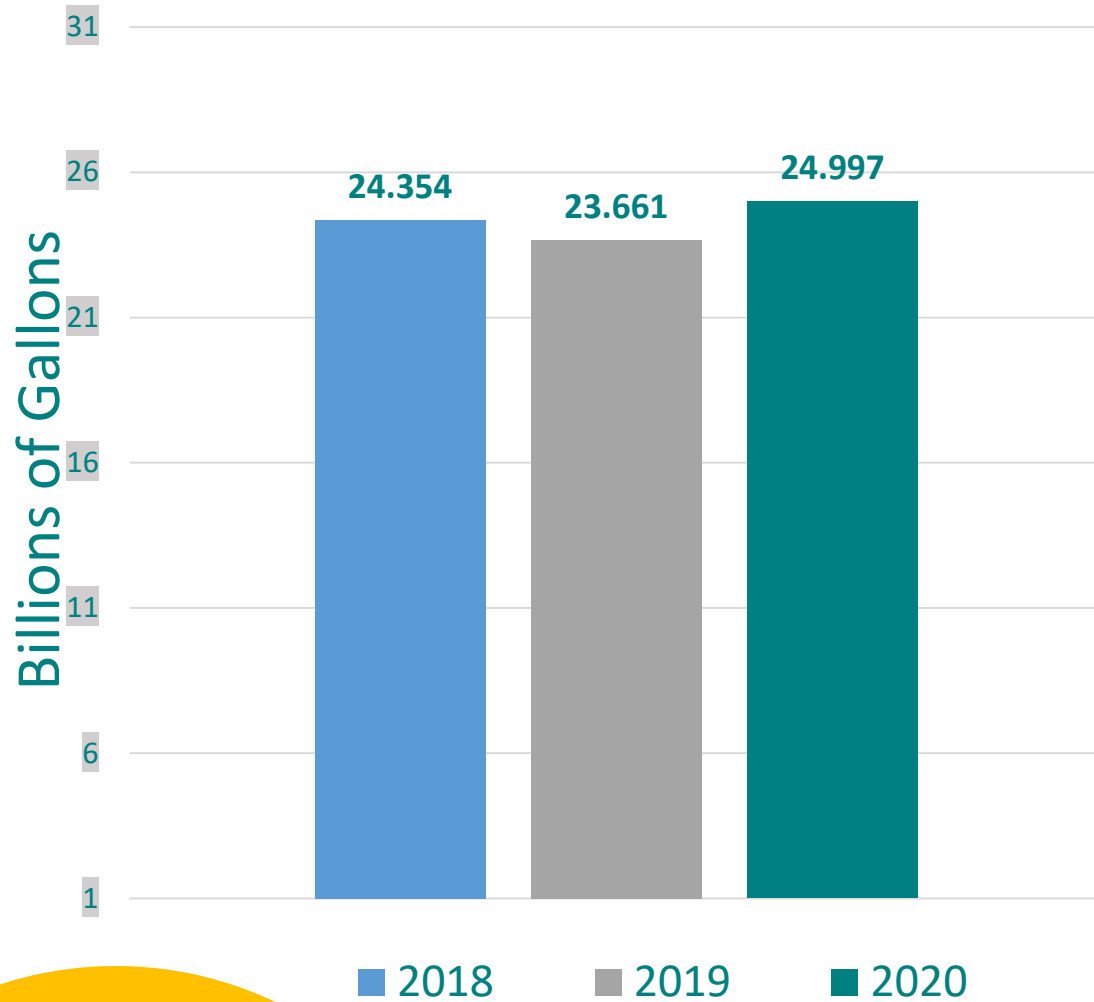


Customer Demand and Drought Report

ABCWUA Board presentation
October 21, 2020

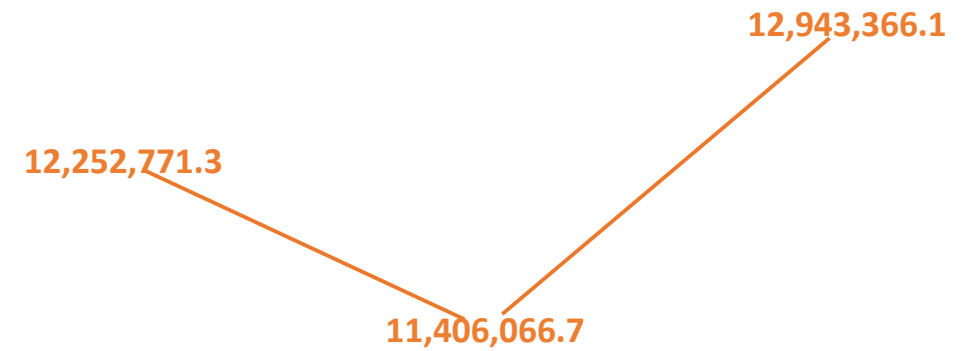
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Water Conservation
Program Manager

Water Demand through September

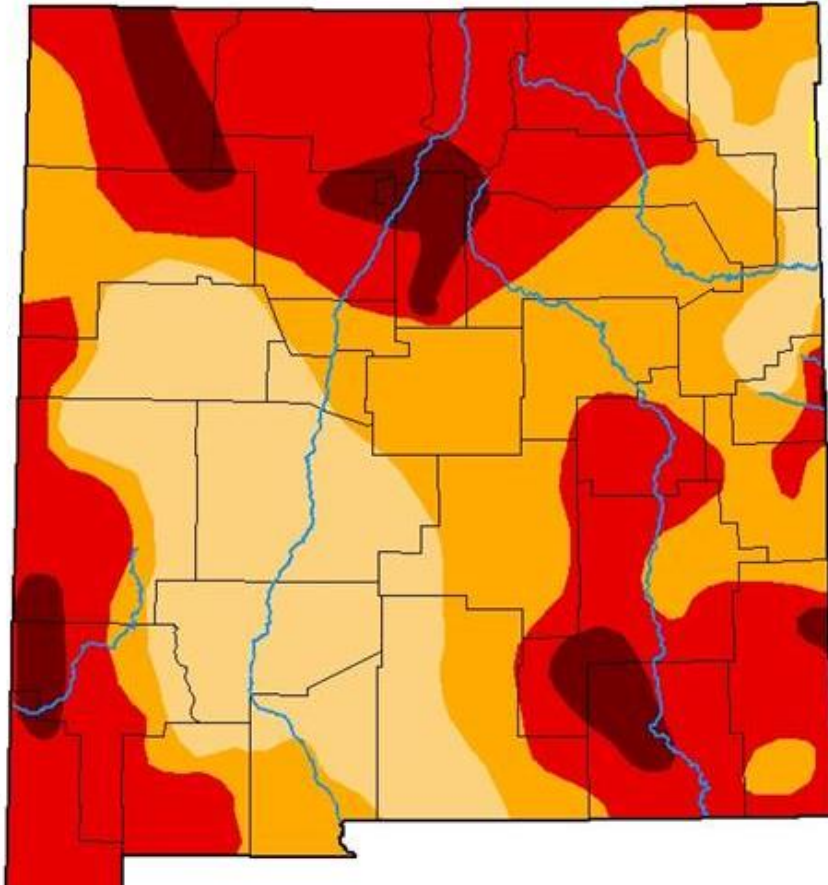


- 1.3 Billion more gallons in 2020 than in 2019 but like 2018 usage
- Total consumptive use higher than last two years

TOTAL CONSUMPTIVE JAN-SEP



U.S. Drought Monitor New Mexico



October 6, 2020
(Released Thursday, Oct. 8, 2020)
Valid 8 a.m. EDT

Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	0.00	100.00	99.94	76.30	45.01	6.82
Last Week 09-29-2020	0.00	100.00	99.92	73.65	39.88	2.90
3 Months Ago 07-07-2020	17.61	82.39	58.16	40.83	11.17	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 12-31-2019	52.86	47.14	28.33	15.26	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year 09-29-2020	0.00	100.00	99.92	73.65	39.88	2.90
One Year Ago 10-08-2019	60.03	39.97	18.07	7.58	0.00	0.00

Intensity:

None	D2 Severe Drought
D0 Abnormally Dry	D3 Extreme Drought
D1 Moderate Drought	D4 Exceptional Drought

The Drought Monitor focuses on broad-scale conditions. Local conditions may vary. For more information on the Drought Monitor, go to <https://droughtmonitor.unl.edu/About.aspx>

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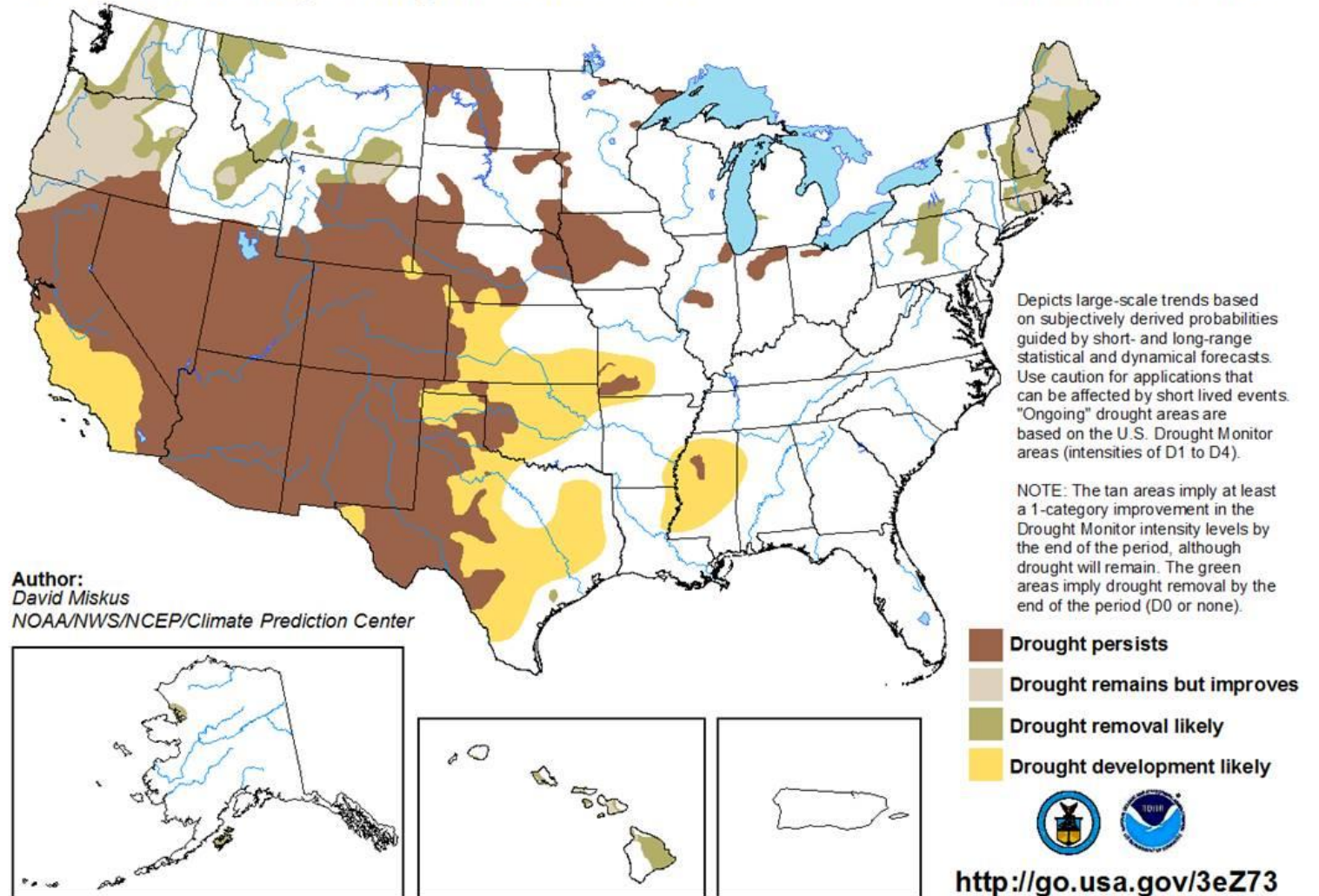


Drought Outlook

Next 3 months Outlook

U.S. Seasonal Drought Outlook Drought Tendency During the Valid Period

Valid for September 17 - December 31, 2020
Released September 17



SERVICE YOUR IRRIGATION SYSTEM


Freeze Warning

Discontinue automatic watering when daytime temperatures are below 40 degrees, and guard your irrigation system against freezing by draining pipes and tubing. Continue to water your trees as needed; seasonal watering recommendations can be found on 505Outside.com

It's a DROUGHT!
Avoid wasteful leaks —
make sure your irrigation system is properly winterized!

Schedule a FREE irrigation consultation!
Email AskAnExpert@abcwua.org

WINTER!




VIRTUAL Customer Conversations

ONLINE DISCUSSION
FORUMS

\$25 GRUBHUB GIFT CARD
FOR ALL PARTICIPANTS




Conservation actions

- Water use compliance
- Customer Conversations
- Bill inserts
 - Promote Smart Watering practices
 - Promote Water by the Numbers
 - Ask An Expert
 - Irrigation Efficiency Consultations



REMEMBER:
→ WATER ←

1 DAY a WEEK in NOVEMBER

***DROUGHT conditions persist!**

Help save water by following the
Water by the Numbers
program. Details at abcwua.org

