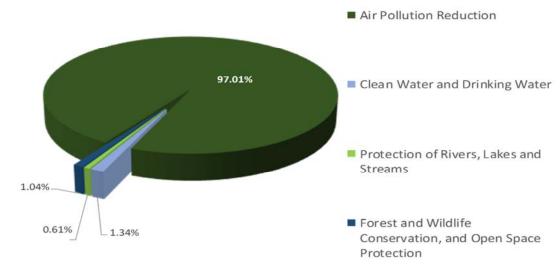
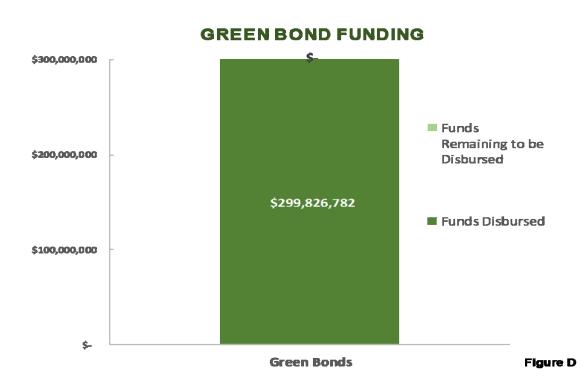


Figure C

The 2014 Green Bond proceeds have been allocated among four of the eight eligible project categories, as shown in **Figure C**.

As of September 30, 2018, all of the 2014 Green Bond proceeds have been disbursed, as shown in **Figure D**. The amounts allocated to costs of issuance are excluded from this figure.



The following is a final summary of the programs and projects funded by the 2014 Green Bonds. In some cases, the 2014 Green Bonds only provided partial funding for the specific program and/or project. Additional State funding may have been, or will be, provided for in one or more additional GO bond sales.

Proposition 1B: Highway Safety, Traffic Reduction, Air Quality, and Port Security Bond Act of 2006

The following programs and projects have been allocated 2014 Green Bond funding under Proposition 1B:

Program Goods Movement Emission Reduction Program –

Administered by the California Air Resources Board (CARB) in partnership with local agencies (such as air quality districts and seaports), the program targets the reduction of diesel air pollution emissions and health risk from

freight movement along California's priority trade corridors. Under this program, local agencies provide financial incentives to owners of equipment used in freight movement to upgrade to cleaner technologies. Projects funded by this program must achieve "early or extra emission reductions" that are not required by a law or regulation. The types of freight transport equipment targeted by this program include: heavy-duty diesel trucks; transportation refrigeration units (TRUs) truck stop or distribution center

electrification infrastructure; locomotives; ships at berth (e.g., shore power); commercial harbor craft; and cargo handling equipment at freight facilities.

Projects

South Coast Air Quality Management District (SCAQMD): Heavy-Duty Trucks

SCAQMD is the air pollution control agency for all of Orange County and the

urban portions of Los

Angeles, Riverside, and San Bernardino counties. SCAOMD has been awarded a total of \$507.3 million in grants for the Goods **Movement Emission Reduction Program** from Proposition 1B. This amount includes \$40.3 million from the 2014 Green Bonds. When fully implemented, SCAOMD expects the projects to reduce 2.3 million pounds, or 1,150 tons, of particulate matter (PM

2.5) and 84 million pounds, or 42,000 tons, of nitrogen oxides (NOx). Emission reductions for grants funded through 2013 are calculated over the life of their grant term (e.g., two to five years for trucks and 10 years for ships at berth). Emission reductions for grants funded after 2013 take into consideration CARB's regulations and include only the portion of the emission reductions that are early or extra to these regulations. **Figure E** (combined with San Joaquin Valley Air Pollution Control District) displays the equipment upgrades and

he Goods
Movement
Emission
Reduction
Program targets
California's priority trade
corridors: Los Angeles/
Inland Empire; the Central
Valley; the Bay Area; and
the San Diego Border area.
-Source: ARB

replacements completed as of June 2018. SCAQMD expects approximately 900 trucks and 14 cargo handling equipment to be upgraded or replaced in 2019.

Amount Allocated: \$40,315,736.46 *All proceeds disbursed.*

San Joaquin Valley Air Pollution Control District (SJVAPCD): Heavy Duty Trucks

The SJVAPCD is the air pollution control agency for the following eight counties in the Central Valley: San Joaquin, Stanislaus, Merced, Madera, Fresno, Kings, Tulare and the San Joaquin Valley Air Basin portion of Kern. SJVAPCD has been awarded a total of \$189.5 million in grants for the Goods Movement Emission Reduction Program from Proposition 1B. This amount includes \$3.5 million from the 2014 Green Bonds. When fully implemented, SJVAPCD expects the

projects to reduce over 1.3 million pounds, or 650 tons, of particulate matter (PM 2.5) and 42 million pounds, or 21,000 tons, of nitrogen oxides (NOx). Emission reductions for grants funded through 2013 are calculated over the life of their grant term (e.g., two to five years for trucks and 10 years for ships at berth). Emission reductions for grants funded after 2013 take into consideration CARB's regulations and include only the portion of the emission reductions that are early or extra to these regulations. Figure **E** (combined with SCAQMD) displays the equipment upgrades and replacements completed as of June 2018. SJVAPCD expects approximately 100 trucks to be upgraded or replaced in 2019.

Amount Allocated: \$3,464,263.54 *All proceeds disbursed.*

Goods Movement Emission Reduction Program

Replacements & Upgrades (as of June 2018)

South Coast Air Quality Management District & San Joaquin Valley Air Pollution Control District

Trucks

1,600

Drayage Trucks

25

Ships at Berth

30

Locomotives

Figure E

Program

Improvement, and Service
Enhancement Account (PTMISEA)
Program – Administered by the
California Department of Transportation,
the PTMISEA Program allocates funds
for public transportation projects that protect the environment and public health,
conserve energy, reduce congestion, and
increase mobility and access.

Public Transportation Modernization,

Projects

Los Angeles County Metropolitan Transportation Authority (Metro): Mid City/Exposition Light Rail Transit Project-Phase 2 (Figure F)

The Exposition Transit Corridor, Phase 2

State and local sources. The project received a total of \$136 million of grant funding from the PTMISEA Program under Proposition 1B. This amount includes \$106.4 million from the 2014 Green Bonds.

Major construction for the Expo Line began in 2012 and opened for operations on May 20, 2016. Metro forecasts the Expo Light Rail ridership in LA County to increase by 14%, with a projected ridership of 64,000 daily riders by 2030 on the Expo Light Rail Line from downtown LA to Santa Monica. Metro projects a reduction of 66,000 daily vehicle miles traveled (VMT). In addition, Metro calculates averted



Metro Mid City/Exposition Light Rail Transit Project-Phase 2

Figure F

Project extends the Metro Expo Line, connecting Santa Monica to downtown Los Angeles (LA), Pasadena, San Fernando Valley, South Bay, and Long Beach. The 6.6-mile extension will add seven new stations, serving diverse LA neighborhoods.

The total estimated project cost is \$1.3 billion, with funding provided by a mix of

greenhouse gas emissions (GHG) of 284 million metric tons of carbon dioxide equivalent (MT CO2e), due to people choosing transit over driving and reduced congestion.

All major contracts have been closed as of June 2018, with a final project cost of approximately \$1.1 billion. Metro saw a 103% increase in ridership, equating to an

increase of 809,635 riders per month.

Amount Allocated: \$106,381,005.00 *All proceeds disbursed.*

Los Angeles County Metropolitan Transportation Authority (Metro): Regional Connector Transit Corridor Project (Figure G)

The Regional Connector Transit Project plans to extend the Metro Gold Line from the Little Tokyo/Arts District Station to the 7th Street/Metro Center Station in downtown LA, allowing passengers to transfer to Blue, Expo, Red, and Purple Lines, bypassing Union Station. The 1.9 mile underground extension will provide a one-seat ride for travel across LA County, with passengers traveling without transferring lines. This new extension will also add three new stations, offering an alternative transportation option to already congested roadways.

The total estimated project cost is \$1.75 billion, with funding provided by a mix of federal, State, and local sources. The

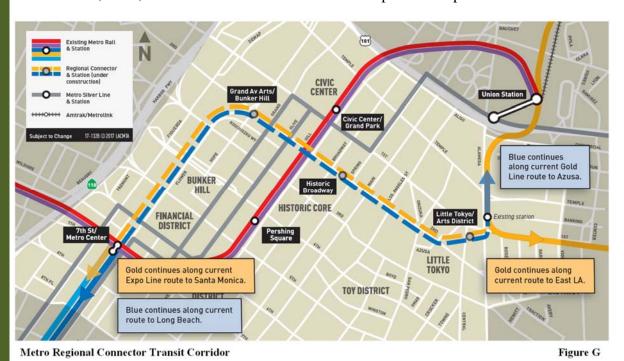
project received a total of \$135.1 million of grant funding from the PTMISEA Program under Proposition 1B. The amount includes \$58.8 million from the 2014 Green Bonds.

Metro forecasts the project will open in 2023 with a projected ridership increase of 17,700 of new transit riders by completion and an average of 88,200 daily boardings. Metro calculates the averted GHG at 93 MT CO2e due to people choosing transit over driving and reduced congestion.

Amount Allocated: \$58,816,439.53 *All proceeds disbursed.*

San Francisco Municipal Transportation Agency (SFMTA): Central Subway Project (Figure H)

The Central Subway Project will extend the Muni Metro T Third Line through SoMa (South of Market), Union Square, and Chinatown. Four new stations will be built along the 1.7-mile alignment that will improve transportation to and from



some of the city's busiest and most densely populated areas.

The total estimated project cost is \$1.6 billion, with funding provided by a mix of federal, State, and local sources. The project received a total of \$307.8 million of grant funding from the PTMISEA Program under Proposition 1B, which includes \$81.9 million from the 2014 Green Bonds.

The project commenced in 2013 and SFMTA projects opening in 2020. Once complete, SFMTA expects the project to increase ridership by an average of 35,100 daily boarding's by 2030. SFMTA calculates the project will result in a 1,730 daily net reduction of VMT.

Additional benefits of the Central Subway Project include reduction of air and noise pollution, use of environmentally clean light rail vehicles, enhancement and preservation of the environment by reducing traffic congestion, improving accessibility to

San Francisco's transit system, and reducing the use of single occupancy vehicles. The Central Subway Project will reduce emissions related to vehicular traffic and greenhouse gases and will increase the use of electric energy from renewable hydroelectric power, resulting in a decrease in energy consumption of 1.05 billion BTUs annually.

There has been an update to the schedule in which the Master Project Schedule forecasts a Revenue Service Date of January 2020.

Total project costs to date through June 2018 are approximately \$1.2 billion. The total cost to date equals 75% of the total project budget of \$1.6 billion.

Amount Allocated: \$81,880,405.00 *All proceeds disbursed.*



SFMTA Central Subway Project

Figure H

Proposition 84: Safe Drinking Water, Water Quality and Supply, Flood **Control, River and Coastal Protection** Bond Act of 2006

The following programs and projects have been allocated 2014 Green Bond funding under Proposition 84:

Program

Integrated Regional Water Management (IRWM) Grant Program

Administered by the Natural Resources

Agency through the Department of Water Resources, the IRWM **Grant Program funds** projects that help local public agencies meet the long-term water needs of the State, including the delivery of safe drinking water and the protection of water quality and the environment. Project goals include increasing water supply, improving water and groundwater quality, conserving and reusing water, rehabilitating Coalition of Ventura County watersheds, improving water habitats, and flood management. IRWM approved projects also help mitigate climate change by reducing energy consumption, especially the energy embedded in water use, and ultimately

reducing GHG emissions.

Projects

County of Ventura: Watershed Coalition of Ventura County-Ventura County Waterworks District No. 16 Piru Treatment Plant Tertiary Upgrade

Funding was used to construct tertiary treatment facilities to improve water quality at existing percolation ponds and provide recycled water suitable for irrigation reuse. The plant will treat approximately 500,000 gallons per day

> (GPD) and prevent the percolation of high chloride and total dissolved solids into the groundwater

system.

Amount Allocated: \$368,710.11 All proceeds disbursed.

Victor Valley Water Reclamation **Authority: Mojave-**Victor Valley Wastewater Reclamation **Authority Subregional Reclamation Project** Funding was used to construct the Hesperia Water Reclamation Plant

and Apple Valley Water Reclamation Plant to recycle Title 22 compliant water for percolation to groundwater and to customers for unrestricted landscape irrigation. The plant will treat and supply approximately 2 million GPD and eliminate the discharge of effluent into the Mojave river.

Amount Allocated: \$3,000,000.00 All proceeds disbursed.

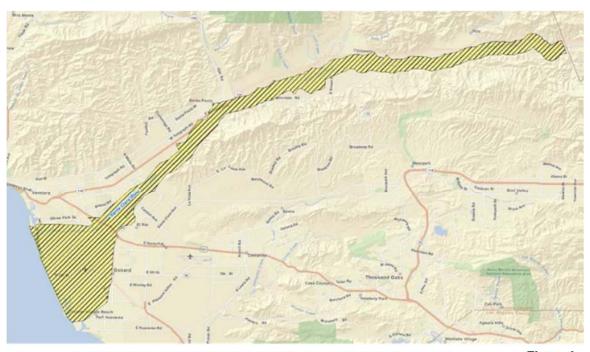
he Piru **Treatment** *Plant tertiary* upgrade will provide significant water supply and economic benefits to the Piru disadvantage community, reducing the need to purchase ground or surface water, or pump groundwater. -Source: Watersheds

County of Ventura: Watershed Coalition of Ventura County-The Nature Conservancy Natural Floodplain Protection Project (Figure I)

Funding was used to acquire property easements to preserve a critical section of the remaining undeveloped 500-year floodplain in the Santa Clara River

Mojave Water Agency: Mojave-Hi-Desert Water District Wastewater Treatment and Reclamation Project

Funding was used to construct a wastewater treatment facility and collection system to serve the residents of the Yucca Valley area. The treatment facility will process 4 million GPD, restoring nearby surface water quality and



Santa Clara River Watershed Natural Floodplain Protection Location Map

Figure I

Watershed. Protecting the floodplain from development will ensure that the land can continue to provide natural flood control for high river flows at relatively low cost, with no infrastructure requirements, and no need for future construction and maintenance of levees. At the same time, the easements will preserve an important area of natural aquatic and riparian habitat.

Amount Allocated: \$1,828,207.25 *All proceeds disbursed.*

preventing groundwater pollution.

Amount Allocated: \$656,389.58 *All proceeds disbursed.*

Program

Delta Levee System Integrity Program-Administered by the Natural Resources Agency through the Department of Water Resources (DWR), and the California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW). The Levee System Integrity Program funds projects that reduce risk to land use and associated economic activities, water supply, agriculture and

projects

residential use, infrastructure, and the ecosystem from the effects of catastrophic breaching of Delta levees. Many projects directly affect the California Action Plan and EcoRestore.

Project

Dutch Slough: Dutch Slough Tidal Marsh Restoration Project

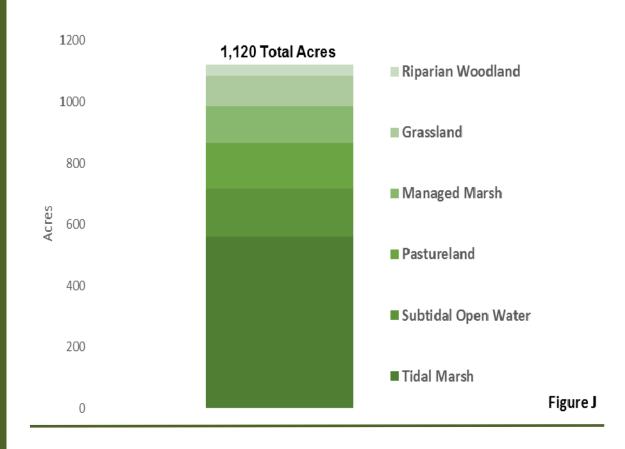
The Dutch Slough Tidal Marsh Restoration Project is a cooperative partnership between the DWR, State Coastal Conservancy, CDFW, Natural Heritage Institute, Ironhouse Sanitary District, Reclamation Districts 2137 and 799, and the City of Oakley that will restore tidal

marsh habitats on 1,120 acres of land in the western Delta, as seen in **Figure J**, to provide habitat for native wildlife and improve health of the Delta ecosystem. This is an EcoRestore project.

In addition, the project will provide approximately two miles of public-access trails, a fishing pier, and other recreational and educational opportunities.

Amount Allocated: \$3,115,625.49 *All proceeds disbursed.*

Dutch Slough Tidal Restoration



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California Department of Water Resources

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Additional information for projects mentioned in this report may be found on the respective administering agency's website.



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