

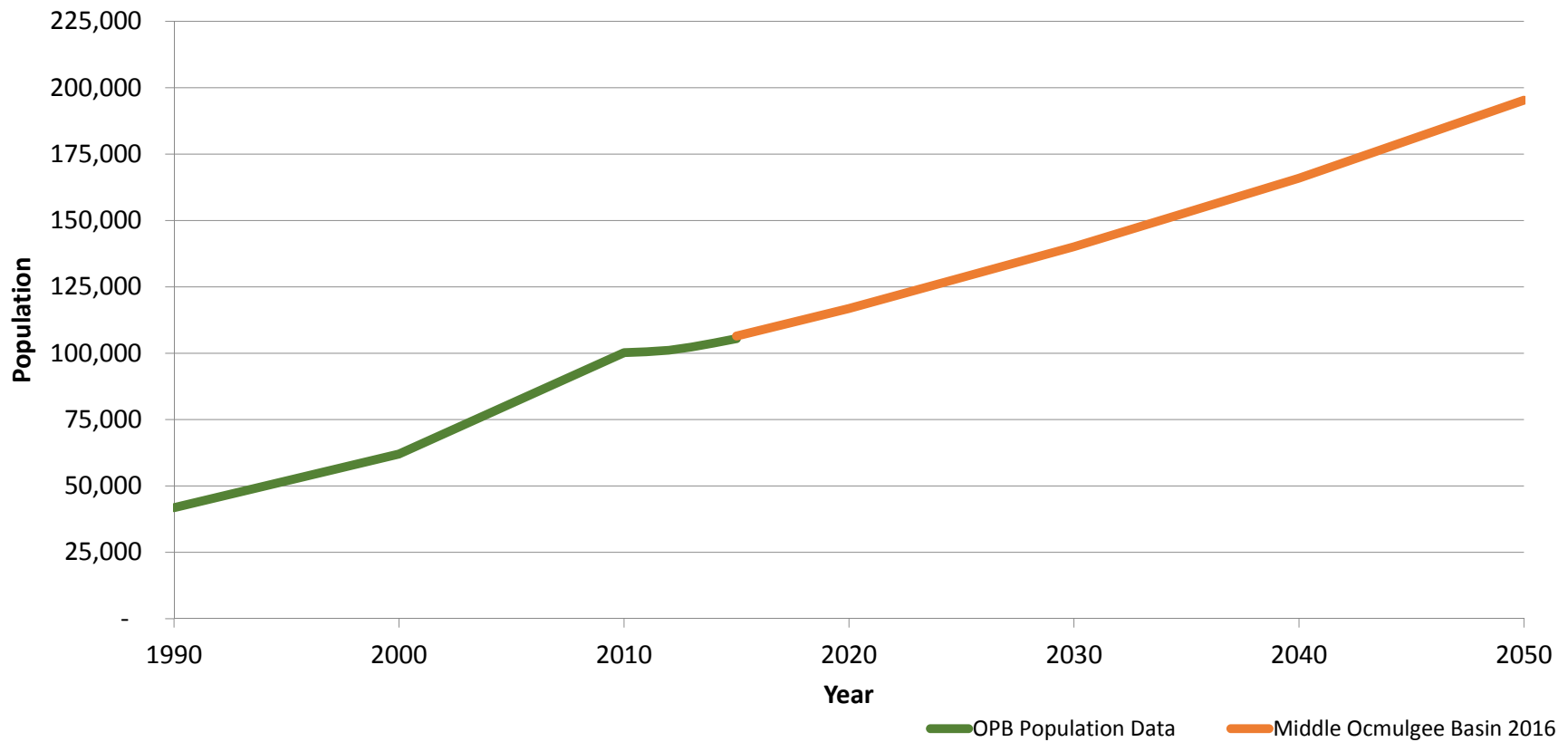


# Population Projections, Water Demands, and Infrastructure Overview

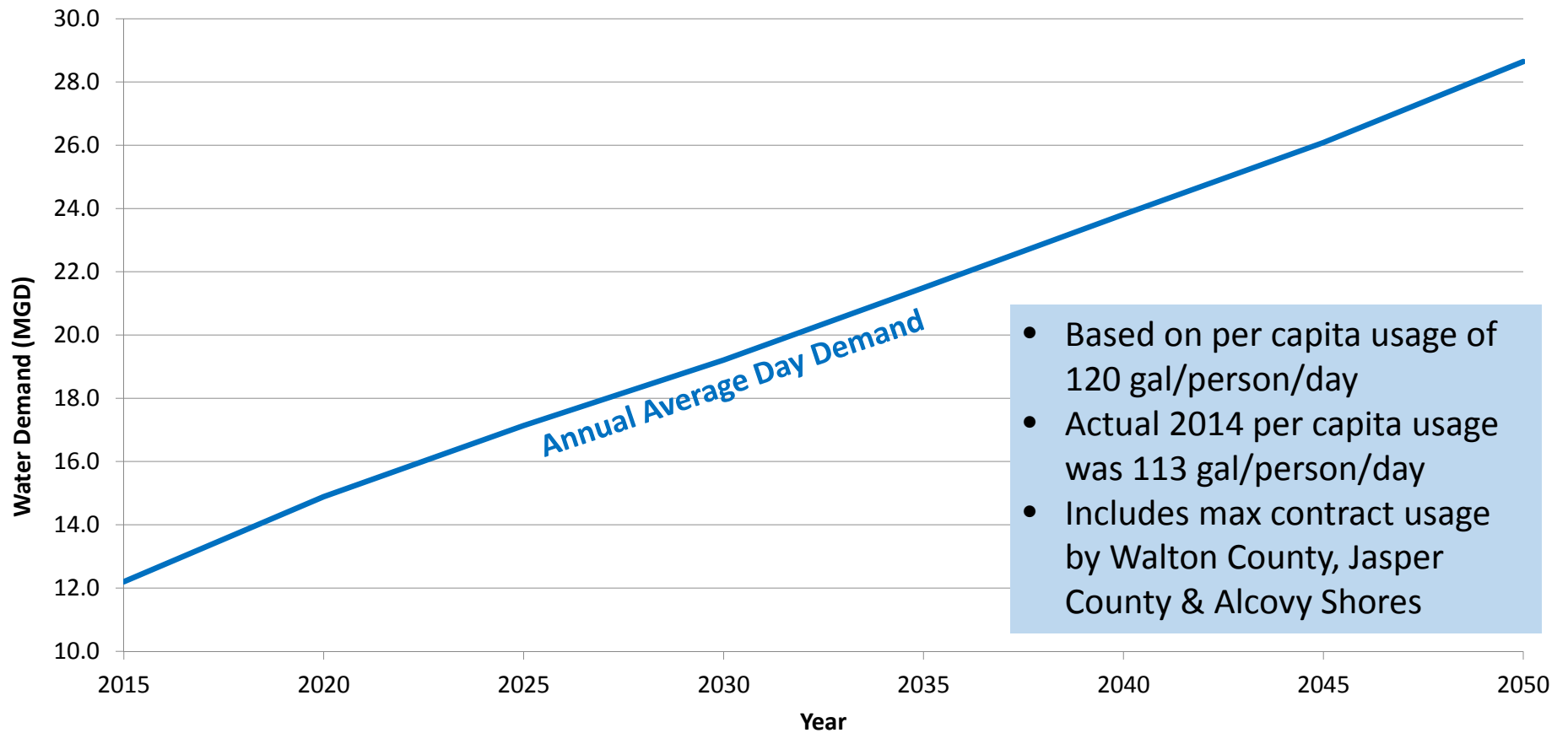
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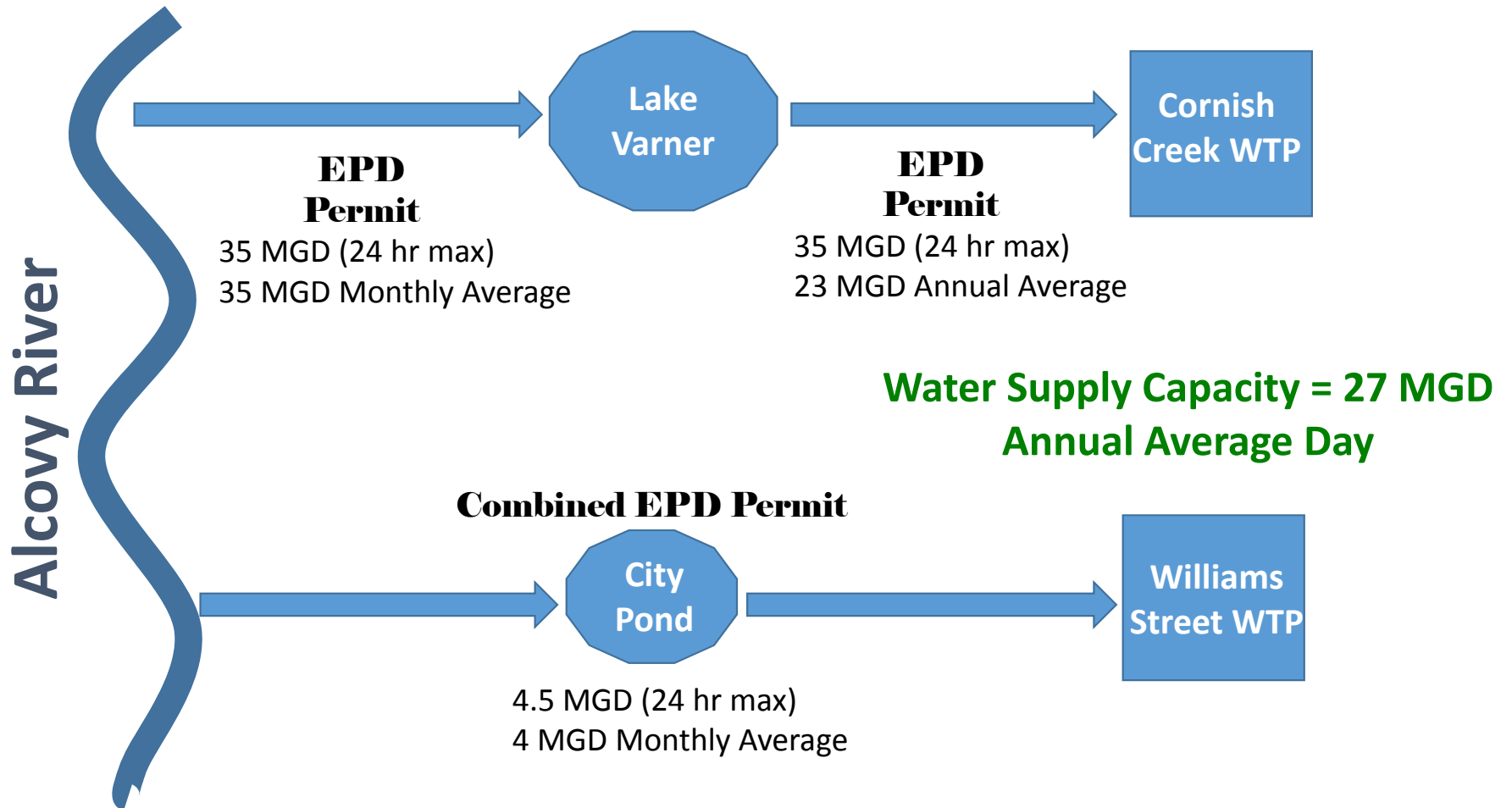
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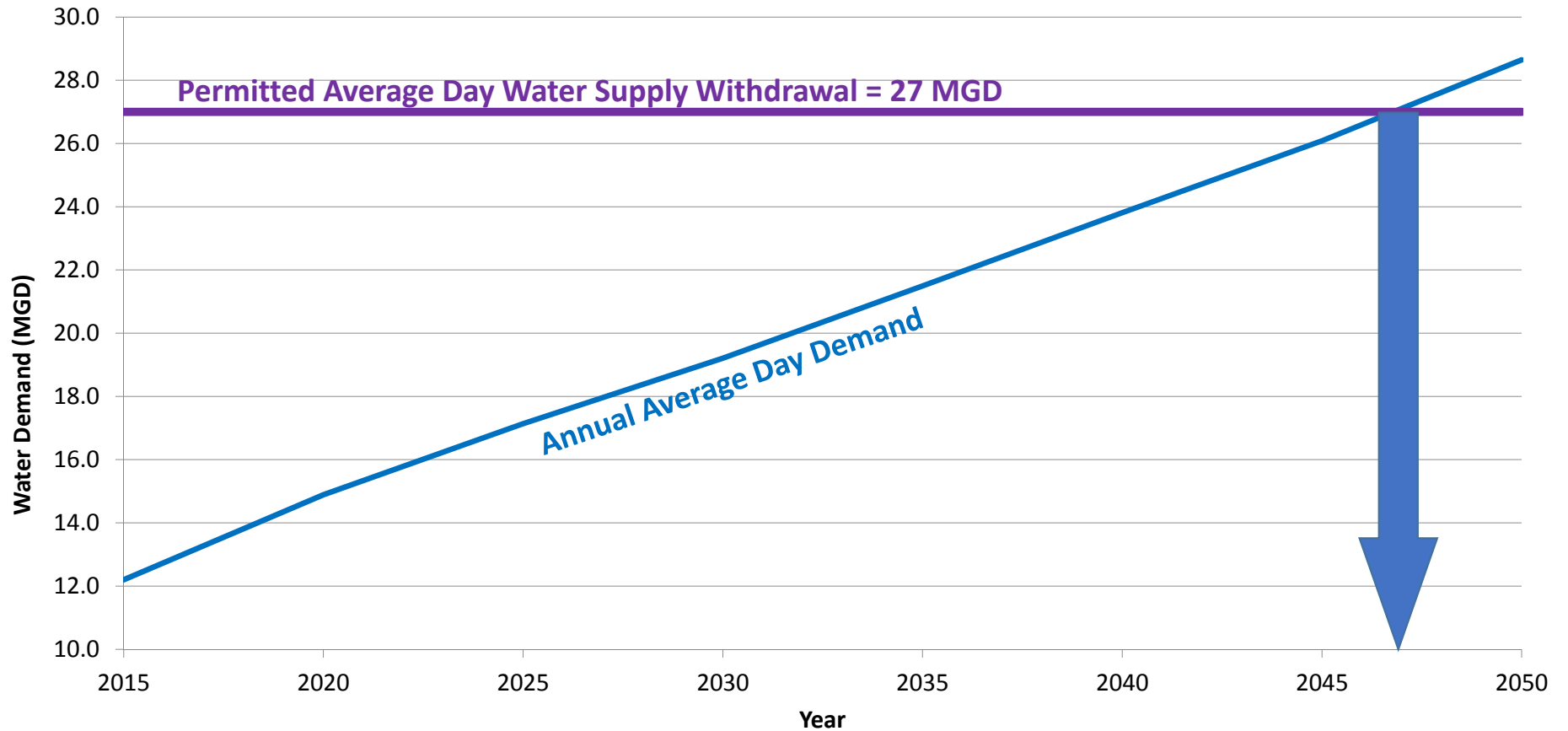
# Water Demand Projections for Water Supply



# Water Infrastructure Overview



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# Future Water Supply

- Current Permits adequate until ~2045
- Need to identify & begin development of next source 20 years ahead of need
- There is adequate time to develop the best water supply strategy for Newton County
- We need to conduct a thorough evaluation of all options to identify the best future water supply strategy for the ratepayers of Newton County
- Place Bear Creek project on hold until a strategy is identified