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April 18, 2023

Natalie Wales Director, Regulatory Policy & Compliance California Water Service Co. 1720 North First Street San Jose, CA 95112

Dear Ms. Wales,

The Water Division of the California Public Utilities Commission has approved California Water Service Company's Advice Letter No. 2472, filed on February 3, 2023, regarding Update of Service Area Maps for Bakersfield, Chico, Los Altos, Bay Area Region (only Redwood Valley-ARM, District: HWK, LUC, NH, RDP), and Visalia districts.

Enclosed are copies of the following revised tariff sheets, effective March 5, 2023, for the utility's files:

P.U.C. Sheet

No.	Title of Sheet
13095-W	Service Area Map, Bakersfield
13096-W	Service Area Map, Chico
13097-W	Service Area Map, Los Altos
13098-W	Service Area Map, Redwood Valley District
	(Armstrong System)
13099-W	Service Area Map, Redwood Valley District
	(Hawkins System)
13100-W	Service Area Map, Redwood Valley District
	(Lucerne System)
13101-W	Service Area Map, Redwood Valley District
	(Noel Heights System)
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	(Rancho Del Paradiso
	System)
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Please contact Mahdi Jahami at MJ4@cpuc.ca.gov or 916-743-5080, if you have any questions.

Thank you.

Enclosures



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Advice Letter Cover Sheet

Utility Name: District:	California Water Service Company Bakersfield, Chico, Los Altos, Bay Area Region (only Redwood Valley – ARM, HWK, LUC, NH, RDP), and Visalia	Date Mailed to Service L	ist: 2/03/2023
CPUC Utility #:	U-60-W	Protest Deadline (20th Da	y): 2/23/2023
Advice Letter #:	2472	Review Deadline (30 th Da	y): 3/05/2023
Tier:	□1 X 2 □3 □ Compliance	Requested Effective Da	te: 3/05/2023
Authorization:	G.O. 96-B, Water Industry Rules		
Description:	7.3.2(8) and 8.1 Update of Service Area Maps	Rate Impa	act: \$ None % None
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February 3, 2023

Advice Letter No. 2472

To the California Public Utilities Commission:

California Water Service Company ("Cal Water") respectfully submits this Tier 2 advice letter requesting authority to make the following changes to tariffs applicable to the Bakersfield, Chico, Los Altos, Redwood Valley (Armstrong, Hawkins, Lucerne, Noel Heights, Rancho Del Paradiso) (within the Bay Area Region), and Visalia tariff areas. *Please note that this advice letter will only be distributed electronically to the Water Division and the attached service lists.*

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Sheet No.	Title of Sheet	Schedule No.	Sheet No.
13095-W	Service Area Map, Bakersfield		12336-W
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13097-W	Service Area Map, Los Altos		12169-W
	Service Area Map, Redwood Valley		
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Summary

Cal Water submits this advice letter to request modifications to the service area boundaries of Bakersfield, Chico, and Visalia Districts, and the Noel Heights (Redwood Valley) area of the Bay Area Region. All areas except Bakersfield are extensions of service area map boundaries. For Bakersfield, a customer is being transferred out of the service area. Additionally, Cal Water requests modifications to the titles of the following service area maps in the Bay Area Region

(Redwood Valley) – the Armstrong, Hawkins, Lucerne, Noel Heights, and Rancho Del Paradiso systems.

Discussion

<u>Bakersfield</u>: The service area map submitted in this advice letter reflects a transfer of service. Cal Water seeks approval for the release of one customer to the East Niles Community Services District. A Water Supply and Certification Questionnaire (WSQ) is not necessary for this transfer.

<u>Bay Area Region – Noel Heights (Redwood Valley):</u> The service area map submitted reflects the addition of one single-family residential property that fronts an existing Cal Water main.

<u>Chico:</u> The service area map submitted for Chico includes six contiguous extensions of the currently approved boundaries. Of these six extensions, Cal Water has already been serving two single-family residences (labeled as (1) and (3) on the proposed service area map). Since Cal Water was able to tap service from an existing main, the need to update the service area boundary (which is most often triggered by a main extension request) appears to have been inadvertently overlooked. Two additional single-family residences, areas (2) and (4), have requested to start service with Cal Water. A new development (5) with a total of 10 connections that began construction in April of 2022 is ready for tie-in. The final extension, area (6), is associated with a wildfire hardening project that Cal Water executed in a particularly high-fire risk area.

<u>Los Altos</u>: The service area map submitted for Los Altos reflects the addition of one property. The owner requested water service for a single-family residence that fronts an existing Cal Water main.

<u>Visalia:</u> The service area map submitted for Visalia contains eight extensions of the currently approved service area boundary. Area (1) on the proposed map contains 61 service connections that are slated to be single family units. Two commercial properties have requested service – area (2) contains one connection and area (3) contains three connections. The development located at area (4) will have 86 connections. Areas (5) and (6) are single family residential properties that will each have three connections. Area (7) is a subdivision with 64 service connections. The area (8) extension is a single-family residential property that has applied for service and fronts a Cal Water main.

Adequacy of Water Supply: In lieu of the Water Supply and Certification Questionnaires (WSQs) for the service area expansions discussed above, please see each district's Urban Water Management Plan (UWMP). The UWMPs provide proof that Cal Water "already has a water supply adequate to serve the areas or a plan to obtain such a supply," as required by GO 96-B, Water Industry Rule 8.1. Each area's document is publicly available on the Cal Water website.¹

¹ The UWMPs for all districts can be found here: https://www.calwater.com/conservation/uwmp2020/.



- Chapter 3 of each UWMP provides a description of the system. Chapter 4 focuses on system water use, with a breakdown of actual water demand by use type in Table 4-1, projections through 2050 for baseline water demand in Table 4-2, and a historical water loss summary from 2016 through 2020 in Table 4-4.
- Chapter 6 discusses system supplies and provides a summary of actual water supplies in Table 6-8 as well as projected water supplies in Table 6-9.
- Together, Table 4-1 and Table 6-8 demonstrate that developments added to the district's service area have had sufficient water supplied.
- Together, Table 4-2 and Table 6-9 demonstrate that projected growth will have sufficient water supplied.

The UWMPs were adopted in June 2021 and submitted to the California Department of Water Resources in July 2021. The next UWMPs will be available sometime in 2026, as the studies are completed on a five-year cycle.

Service Area Map Title Corrections: Cal Water is correcting the titles of five Redwood Valley service area maps to reflect that they are a part of the Bay Area Region. Coast Springs has already undergone the change in Advice Letter 2455. In this advice letter, Cal Water submits the service area maps for Armstrong, Hawkins, Lucerne, Noel Heights, and Rancho Del Paradiso Systems, specifying "Bay Area Region" in each respective title.

Authority

Cal Water submits this as a Tier 2 advice letter according to General Order 96-B, Water Industry Rules 7.3.2(8) and 8.1.

Requested Effective Date

Cal Water requests that the attached tariffs in this Tier 2 advice letter become effective on **March 5, 2023.**

Notice

<u>Customer Notice</u>: Customer notice of this advice letter is not required.

<u>Service List:</u> In accordance with General Order 96-B, General Rules 4.3 and 7.2, and Water Industry Rule 4.1, a copy of this advice letter will be transmitted *electronically* on February 3, 2023 to competing and adjacent utilities and other utilities or interested parties having requested such notification, including the Local Agency Formation Commission (LAFCO). *Please note that this advice letter will only be distributed electronically to the Water Division and the attached service lists.*

Response or Protest

Anyone may respond to or protest this advice letter. When submitting a response or protest, please include the utility name and advice letter number in the subject line. A response supports the filing and may contain information that proves useful to the Commission in evaluating the advice letter. A protest objects to the advice letter in whole or in part and must set forth the



specific grounds on which it is based. These grounds are:

- (1) The utility did not properly serve or give notice of the advice letter;
- (2) The relief requested in the advice letter would violate statute or Commission order, or is not authorized by statute or Commission order on which the utility relies;
- (3) The analysis, calculations, or data in the advice letter contain material error or omissions;
- (4) The relief requested in the advice letter is pending before the Commission in a formal proceeding; or
- (5) The relief requested in the advice letter requires consideration in a formal hearing, or is otherwise inappropriate for the advice letter process; or
- (6) The relief requested in the advice letter is unjust, unreasonable, or discriminatory (provided such a protest may not be made where it would require relitigating a prior order of the Commission.)

A protest shall provide citations or proofs where available to allow staff to properly consider the protest. A response or protest must be made in writing or by electronic mail and must be received by the Water Division within 20 days of the date this advice letter is filed. The address for mailing or delivering a protest is:

Tariff Unit, Water Division, 3rd floor California Public Utilities Commission, 505 Van Ness Avenue, San Francisco, CA 94102 water.division@cpuc.ca.gov

On the same date the response or protest is submitted to the Water Division, the respondent or protestant shall send a copy by mail (or e-mail) to Cal Water at the following address:

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Cities and counties requiring Board of Supervisors or Board of Commissioners approval to protest should inform the Water Division within the 20-day protest period so a late-filed protest can be entertained. The informing document should include an estimate of the date the proposed protest might be voted on. The advice letter process does not provide for any responses, protests or comments, except for the utility's reply, after the 20-day comment period.

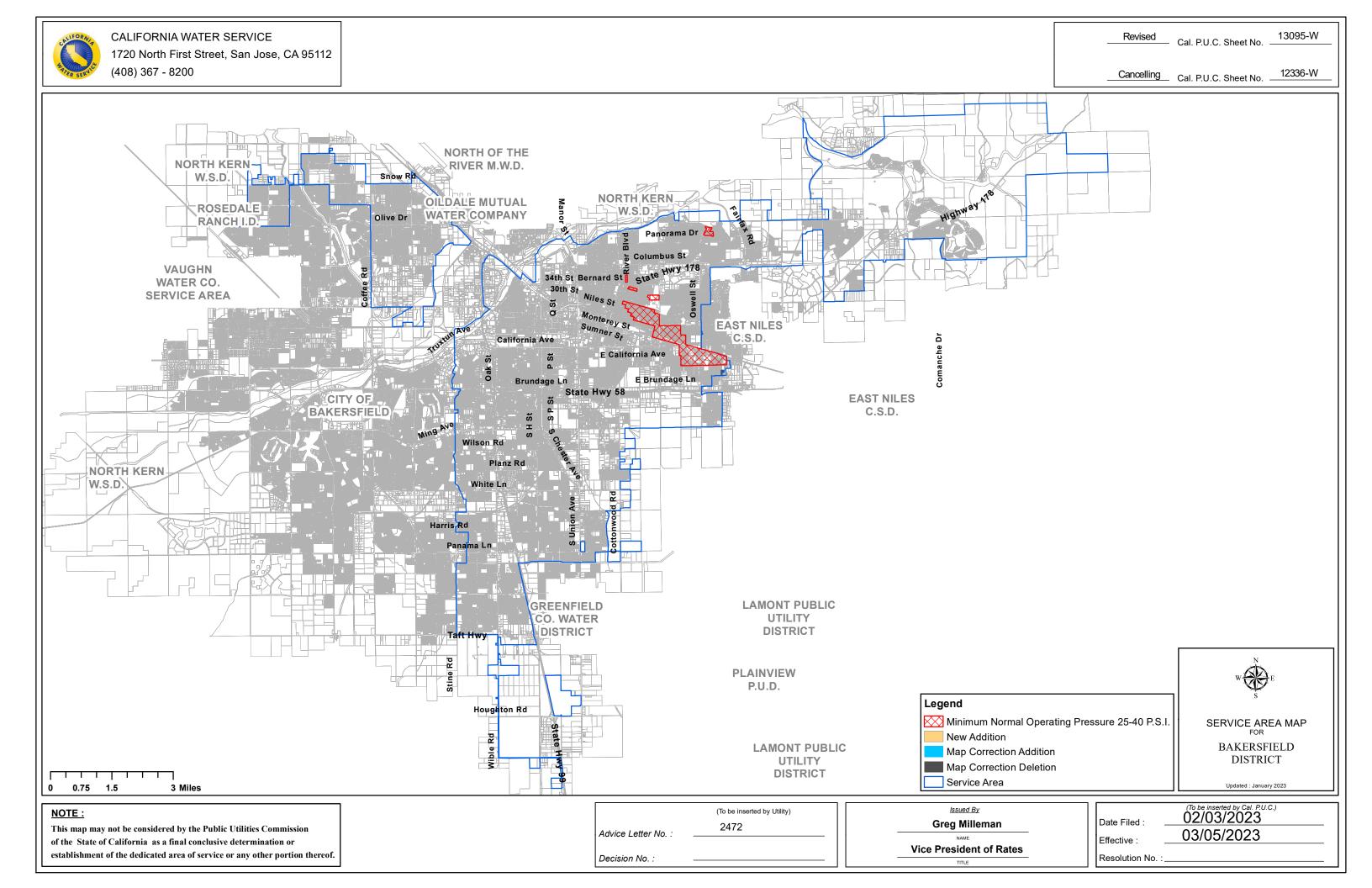
<u>Replies</u>: The utility shall reply to each protest and may reply to any response. Each reply must be received by the Water Division within 5 business days after the end of the protest period and shall be served on the same day to the person who filed the protest or response. If you have not received a reply to your protest within 10 business days, contact California Water Service Company at (408) 367-8200 and ask for the Rates Department.

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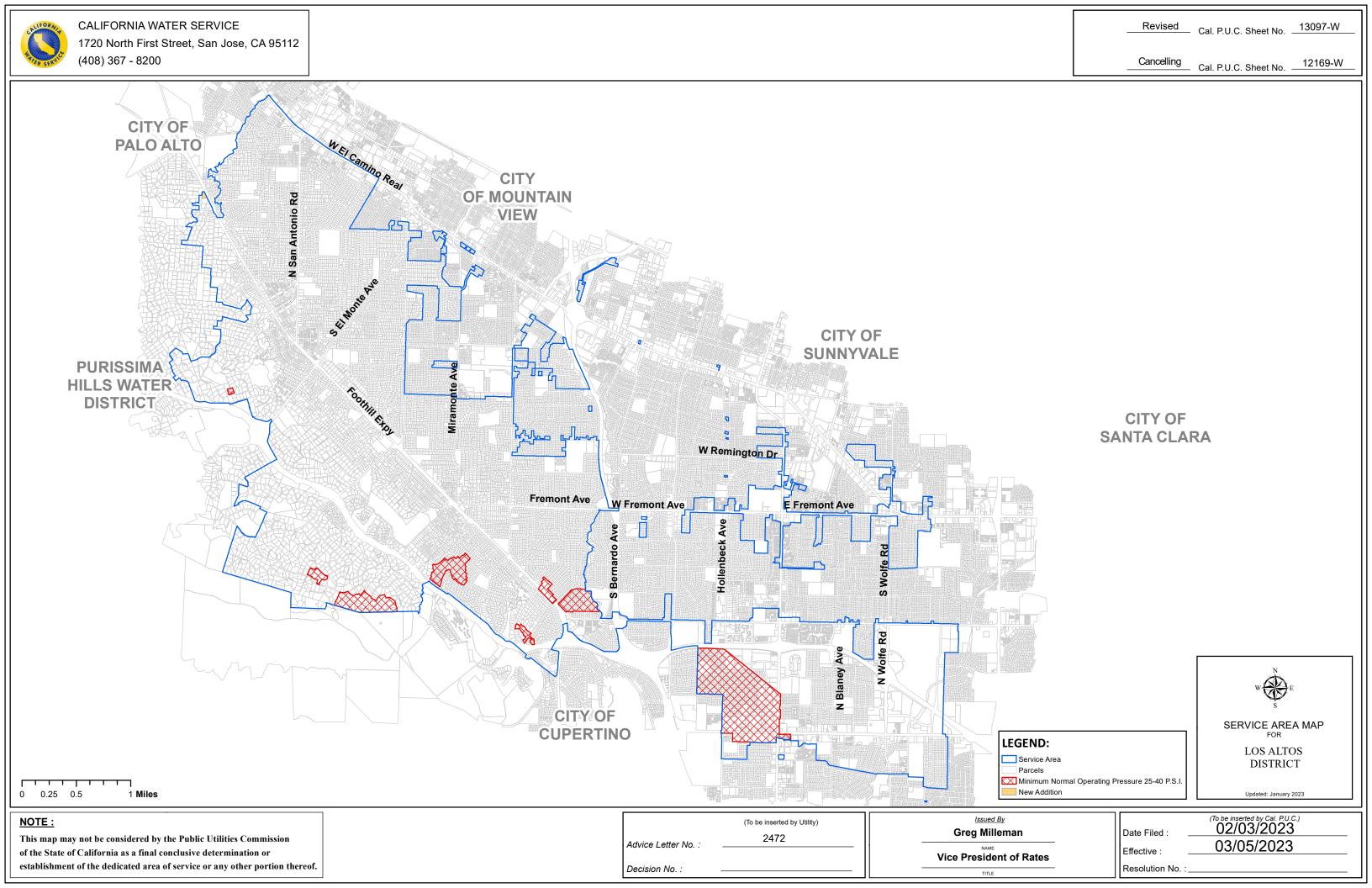
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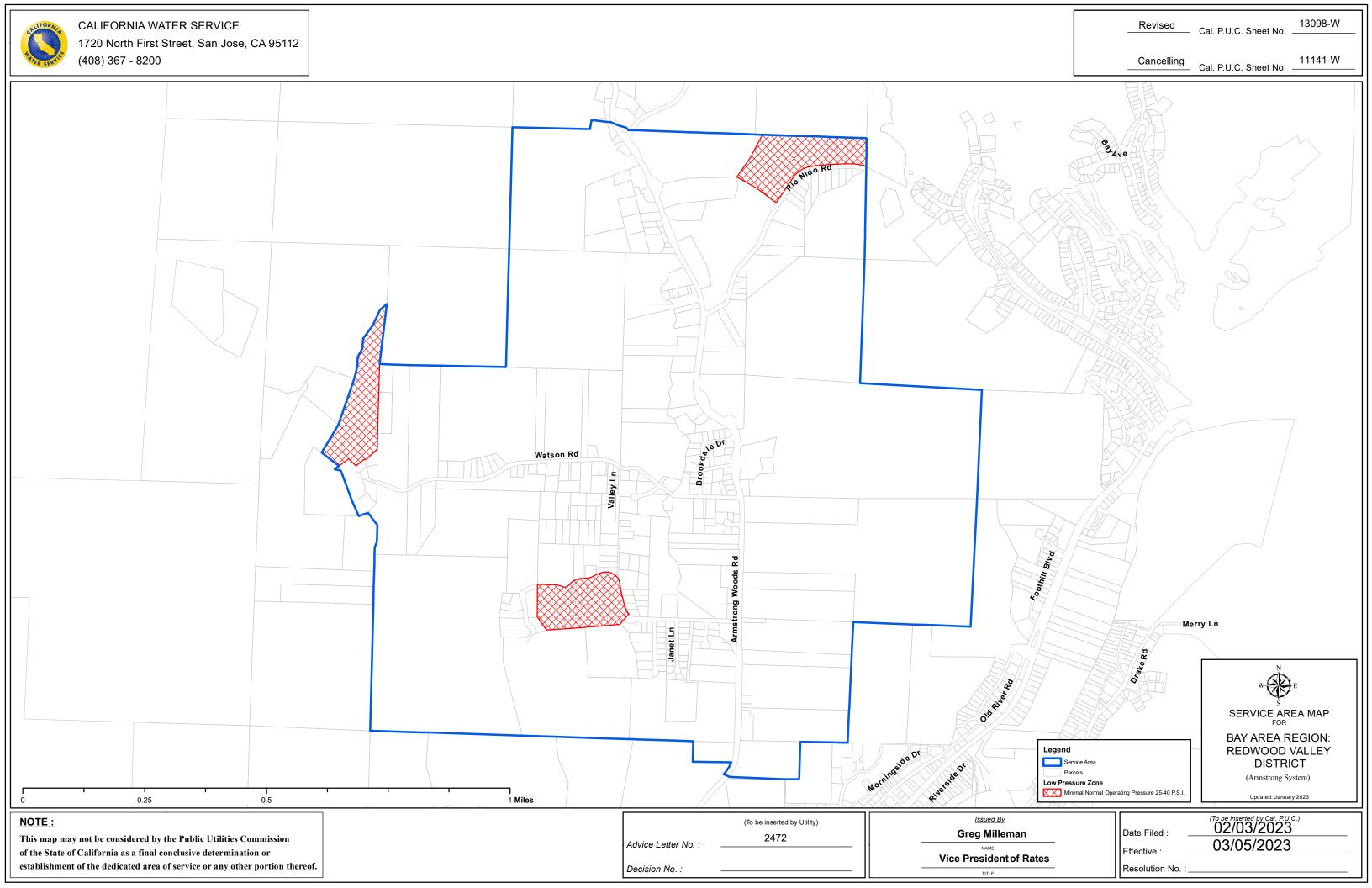
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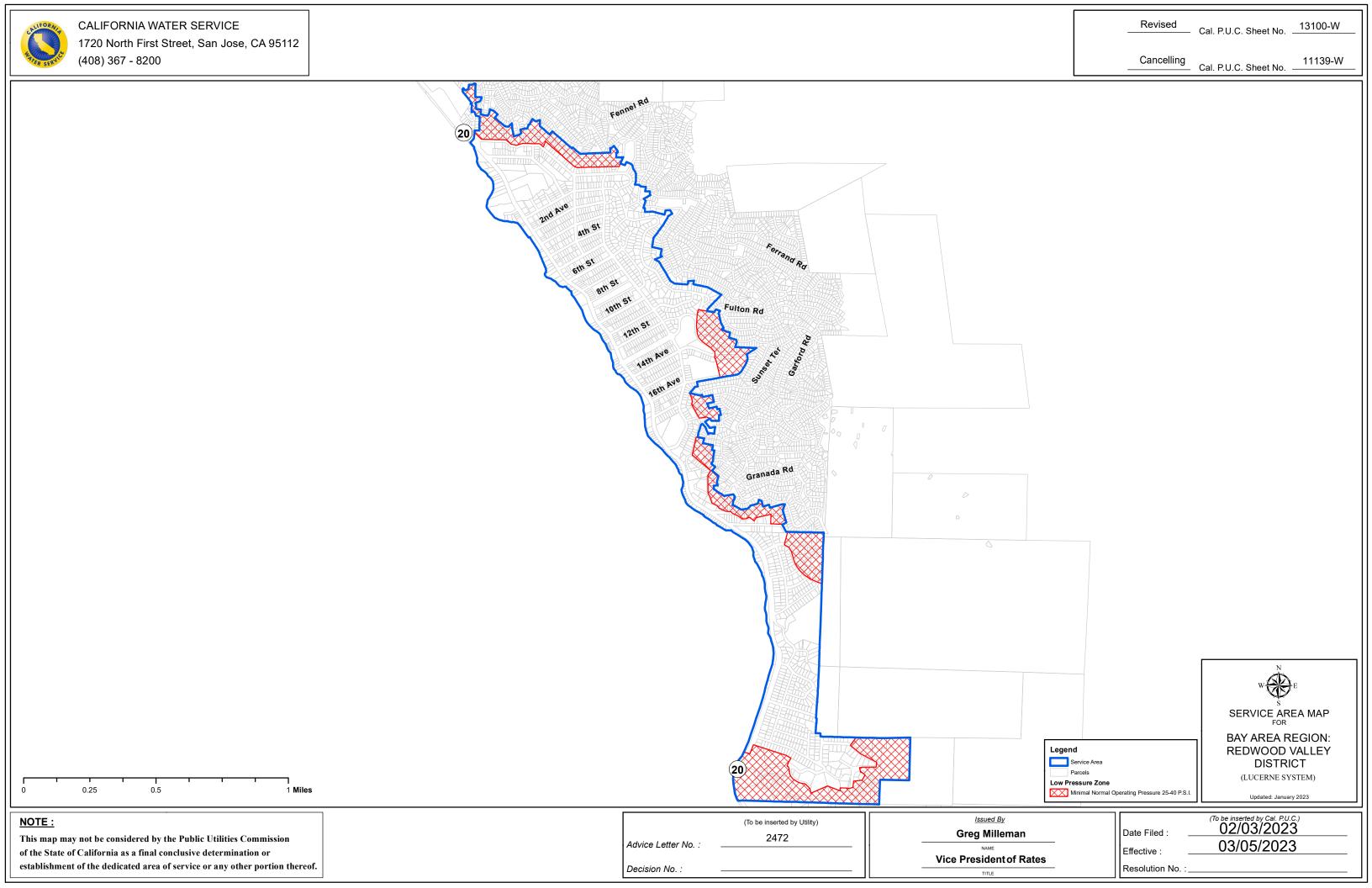


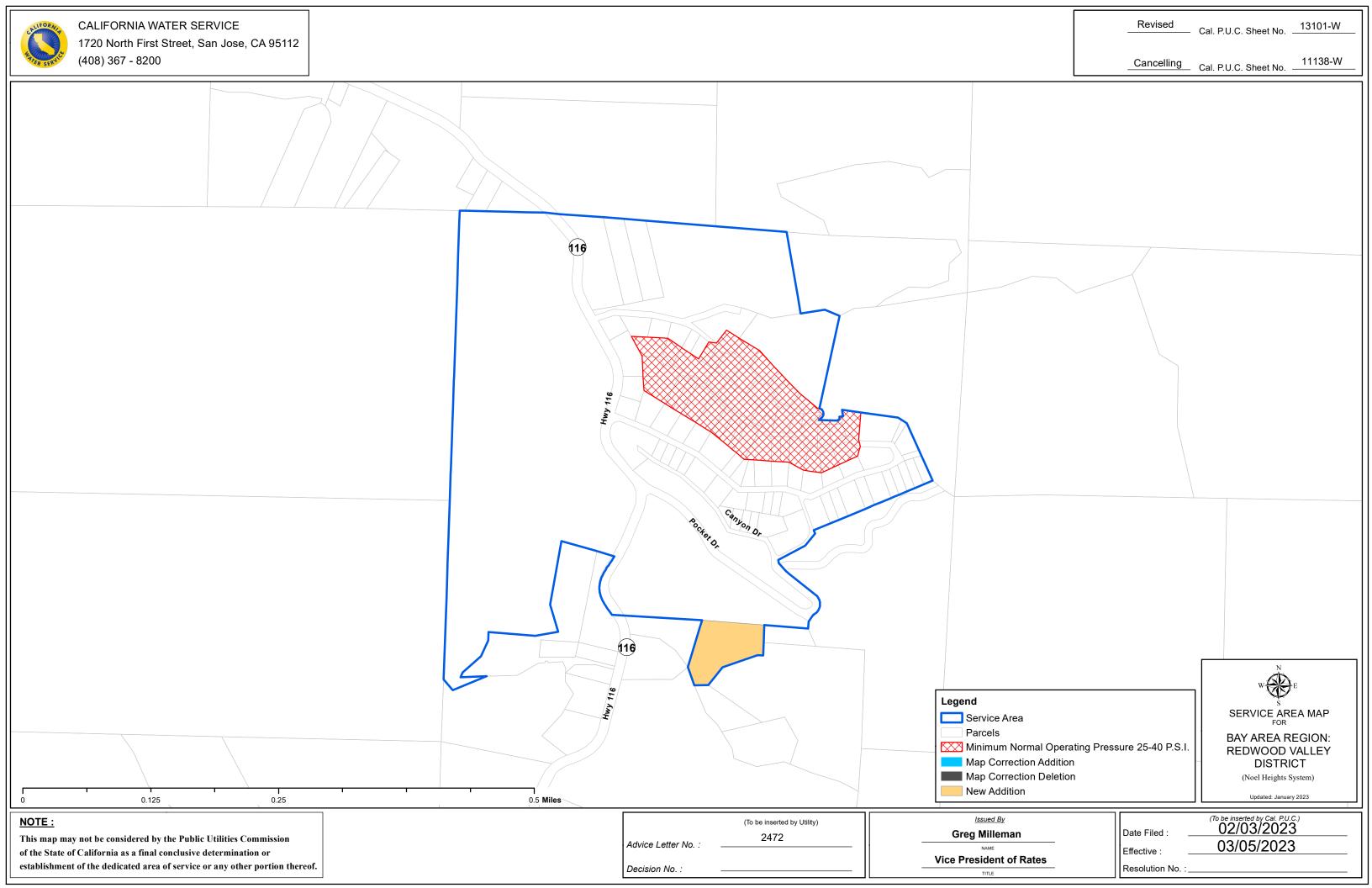
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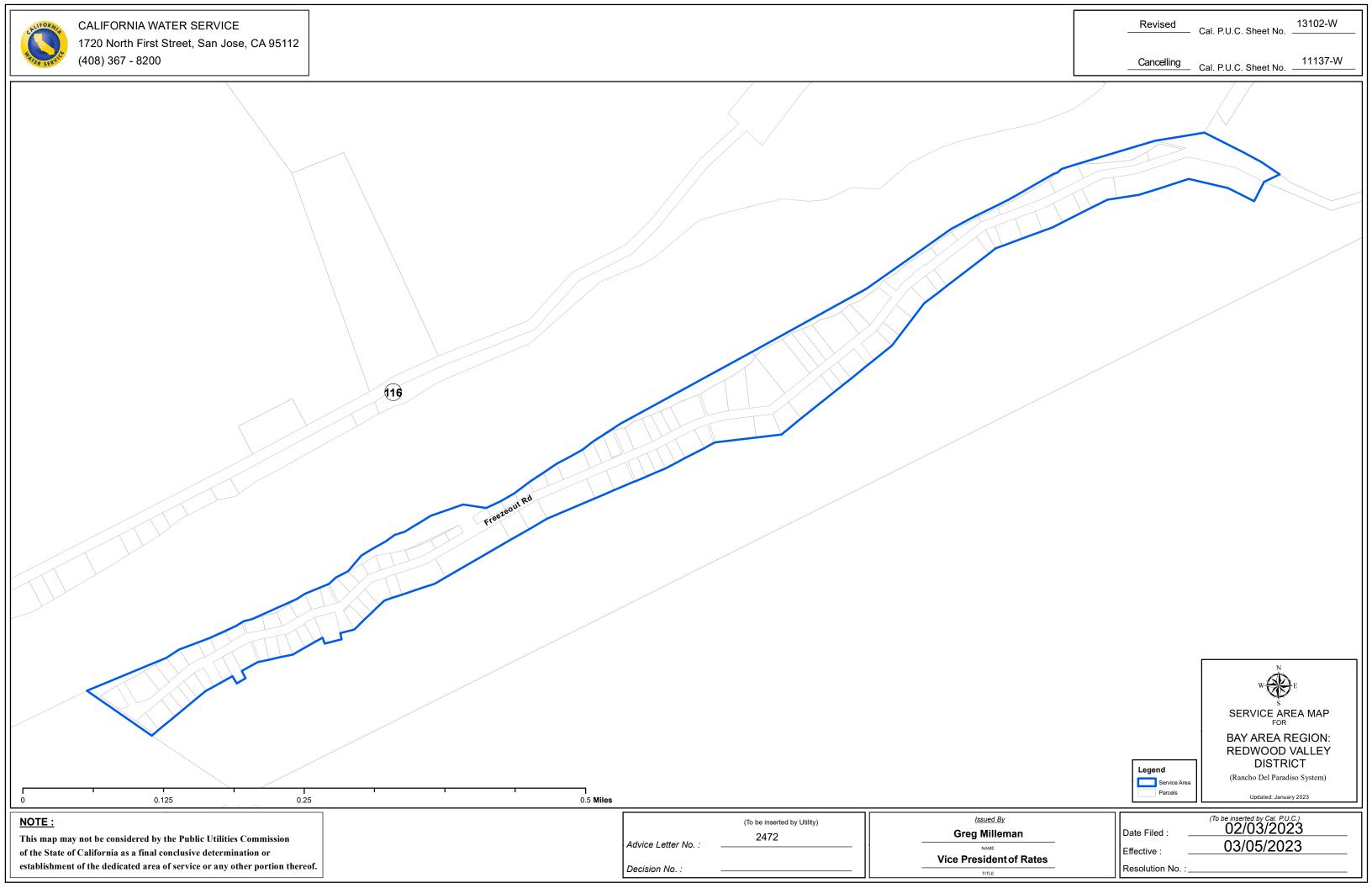


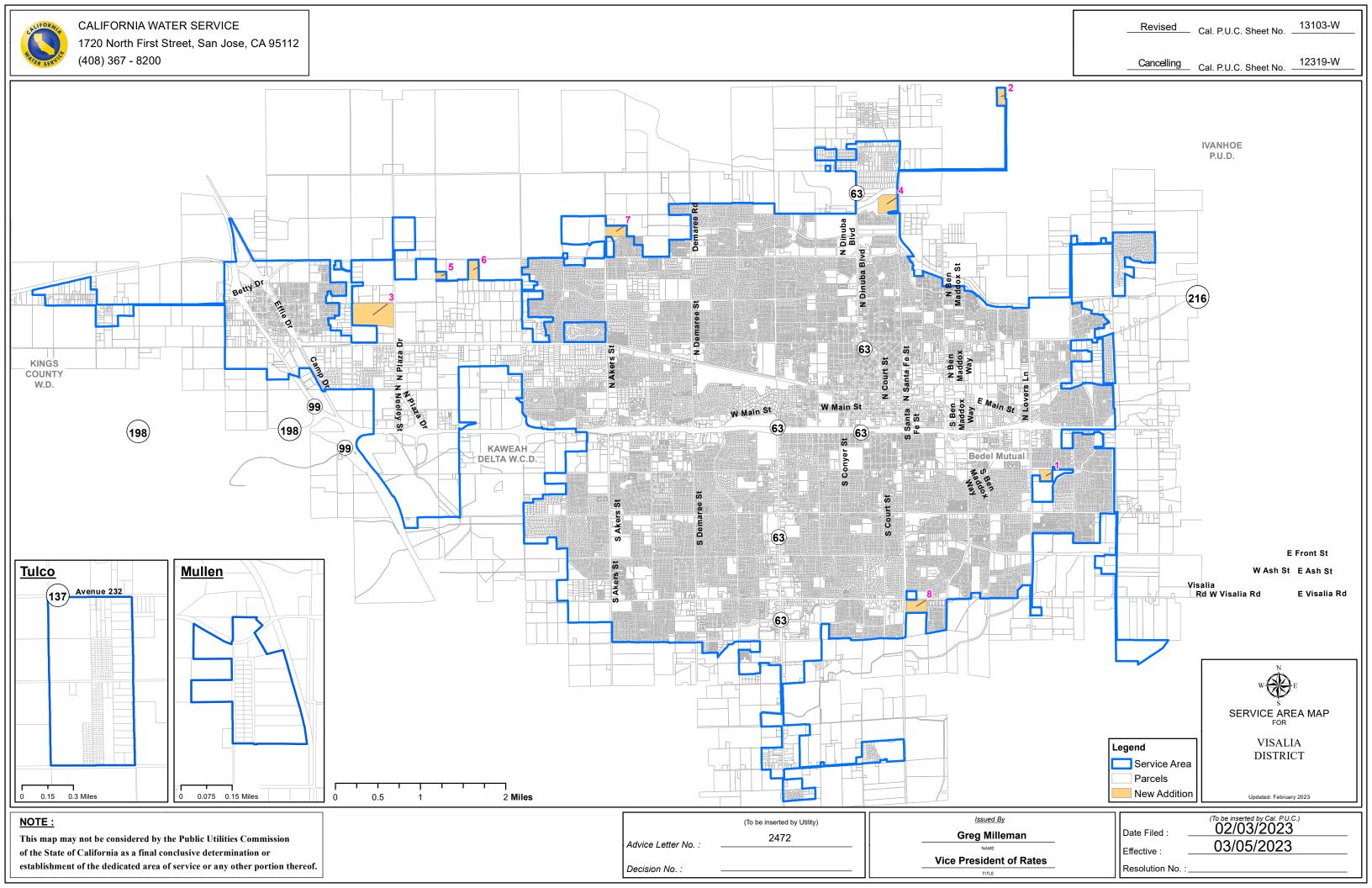












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