

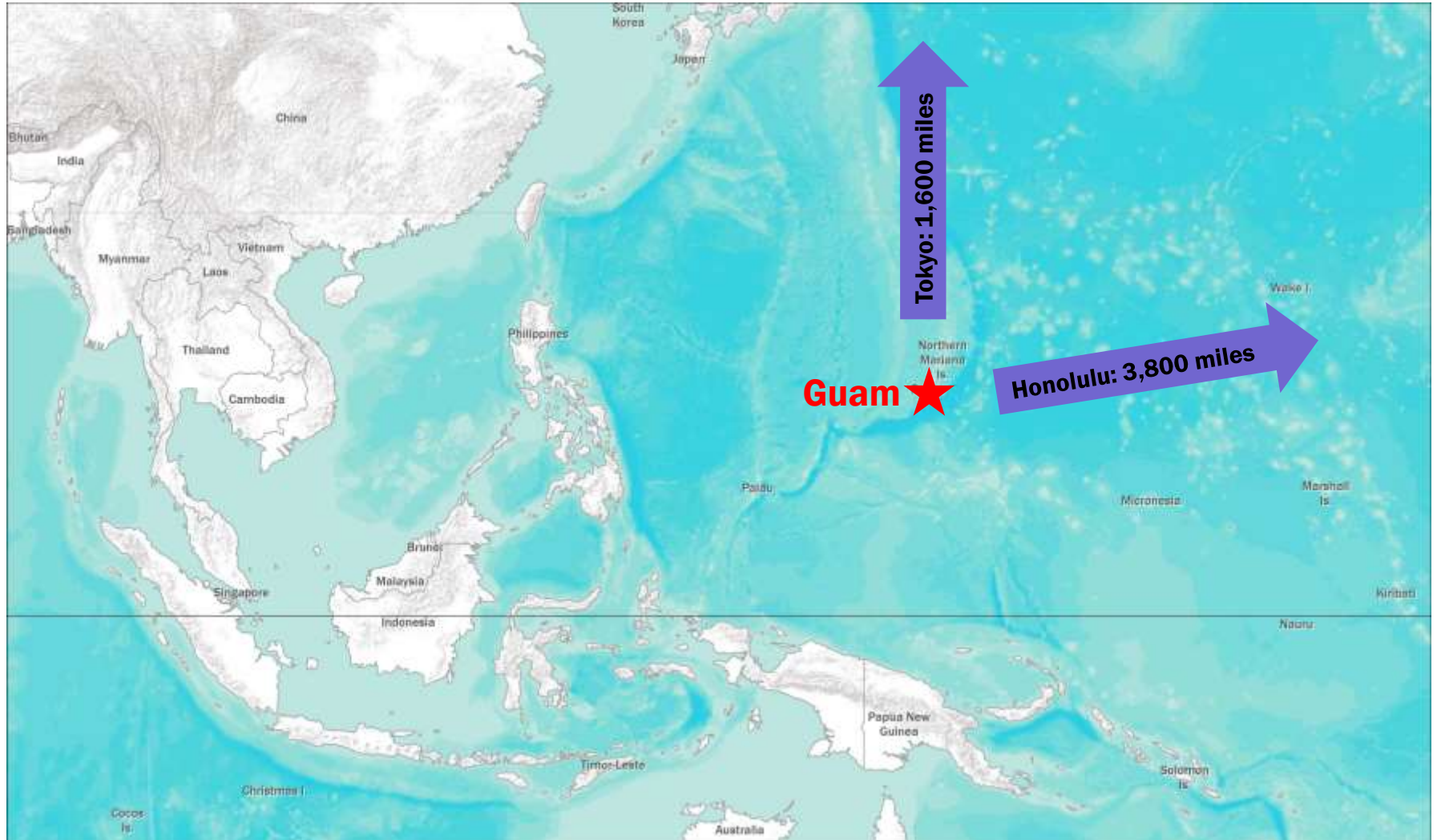
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# Hydraulic Modeling of the Guam Water System

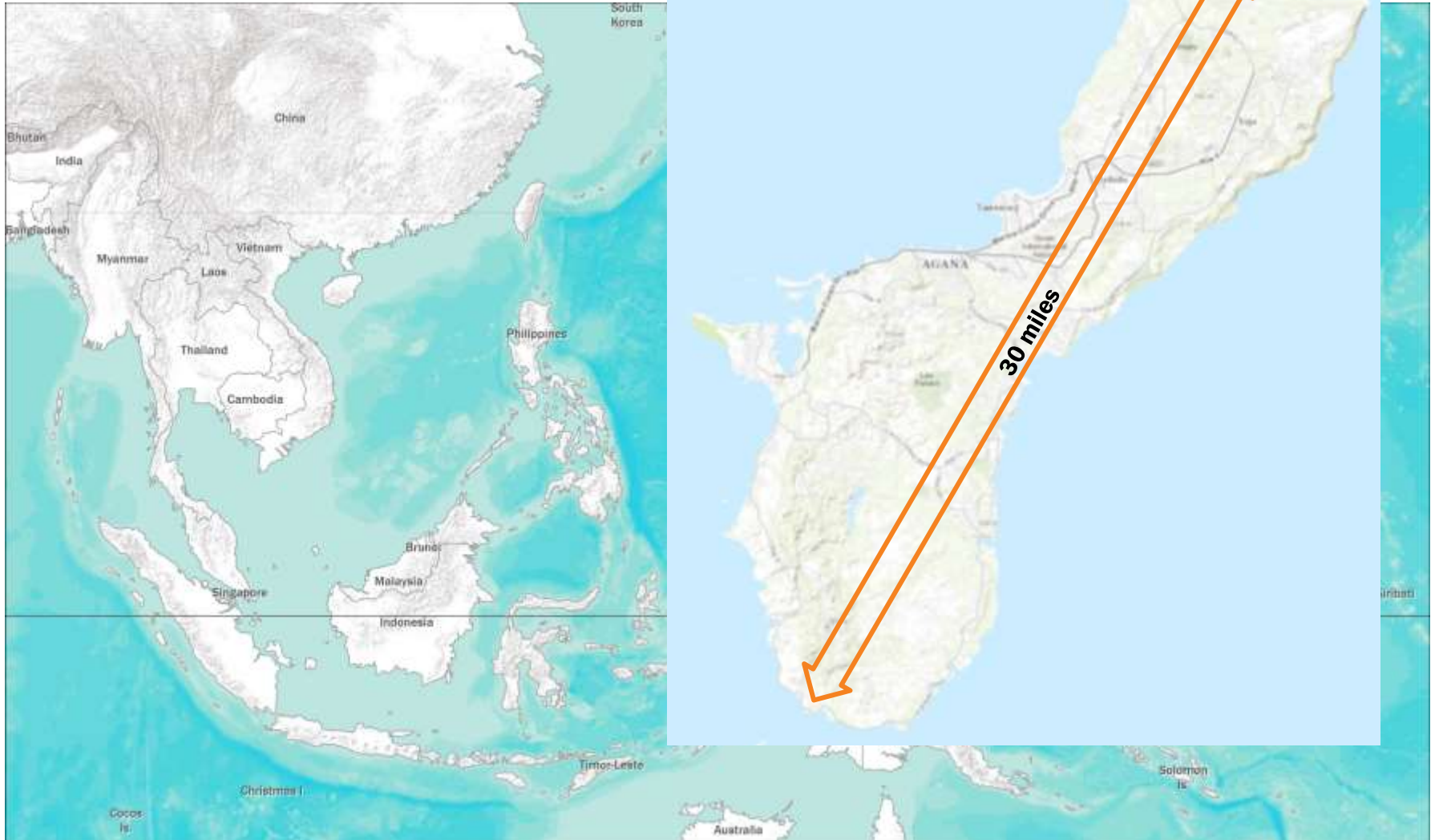
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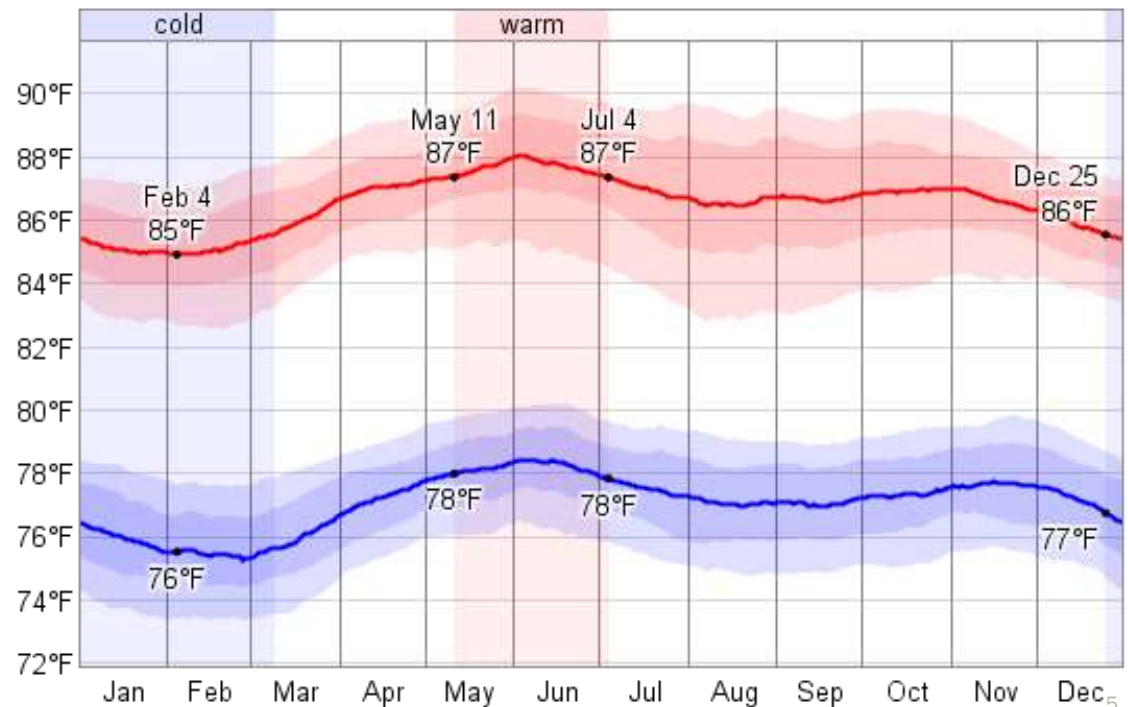
2010 Population: 160,000

## Tropical Climate

- Average rainfall: 92 inches/year
- Average temp: 82°F

## Principal Industries:

- Tourism
- US Military



# Guam History

~2000 BC – Chamarrros arrived

1521 – Ferdinand Magellan

1668 – Spanish colonization

1898 – Surrendered to US

1941 – Captured by the Japanese

1950 – US Territory



# Guam Waterworks Authority (GWA)

Serves civilian population

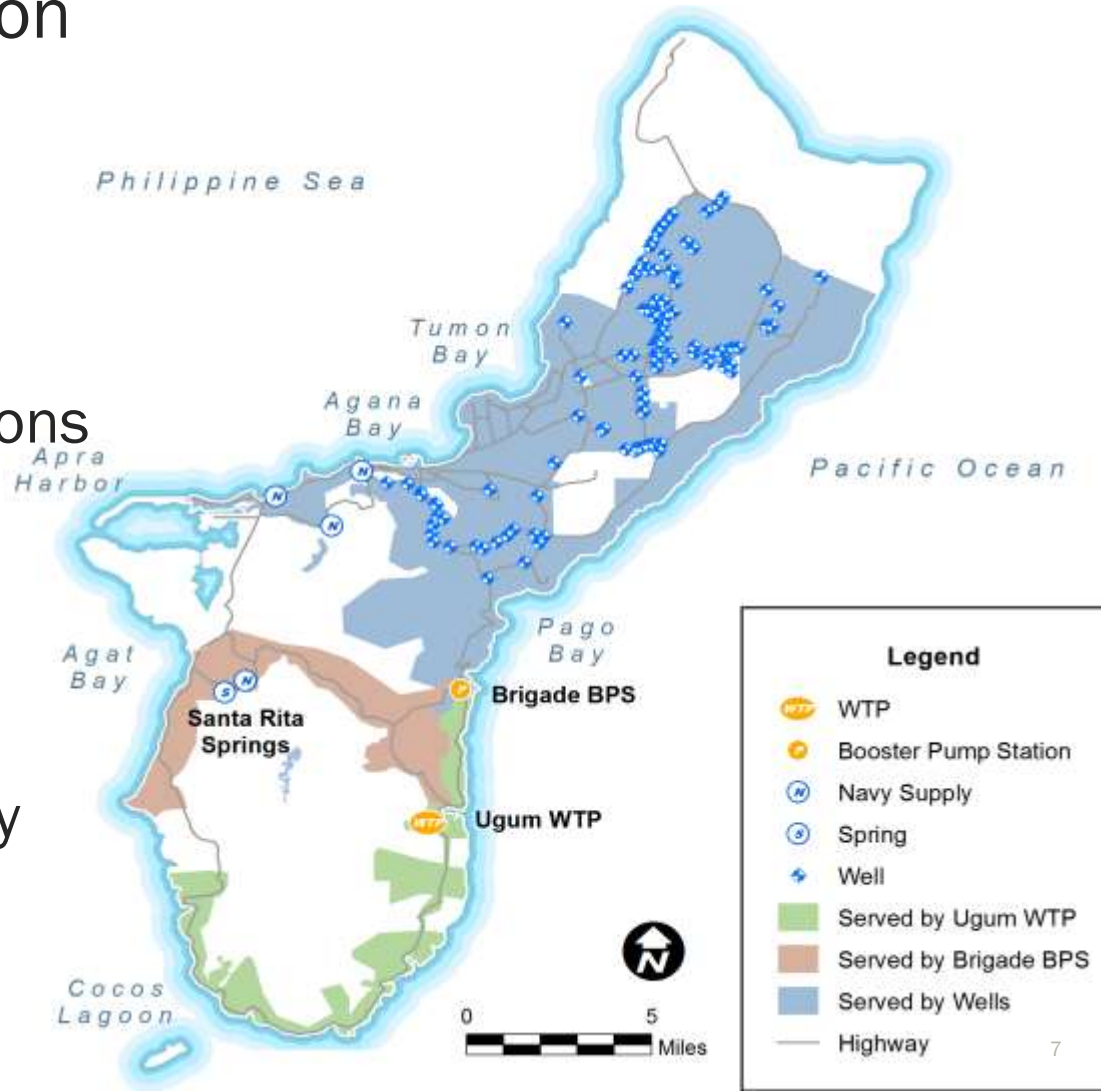
- ~55,000 customers

Water System

- 600 miles of pipe
- 29 Tanks, ~29 MG
- 26 Booster Pump Stations

Supply

- 38 MGD (avg 2014)
- 120 wells in North
- Surface water in South
- Connections to US Navy water system



# GWA Challenges

## Leaks





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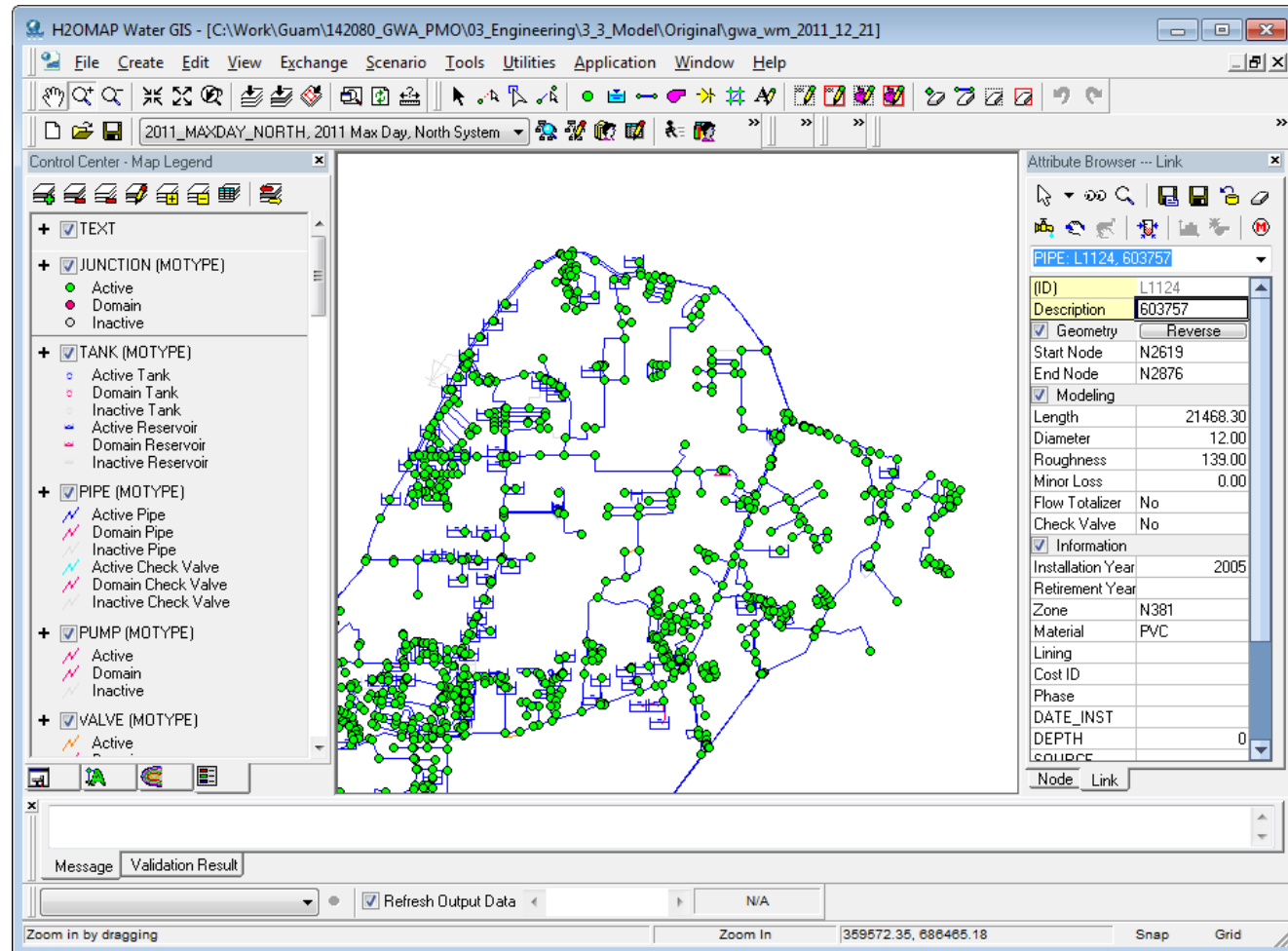
Record Keeping



# Water Distribution Model

First model  
built in 2006

Innovyze's  
H2OMAP Water



# GIS

Started GIS  
from Model  
Piping



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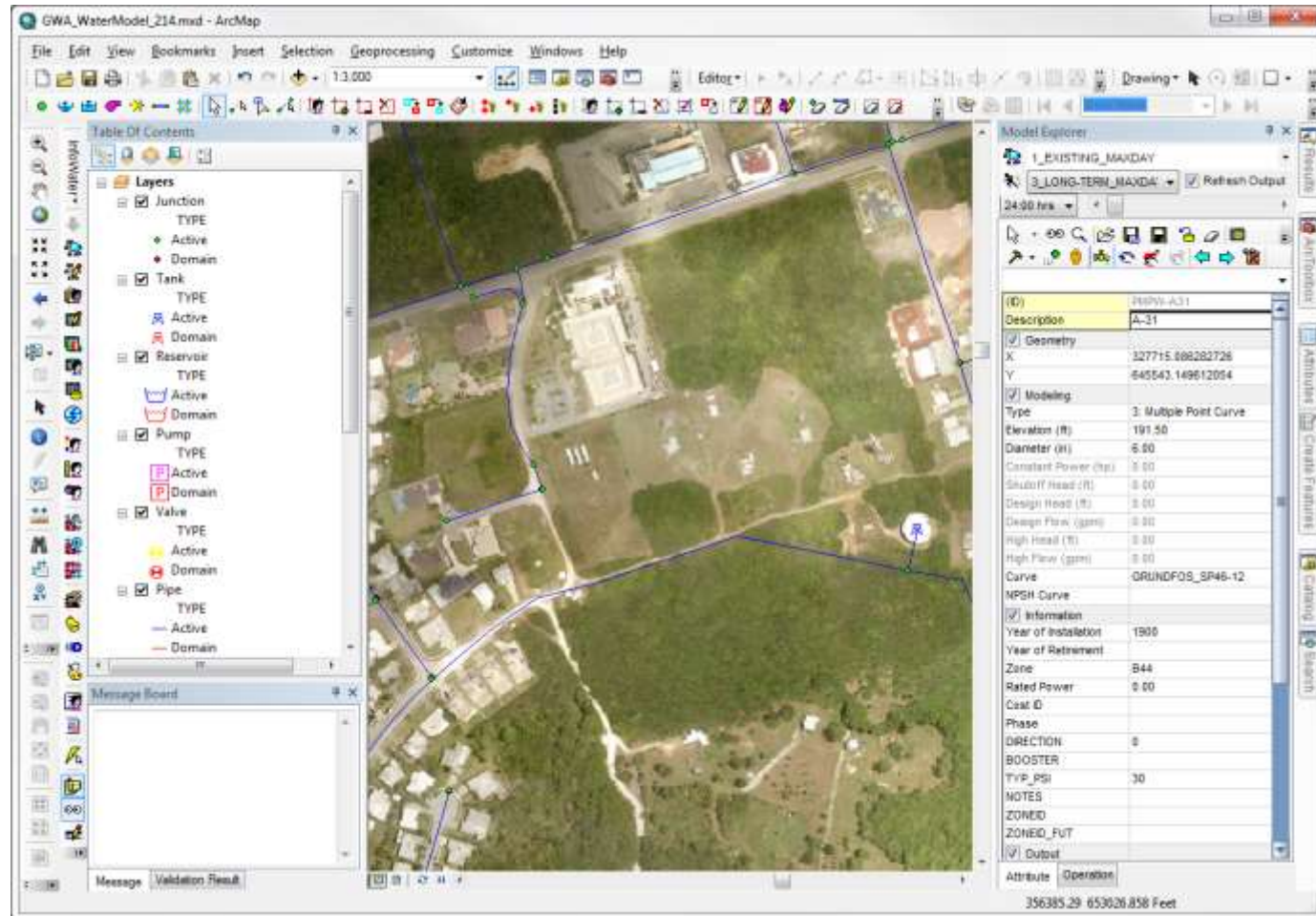
GIS Updates

- As-Builts
- Field Work
- Leak  
Detection



# Updated Model

- 2012 - Model converted to InfoWater
- Runs in ArcGIS
- Piping from latest GIS
- Ongoing updates to GIS



# Model / GIS Linking

## Add New Piping



## Fix Piping Alignments



- Only maintain one database



# Model / GIS Linking

## Model Development

- Standardize and document how model will be built and updated

## Appendix A Model Development

This appendix documents the methodologies and information used in updating the GWA InfoWater computer model and how the model should be updated in the future.

### Model Attributes

This section describes how model attribute fields were populated for each type of model facility. Fields in the model software that are not listed in this appendix were not used or the software default values were used. Model facilities are in the 1993 Guam Geodetic Network, North American Datum of 1983 (NAD 83) coordinate system.

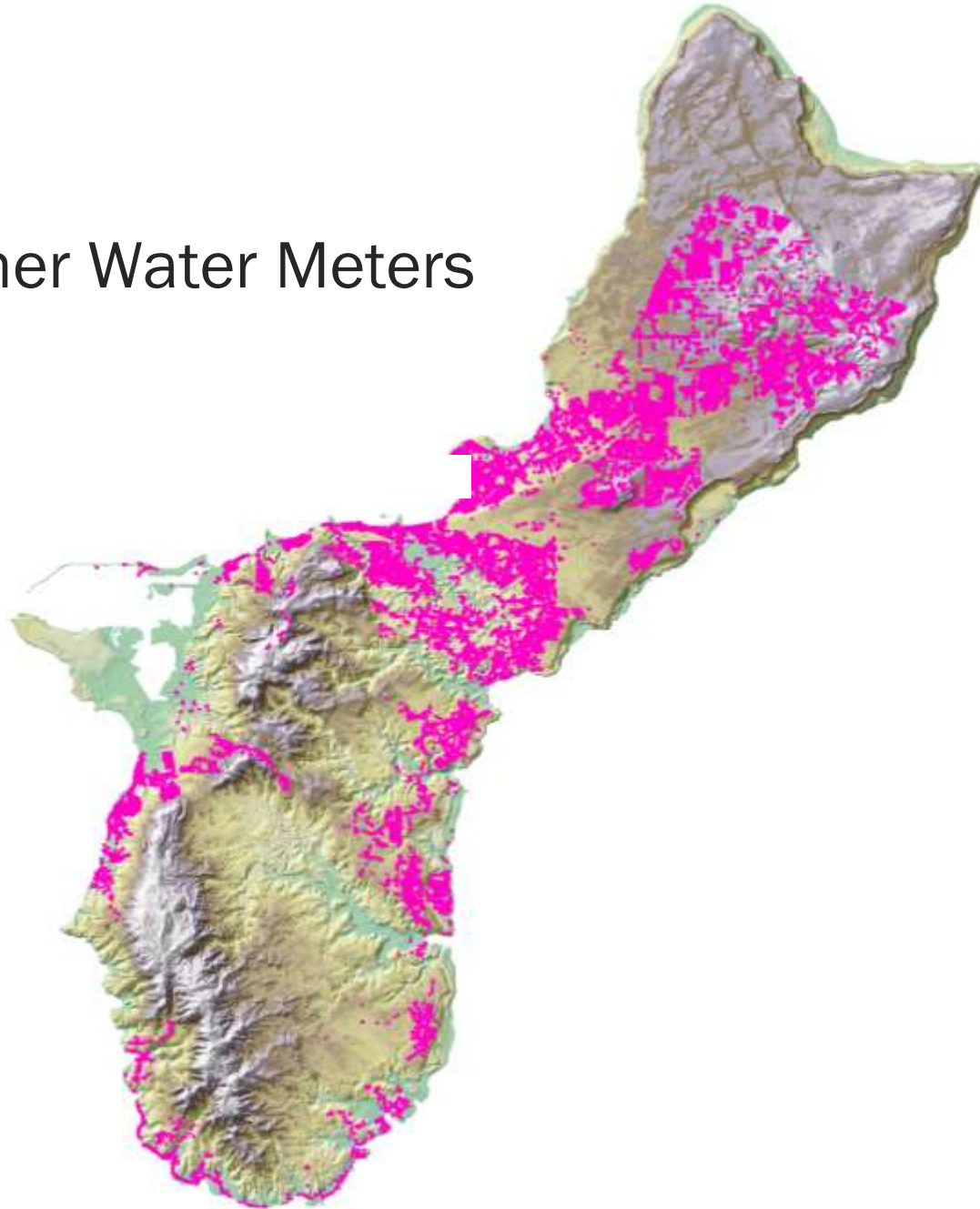
### General Attributes

Table A-1 lists the attributes that are common between all facilities.

Table A-1. Common Attributes					
Attribute	Value				
ID	<i>Facility Type</i>	<i>Abbreviation</i>	<i>Unique Suffix</i>	<i>Sample ID</i>	
	Junction	J	A unique number or description of the facility	J-2	
	Pipe	P L (modeled pipes from GIS lateral layer)		P-2 L-2	
	Valve	PRV (pressure reducing valve) PSV (pressure sustaining valve) PRV_PSV (PRV/PSV valve) FCV (flow control valve) TCV (throttle control valve)	Description of the facility	PRV-10 PSV-101 PRV_PSV-1 FCV-MANGILAD TCV-101	
	Tank	T		T-INARAJAN	
	Well	W		W-A01	
	Water treatment plant wet well	WTP		WTP-UGUM	
	Spring wet well	SPRG		SPRG-SANTA_RITA	
	Well Pump	PMPW		PMPW-A01	
	Booster Pump	PMPB		PMPB-ACCESS1	
Year of Installation	Year installed. This value is used to specify that a facility will be active in a scenario. For example, a facility with an installation year of 2020 or before will be active in a 2020 scenario. Facilities with a blank value will not be active. The following values were used as default values for specific cases.				
	<i>Year</i>	<i>Description</i>			
	1900	Default value if installation year is unknown, otherwise, use the actual year of construction			
	>2013	Value used in model for piping in GIS labeled as "Proposed." The piping is in the model to match the GIS but it is not active.			

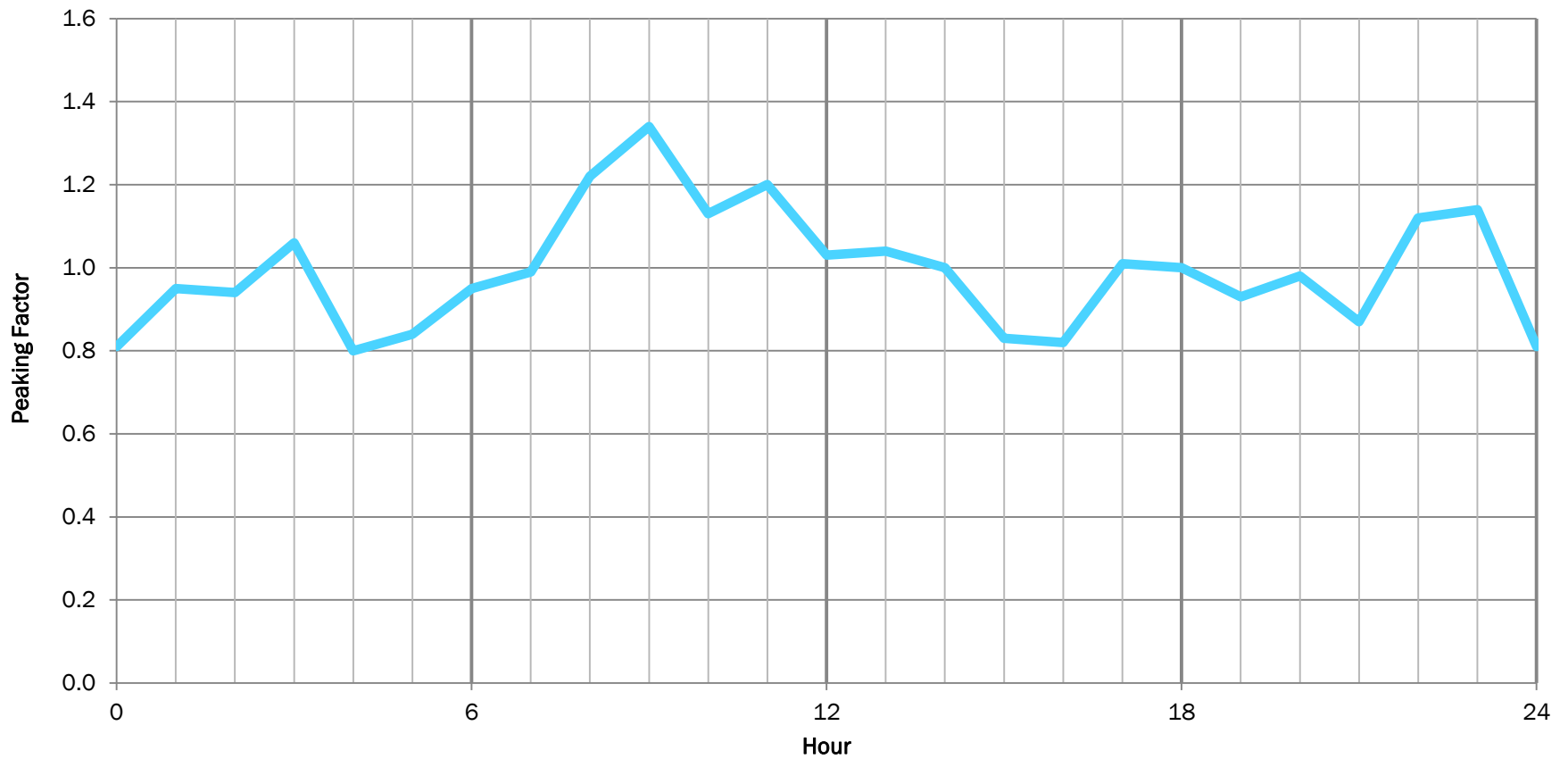
# Demands

- GPS Customer Water Meters



# Demands

## Diurnal Pattern



# Demands



# Calibration / Field Work

Fire Flow Tests

Hydraulic Calibration

- Check Hydraulics, C Factors, Closed Valves



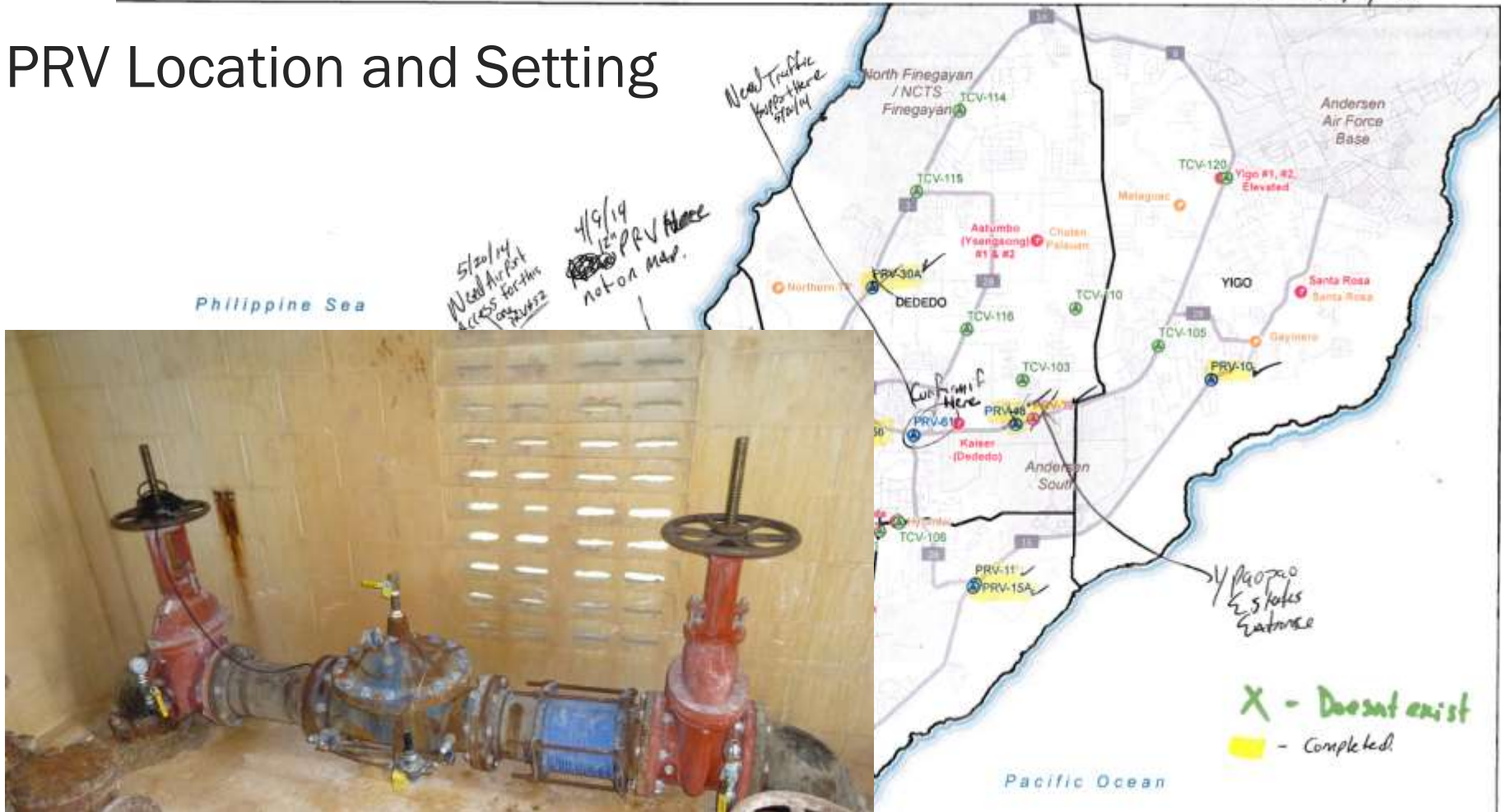
# Calibration / Field Work

## Pressure Loggers



# Calibration / Field Work

## PRV Location and Setting



# Calibration / Field Work

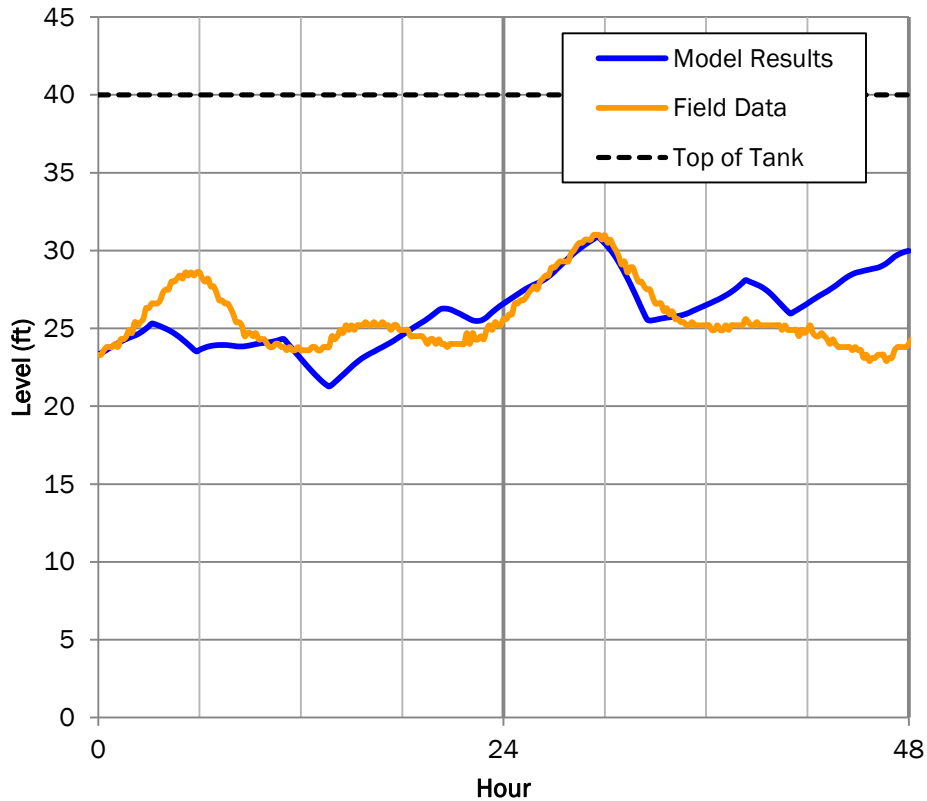
- Verified pump curves
- Pump Tests



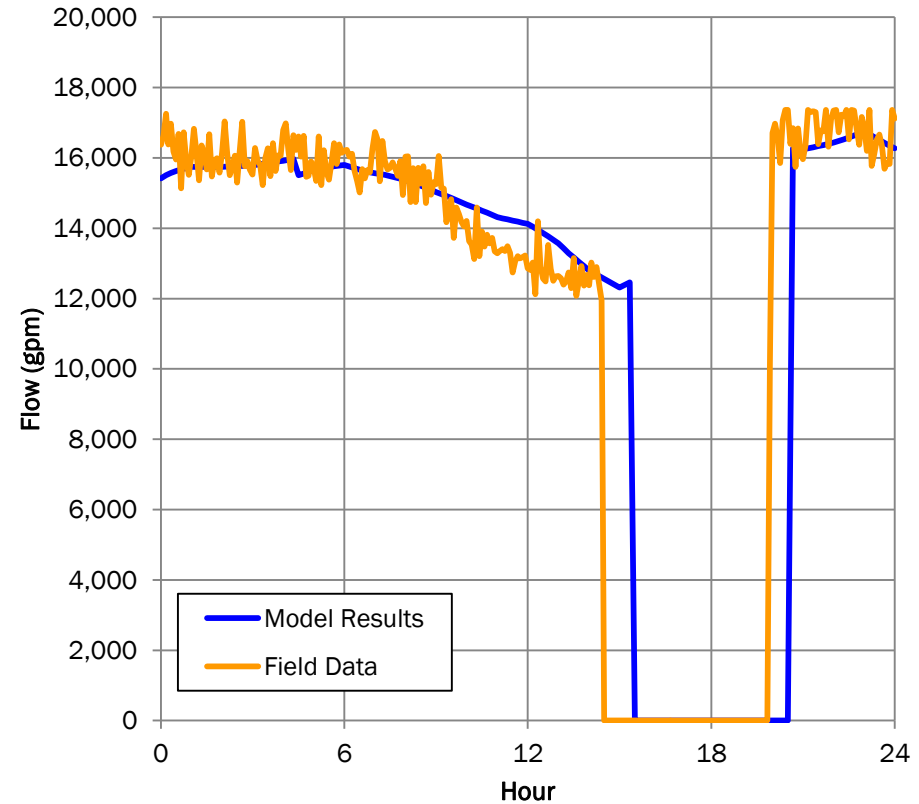


# Operational Calibration

## Tanks

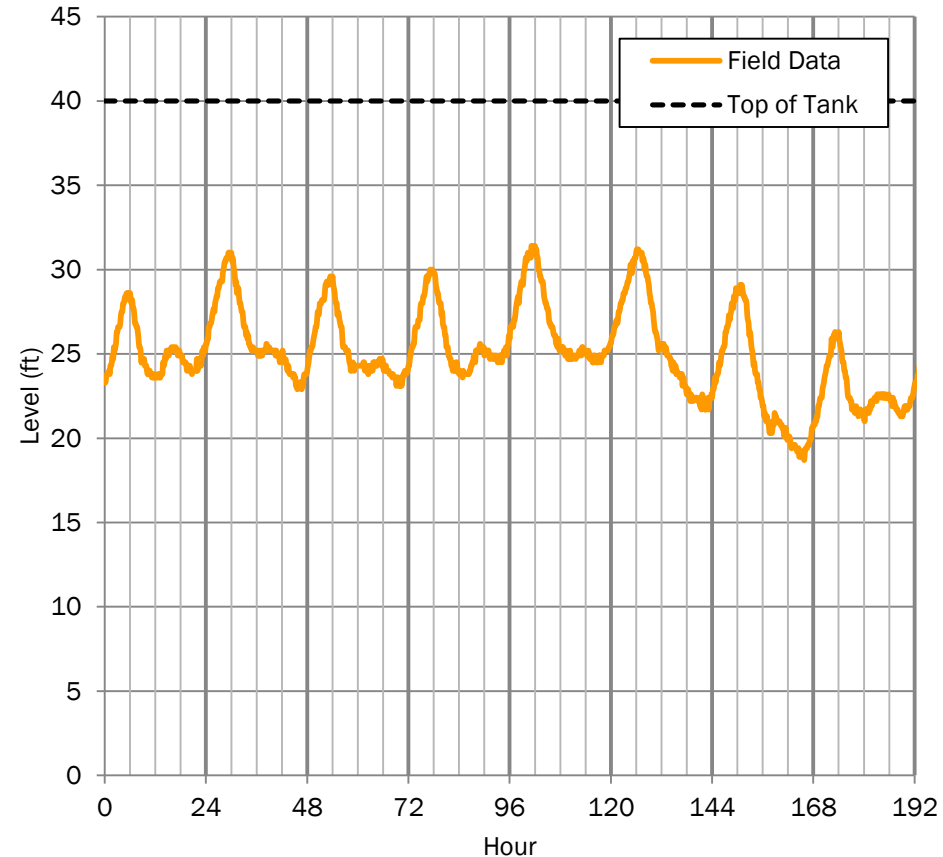


## Pumps



# Operational Calibration – No SCADA

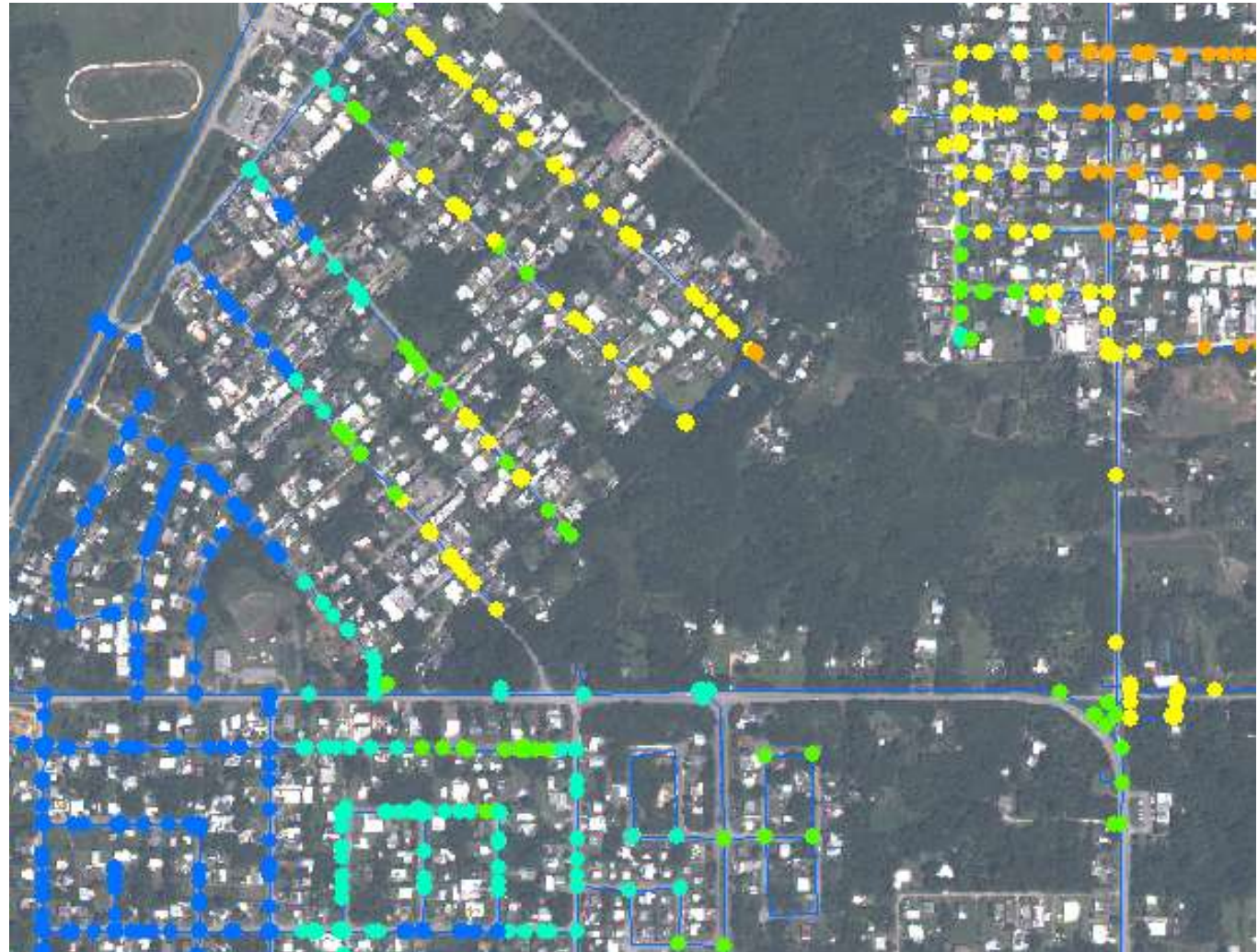
Tank Levels  
Flow Meters



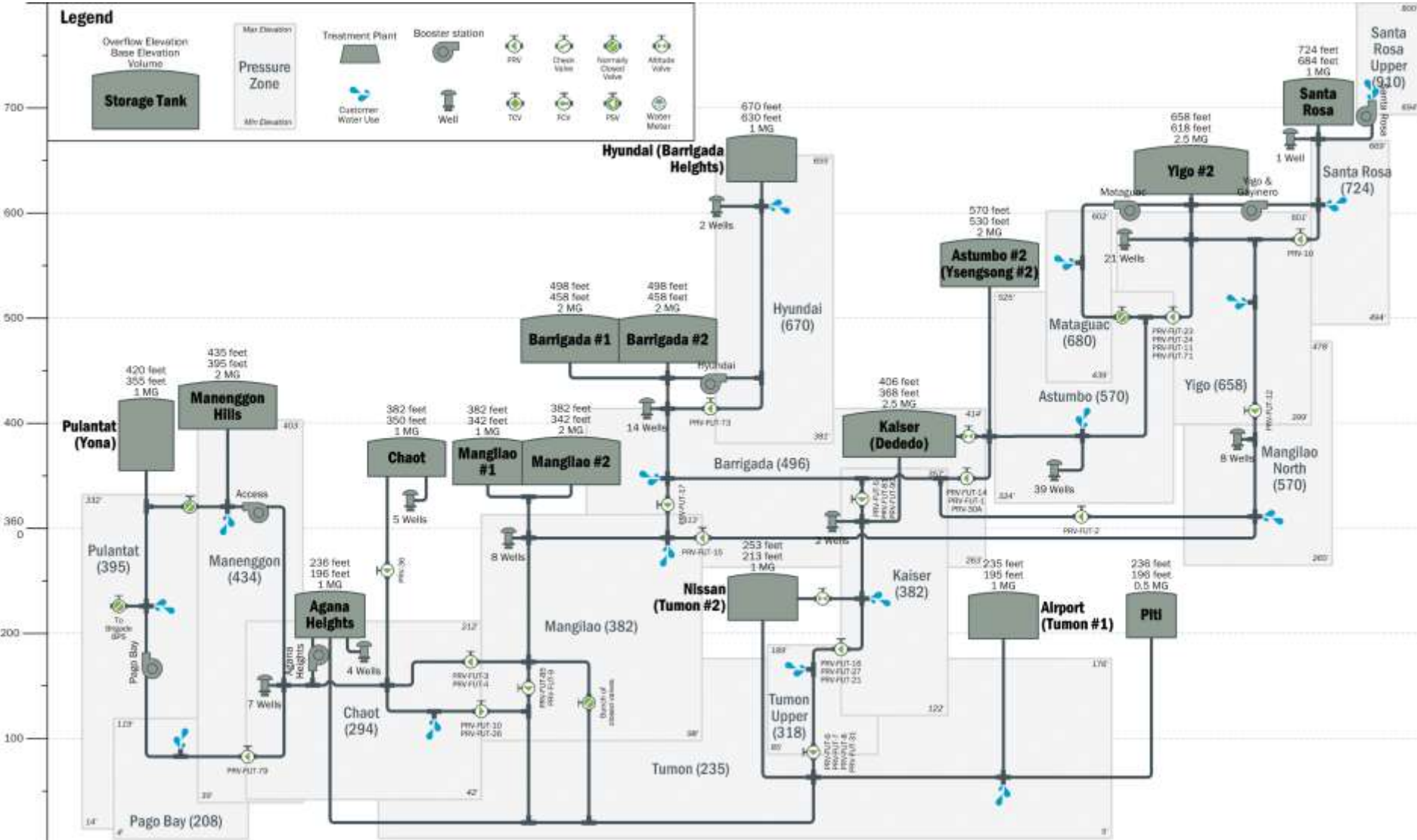
# Model Analysis / Uses

## Evaluation

- Storage
- Pressure
- Velocity
- Fire Flow
- Supply

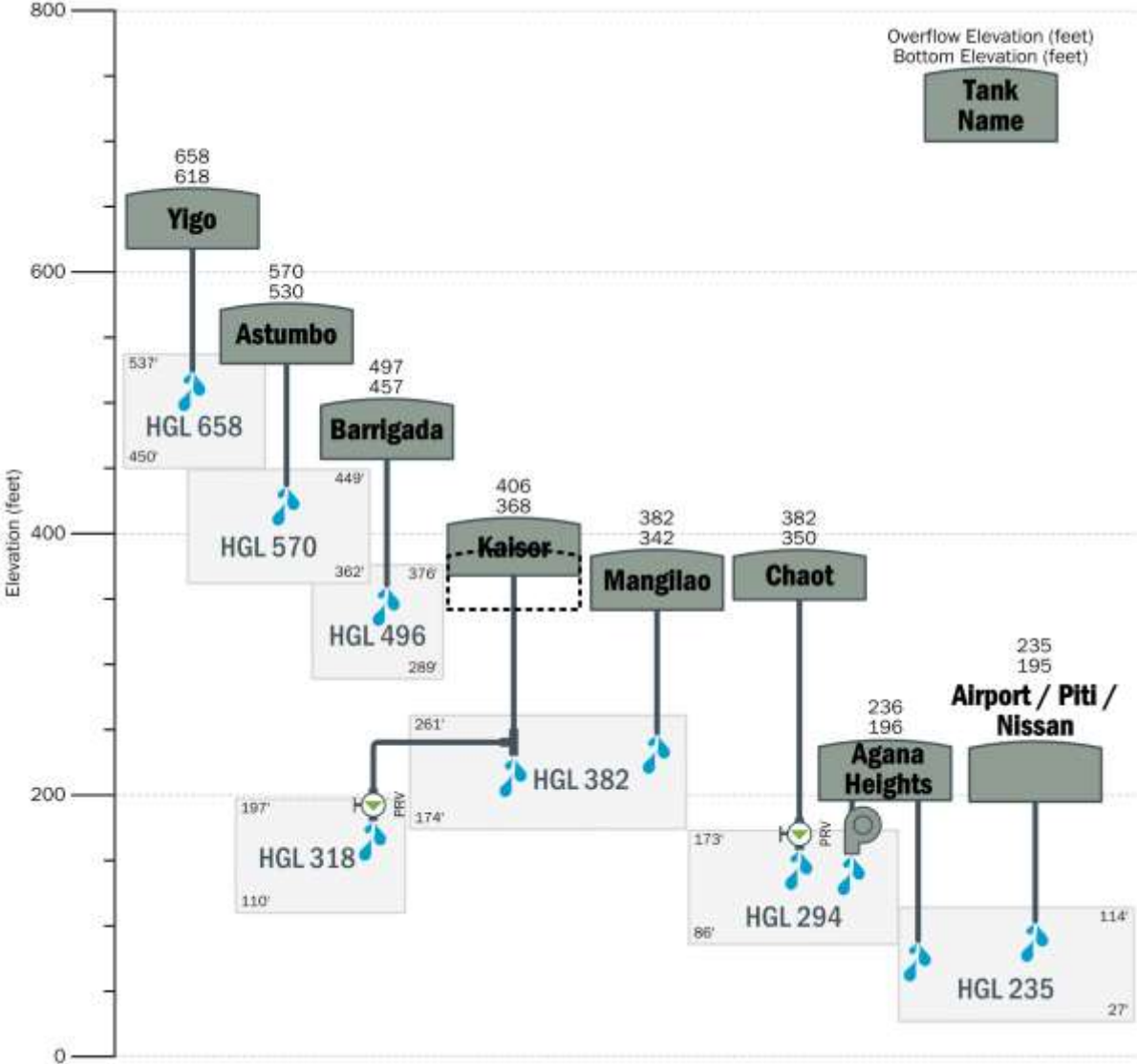


# Hydraulic Schematic

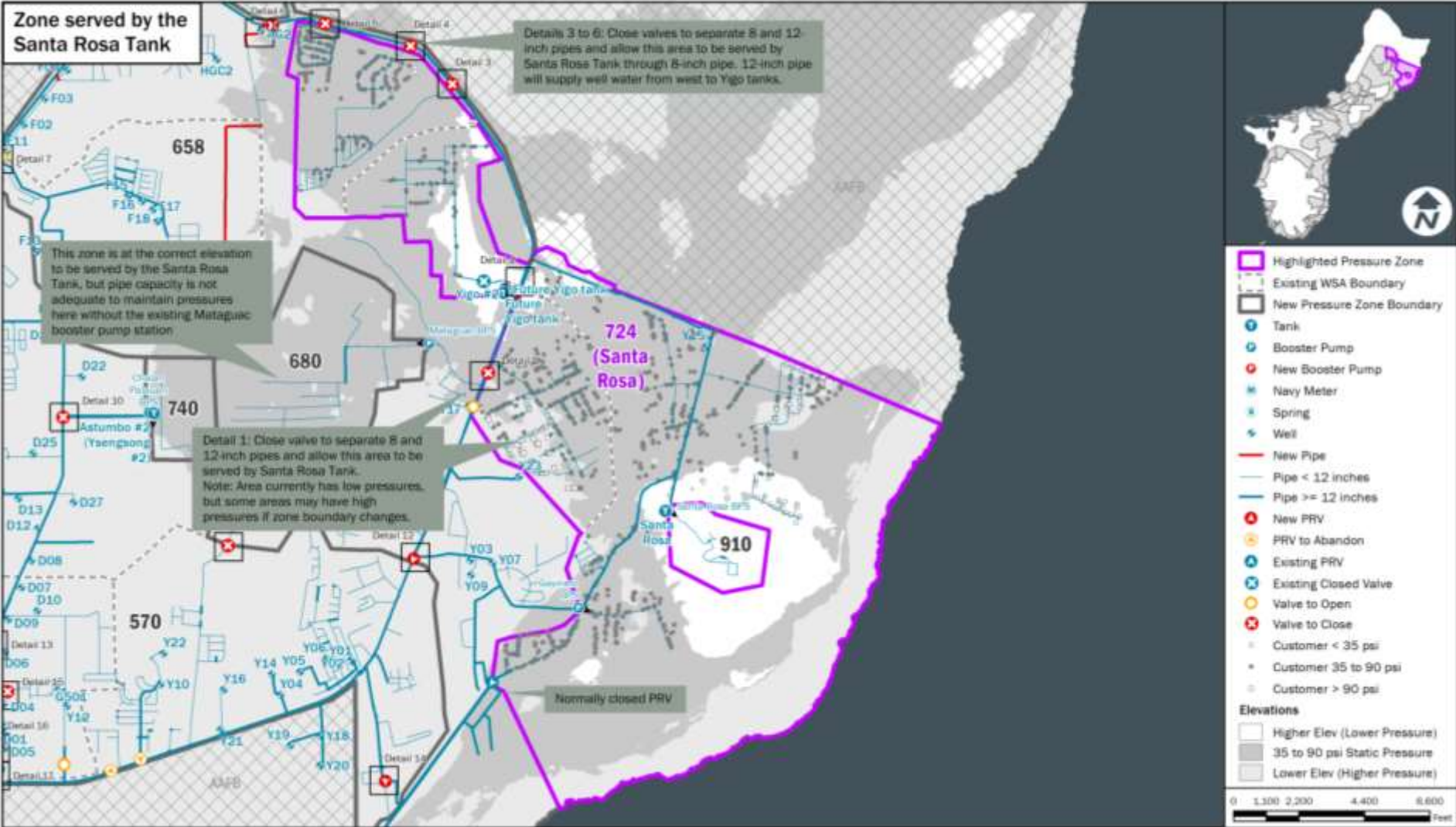


# Model Analysis

- Storage - Long Term Plan
- Fire Flow
- Supply
- Realignment of Pressure Zones



# Pressure Zone Realignment



# Next Steps

- Refine zone realignment plan
- Update model with new GIS
- Identify areas for further field investigation and testing
- Continue improving calibration

# Lessons Learned

- Have a good plan for updating model
- Document processes and sources
- Every system is unique



# Questions?

