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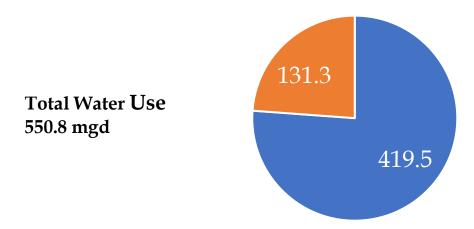
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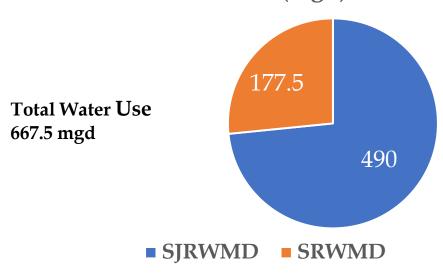
What's Happening in the Region?

- Withdrawals in SJRWMD affecting water resources in SRWMD
- Public water supply and agriculture are largest users
- Agricultural stakeholders have not actively participated in water supply planning
- Existing sources of water will be inadequate to meet future demand without planning accordingly



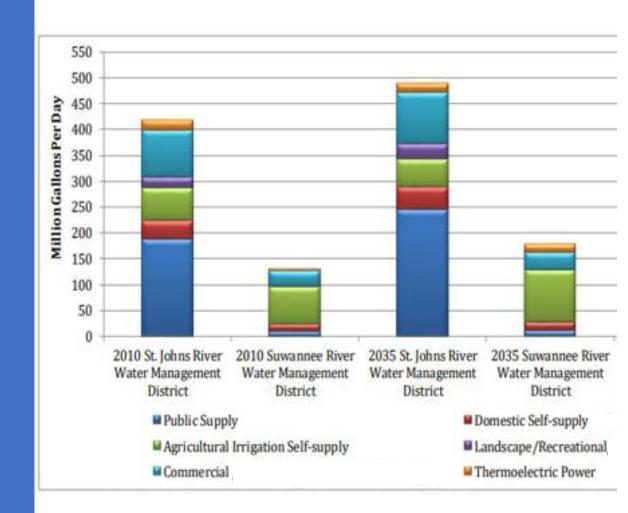


2035 Water Use (mgd)



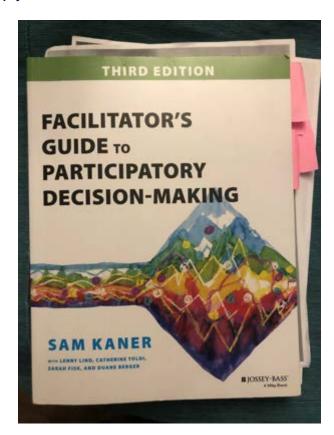
Stakeholders

- Water Users
- Water Regulators



The Best Laid Plans....

- In the beginning.....
 - Water Supply is a BIG issue in FL
 - What if we can get Ag and PWS to talk to each other...?
- How?



What we thought we would do....



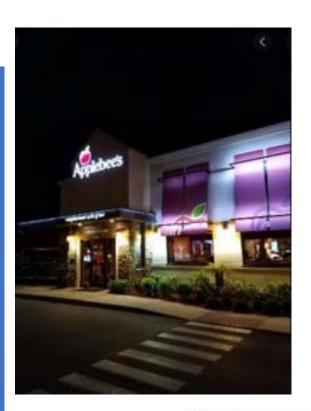
Scenario Planning...



Then there was this dinner



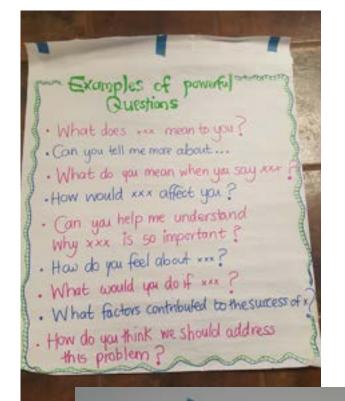
and discussions....

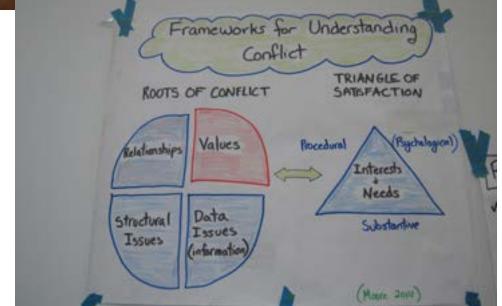




Then we came up with a new plan





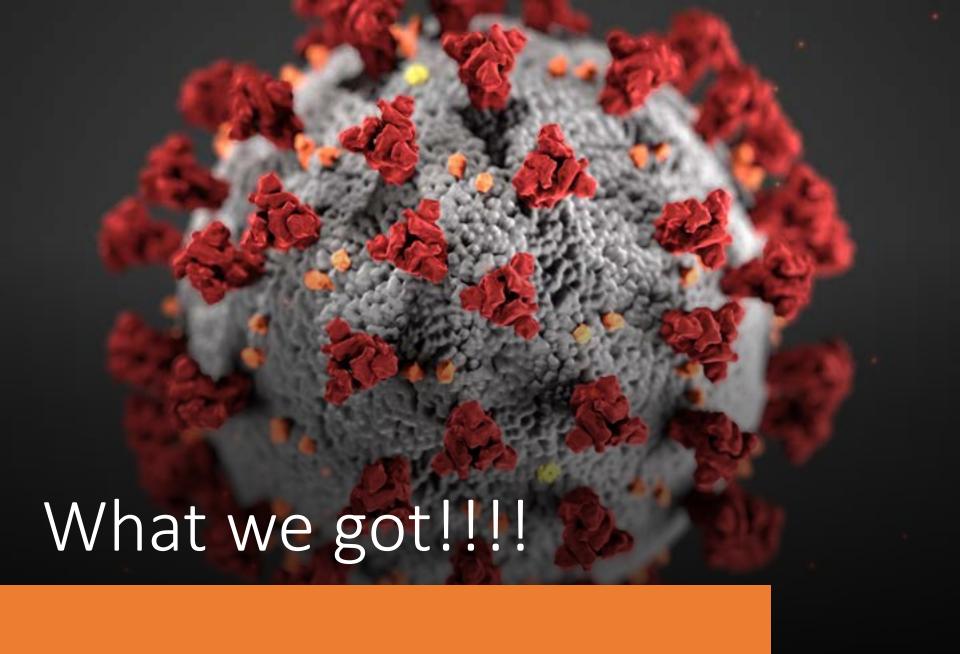








What We Hoped For....



Lessons Learned

- Don't get stuck on a tool; be flexible to change approach based on stakeholders and issues
- A LOT of planning and organizing is needed.
- Initial assumptions about the issue are probably not accurate and work needs to be done to define conflicts/needs of stakeholders.
- Even the best laid plans can fall apart; trust the process!





Next Steps

- ✓ Make Plans with NRLI XIX class
- ✓ Schedule and Conduct Interviews
- ✓ Complete Practicum



Manage Participants

Polis

Share Screen

Chat

Record Breakout Rooms Reactions