

Request for Qualifications for Judge and Spiro Tunnels Mining- Influenced Water Treatment Engineering Services

Pre-proposal Conference
December 17, 2014



Agenda

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- Tunnel permits
- Project scope
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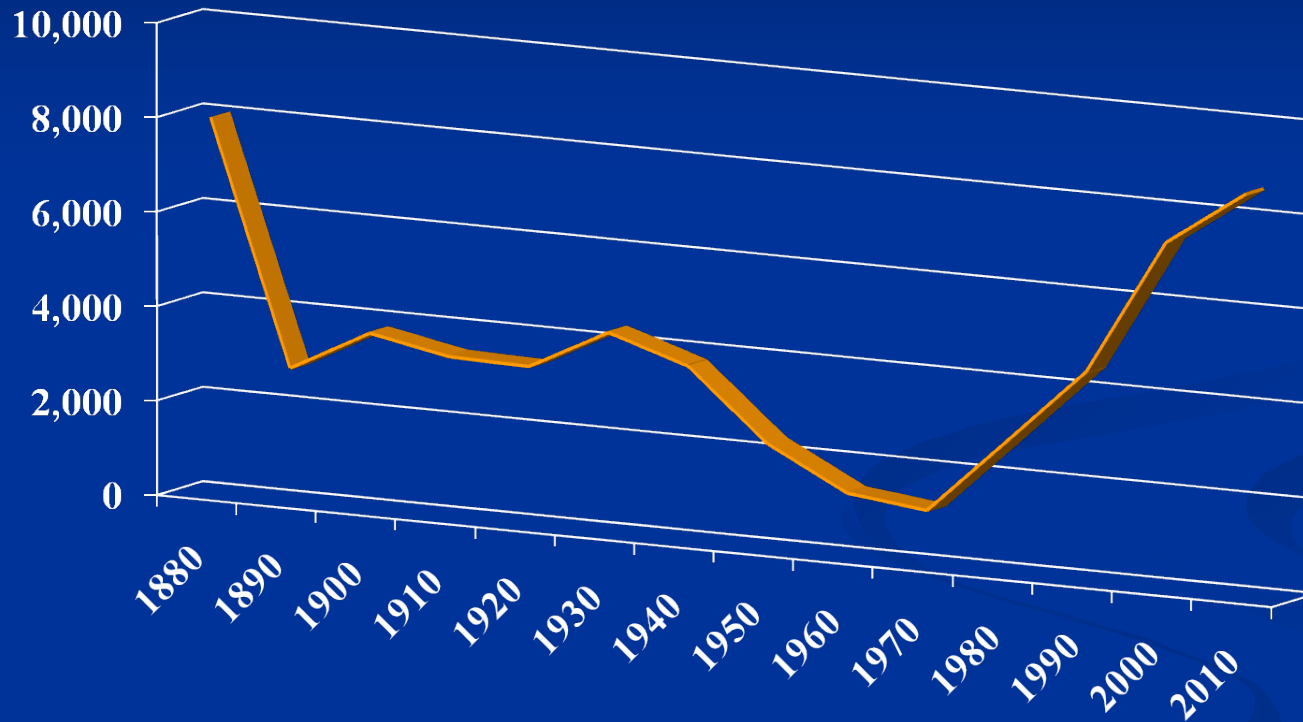
Park City Team Introductions



Park City Water Background



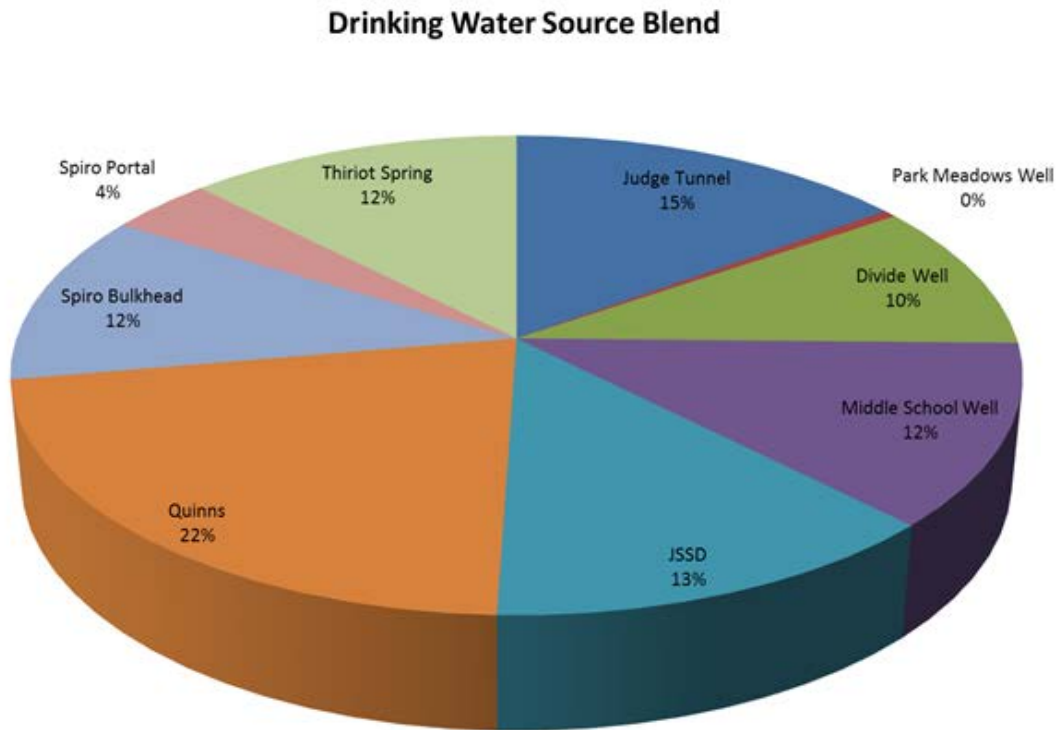
Historical Population of Park City



The Beginning – Park City Booms in the late 1800s to Mine Silver; Zinc By-Product



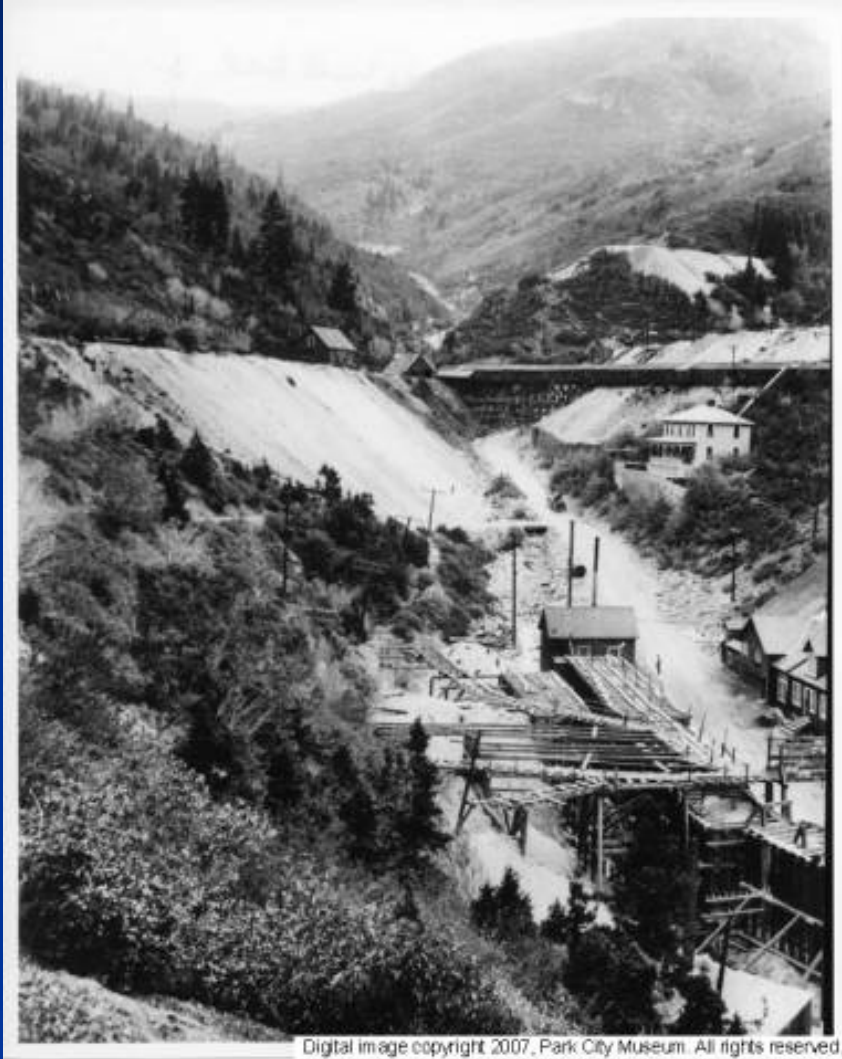
Today: One of Most Complex Water Systems in the West



Example at 4.5 MGD; Ranges from 2-9 MGD

- 8,500 base population
- 45,000 people during Sundance
- Shoulder season demand swings
- Elevation range = 6,500' – 10,000'
- Potable system - treatment, supply, distribution system with 54 pressure zones
- Surface and raw water conveyance systems
- Tunnels major supply sources

Judge Tunnel Electrolytic Zinc Mining



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Judge Tunnel

- Developed as drainage water from mine operations
 - Portal: flows along tunnel floor where collected and piped
 - Easement from United Park City Mines Company to collect and convey water; operate and maintain tunnel to 9,000 ft. from portal
- Municipal drinking water source with chlorination and storage at Empire tank until June 2013
- Discharging into Empire Creek, tributary to Silver Creek

Judge Tunnel Characterization & Flow

■ Water quality

- Typically meets drinking water MCLs, except antimony; pH: 7-8
- Other heavy metals below MCLs and SMCLs
 - Fe, Mn, Pb, Cd, As, Zn and potentially Hg
- Intermittent upset conditions result in lesser water quality

■ Flows

- Annual average day: 925 gpm
- Seasonal peak: 2,500 gpm

Spiro Tunnel



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Spiro Tunnel

- Developed as drainage water from mine operations
 - Portal: flows along tunnel floor where collected and piped
 - Bulkhead: flows diverted into pipe at bulkhead, 13,000 ft back from portal, to Spiro WTP wetwell
 - Easement from UPCMC to collect and convey water; operate and maintain tunnel to bulkhead
- Municipal, snowmaking and agricultural source
- Discharges into Spiro WTP, East Canyon Creek or Silver Creek via Park City golf course and McCloud Creek

Spiro Tunnel Characterization & Flow

■ Water quality

■ Untreated: heavy metals

- Fe, Mn, Sb, Tl, As, Zn; pH: 7-8

■ Intermittent upset conditions result in lesser water quality

■ Flows

- Annual average day: 4,500 gpm

- Seasonal peak: 9,800 gpm

Spiro WTP

- Coagulation/Filtration WTP, for arsenic, thallium, iron and manganese reduction
 - Higher Cl_2 dosed for TI reduction
 - Ferric chloride coagulation
 - Bisulfate added to reduce Cl_2
 - Solids handling facilities
- Blends with Thiriot Springs for antimony compliance



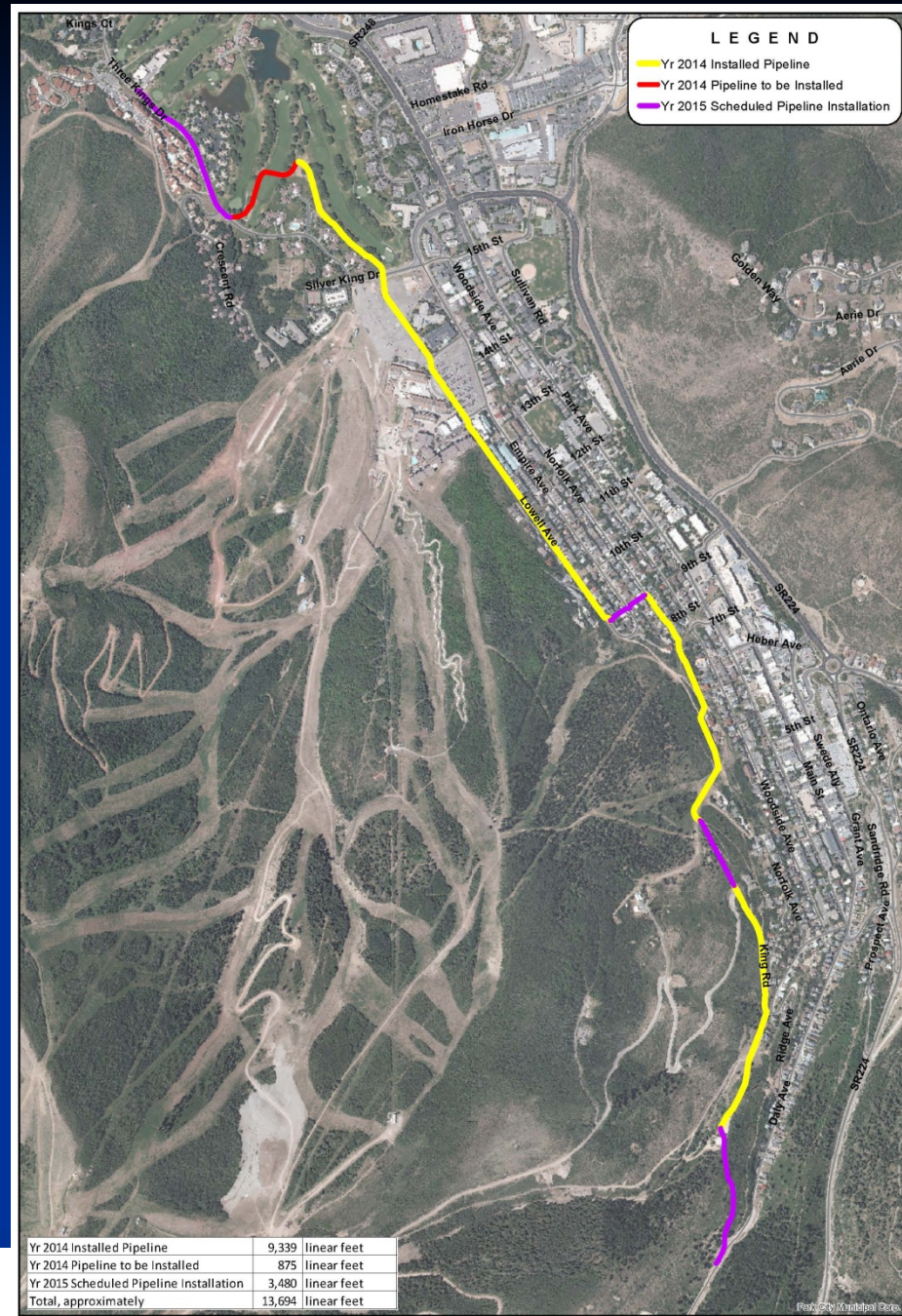
Quinns Junction WTP

- Coagulation/MF with ACH, GAC contactor and chlorination, plate settlers for solids
 - Treats imported Weber River water from Rockport intake
 - 3 MGD expandable to 9 MGD



Judge Tunnel Conveyance

- Portal water to Empire Tank
- Pipeline to treatment location



Tunnel SCO/Permit History

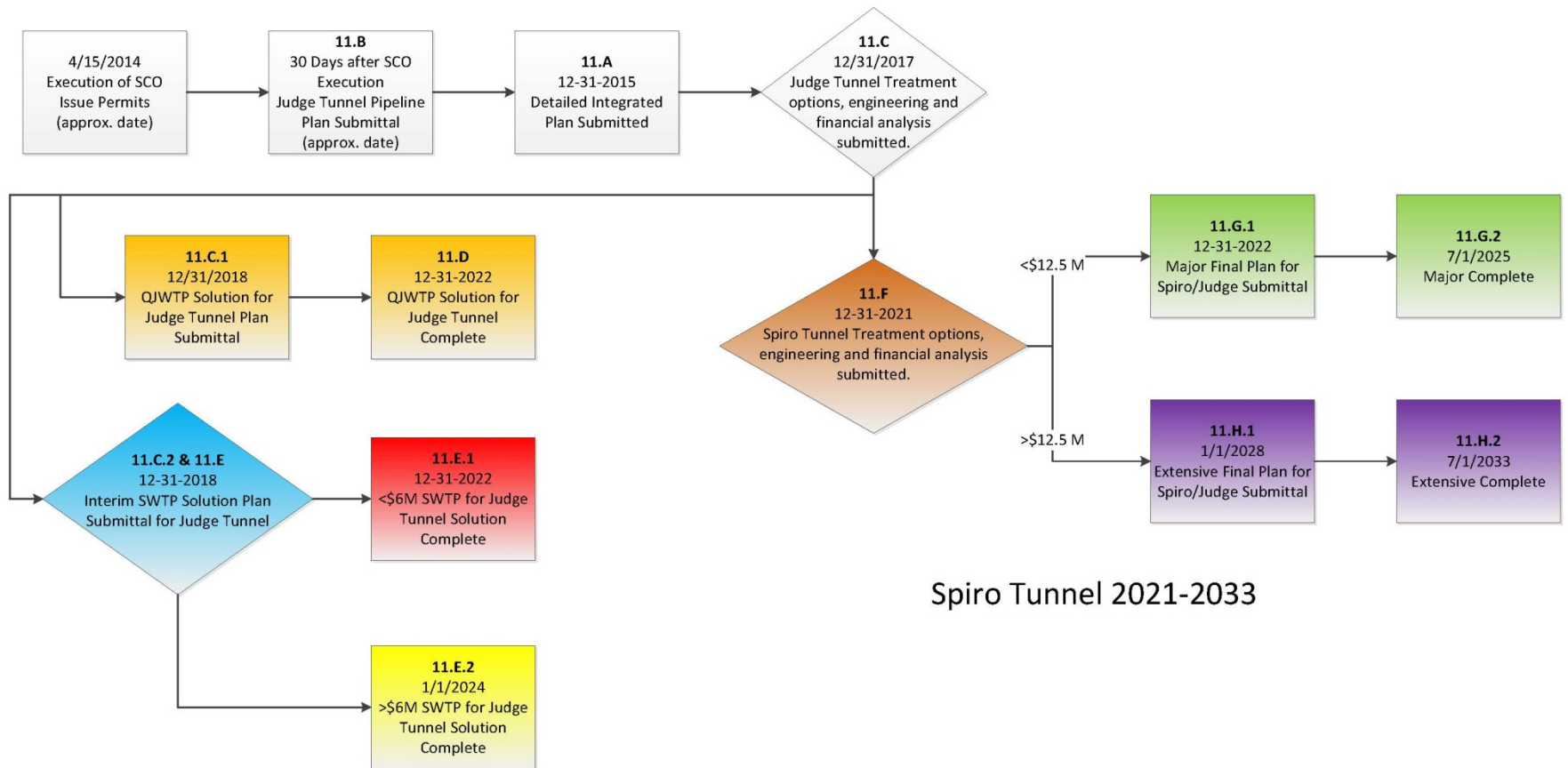


Stipulated Compliance Order (SCO)

- DWQ required permits for Spiro and Judge tunnel discharges
- SCO dictates compliance schedules to gain compliance with permit limits, based on many factors including financial burden
- SCO and tunnel permits online

SCO Schedule

DRAFT – Judge and Spiro Comprehensive Schedule 8.1.2014



Spiro Tunnel 2021-2033

Judge Tunnel 2017-2024

DWQ Permits

Monitor only; future permit limits



Judge Tunnel Future Permit Limits

Parameter	Maximum Monthly Avg.	Daily Min	Daily Max
Antimony ($\mu\text{g/L}$)	5.6	NA	NA
Cadmium ($\mu\text{g/L}$)	0.42	NA	3.9
Lead ($\mu\text{g/L}$)	6.8	NA	15.0
Mercury ($\mu\text{g/L}$)	0.012	NA	2.0
Zinc ($\mu\text{g/L}$)	198	NA	2.0
TSS (mg/L)	25	NA	35
Phosphorous	NA	NA	NA
pH	NA	6.5	9.0
DO (mg/L)	NA	5	NA
Chronic Biomonitoring	NA	NA	Pass/Fail

Spiro Tunnel Future Permit Limits

Parameter	Maximum Monthly Avg.	Daily Min	Daily Max
Antimony ($\mu\text{g/L}$)	5.6	NA	NA
Arsenic ($\mu\text{g/L}$)	NA	NA	10
Cadmium ($\mu\text{g/L}$)	0.75	NA	8.7
Selenium ($\mu\text{g/L}$)	4.6	NA	18.4
Thallium ($\mu\text{g/L}$)	0.24	NA	NA
Zinc ($\mu\text{g/L}$)	388	NA	388
TSS (mg/L)	25	NA	35
pH	NA	6.5	9.0
DO (mg/L)	NA	5	NA
Chronic Biomonitoring	NA	NA	Pass/Fail

Project Scope

RFQ centers on Phase I objectives of a multi-phase project.

Phase I consists of:

Phase IA - Desktop Evaluation

Phase IB - Bench/Pilot Testing of Alternatives

Phase IC - Treatment Facility Concept Study

Treatment process(es) to address both stream water and drinking water requirements

Proposal Requirements

RFQ centers on firm/team qualifications and experience specific to Phase I

Project Approach – To understand firm/team's approach and methodologies specific to Phase I, integrating qualifications and experience



Questions?

