

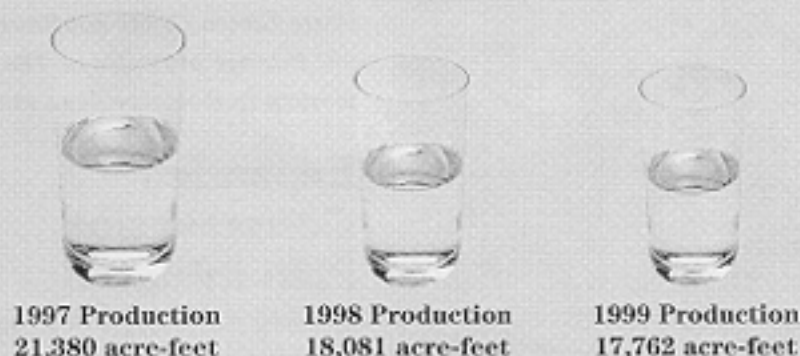
## California-American Water Company – Largest Local Water Supplier

Cal-Am is the largest of 14 water distribution systems within the MPWRS. The District's allocation program limits production by Cal-Am to 17,641 acre-feet of water per year. During the reporting year, Cal-Am produced 14,164 acre-feet of water within the MPWRS. Production from Cal-Am's facilities outside the MPWRS totaled 331 acre-feet.

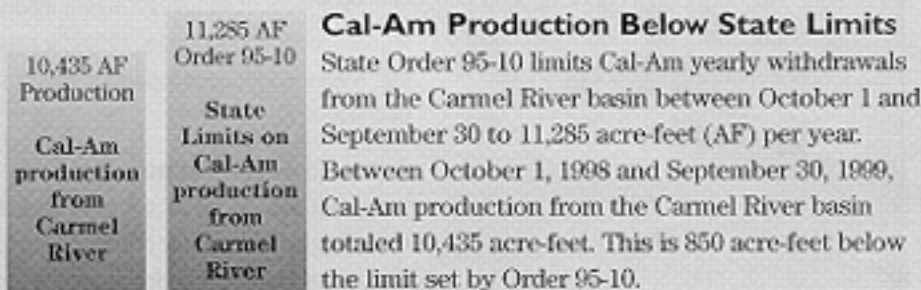
## Well Meters Required

Approximately 99 percent of the groundwater produced within the District is metered due to strict regulations that require the installation of water meters on all new wells and existing wells that produce five or more acre-feet of water per year.

## 1999 District Wide Water Production



Water production has dropped steadily in recent years.



*The Monterey Peninsula Water Resources System (MPWRS), is the set of interconnected water resources that supply most of the water in the Monterey Peninsula area. The MPWRS is comprised of the Carmel River and its tributaries, the Carmel Valley Alluvial Aquifer, and the Seaside Coastal Ground Water basin.*

*The Carmel River supplies nearly 70 percent of the water used within the District. The remaining 30 percent is pumped from the Seaside basin and other areas within the District*

