





ONE OF THE MOST UTILIZED RECREATIONAL ECOSYSTEMS IN UTAH

DEER CREEK INTAKE PROJECT FEASIBILITY STUDY



STUDY

OBJECTIVES

RESERVOIR & DAM FACTS

- Deer Creek Reservoir stores up to 153,000 acre-feet (AF) of water from three river basins.
- One out of every two Utahns use water from the reservoir for municipal, industrial, and agricultural purposes.
- The dam was originally completed by the US Bureau of Reclamation in 1941 as part of the Provo River Project.
- Provo River Water Users Association was organized in 1935 and assumed operation and maintenance responsibilities for Deer Creek Dam and Reservoir in 1958.
- The population served by this water supply is expected to increase 75% by 2060.
- Evaluate condition of the guard gates

Conduct bathymetric surveying

- **Explore geotechnical or seismic conditions**
- Investigate options for wet construction (to keep reservoir operational)
- Develop the best cost-effective & feasible solution for improvements



PROVO RIVER WATER USERS ASSOCIATION

PROJECT DRIVERS

Need vs. Want

Throughout the Feasibility Study a major emphasis was put on project drivers in order to accurately capture and implement the most successful solution. The drivers were incorporated into design decisions and scored using Kepner-Tregoe Decision Analyses tools. Some of the most discussed drivers included:



AGING INFRASTRUCTURE



MINIMIZING ENVIRONMENTAL **IMPACTS**

WATER

The foundation of the Feasibility Study relied on the results and data from a number of assessments

completed in FY2020. The Feasibility Study included a culmination of the information obtained in these assessments (listed below), in an effort to more accurately predict needs and project costs.

OUALITY

OPERATIONS AND RELIABILITY



MANAGEMENT



ASSESSMENTS

ROV Inspection

AQUATIC INVASIVE

SPECIES

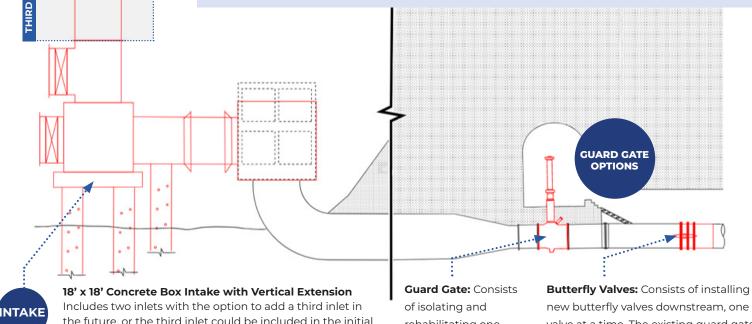
- Bathymetric Surveying and Mapping
- Geotechnical Investigation
- Above Water Surface Surveys

Assessments completed included:

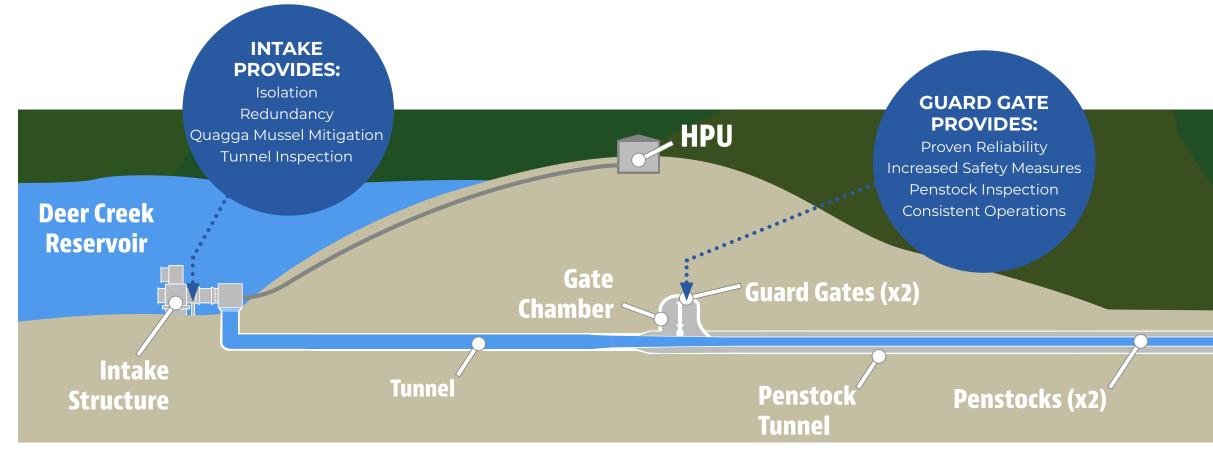
- **Deterministic Seismic Hazard Analyses**
- Opinion of Probable Construction Costs
- Kepner-Tregoe Decision Analyses
- **Project Delivery Alternatives**



The new intake delivers all the necessary functionality plus some additional benefits that are not available with the existing intake. The proposed intake would be installed first. This would provide isolation for guard gate improvements, which reduces both cost and risk during construction. The results of Feasibility Study for guard gate improvements concluded that two alternatives would be equally preferred. Therefore further development of both Alternatives was recommended. The CM/GC will provide additional insight and analysis during final design to assist in determining which guard gate alternative to select.



the future. or the third inlet could be included in the initial construction. This intake includes the smallest overall structure and requires the smallest foundation of all the alternatives considered.

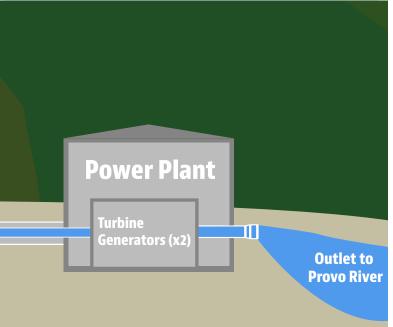


INTAKE - GUARD GATE SOLUTIONS

rehabilitating one existing guard gate at a time.

new butterfly valves downstream, one valve at a time. The existing guard gates would remain in place and provide an additional layer of redundant isolation until abandoned in place in the future.

Nore: Both guard gate options allow for power generation and water deliveries to continue through a single penstock while the other penstock is out of service, as well as allow for better access for operations and maintenance of the valves.



PROJECT BUDGET & SCHEDULE

38,604,168
4,468,512
43,072,680
4,257,610
2,500,000
1,158,125
5,500,000
335,000
500,000
14,250,735
328,000
399,000
\$58,050,415

Total does not include third inlet. Addition of the third inlet could add approximately \$2-5M

	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Intake Alternative 7					
100% Design					
GMP					
144" TOV Specification					
144" TOV Bidding					
144" TOV Procurement					
Rock Sockets					
Intake Structure					
Pipe Connection					
Cut & Cover					
Final					
Guard Gate Alternative 2					
Guard Gate Procurement					
Guard Gate #1 Rehabilitation					
Guard Gate #2 Rehabilitation					
Guard Gate Alternative 4					
72" TOV Procurement					
72" TOV #1 Install					
72" TOV #2 Install					

Design

Valve / Gate Procurement

Intake Construction

Guard Gate Improvements Construction



