

# A Desalination Solution for Chile Caleta Chanavayita, I Region





Chanavayita, Chile is a remote fishing village and beach town 50km south of Iquique in the Atacama Desert.





## Agua Potable Rural (APR) Initiative

- Northern Chile suffered lack of clean drinking water and a public water network
- Local residents forced to install rooftop water storage tanks
- APR assists local governments with rural water needs
- Provides independent, small-medium desalination plants for small communities







## Challenges at Chanavayita

- Rocky coast and soil
- Earthquake zone
- Local intake/discharge regulations
- Remote location with limited services





- Limit civil construction
- Cost/risk of site-built construction
- Maximize recovery
- · Robust, reliable solution



## The Chanavayita Solution

1080m3/d (285,000 GPD) SWRO

#### **Scope of Work:**

#### Three (3) beta-Nirobox @ 15m<sup>3</sup>/h (66gpm)

- Seawater intake and feed pump station
- Ultrafiltration pre-treatment
- Flexible production capacity
- Remineralization meets local drinking water standards
- Six (6) months operation prior to local operation





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- Successful completion in November 2013 following testing & 6 month O&M period
- Survived 2014 8.2-magnitude earthquake and tsunami as sole plant providing safe drinking water
- A standard for future projects



## The Chanavayita Legacy



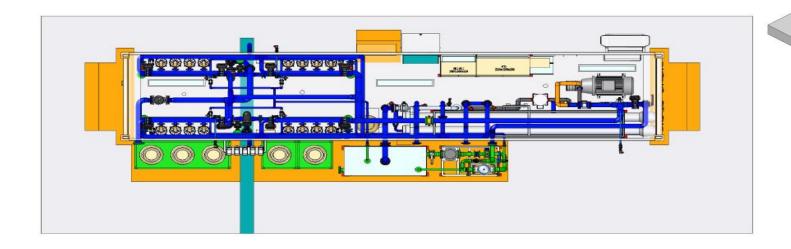
Packaged desalination plants like

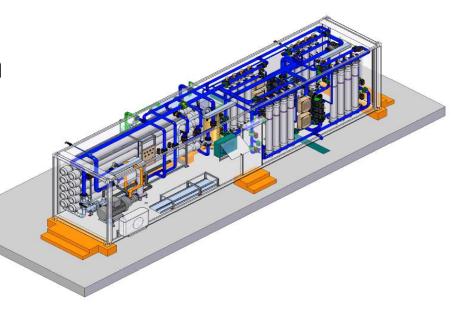
NIR⊗BOX™ offer a reliable low-cost
option for prompt supply of
comprehensive small-medium regional
facilities.



NIR **SON** SW A comprehensive solution

suitable for temporary or permanent service.







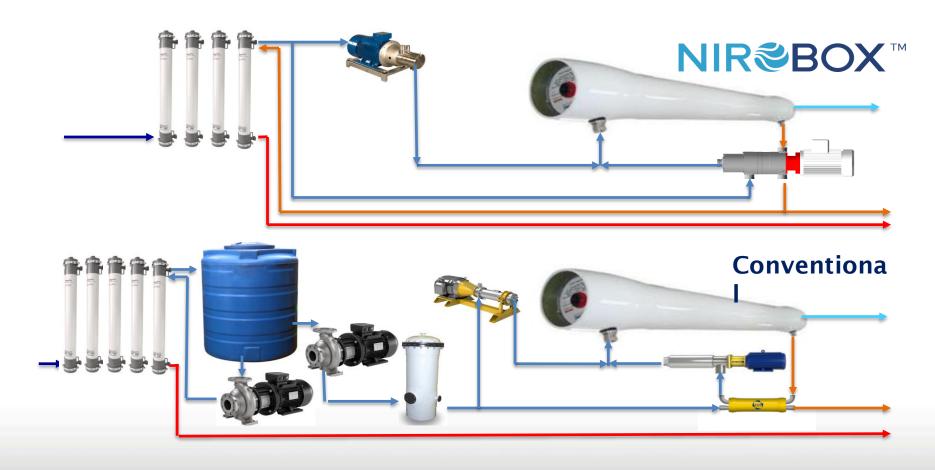
#### NIR **SW** Conserves Resources and Revenue

- Fast modular delivery with compact installation
- High reliability and availability
- 20% lower power consumption with advanced design and ERD
- Consumables
  - Integrated ultrafiltration eliminates the need for disposable cartridge filters
  - Reduced chemicals w/exclusive osmotic UF backwash and CEB inhibits growth
  - UF/RO membrane life 4-7 years within industry norms
- Remote technical support
- Modular supply facilitates leasing and finance options





# NIR **SW** vs Conventional System





# NIR**⊗BOX**<sup>™</sup> SW Main Components

#### PRE TREATMENT

- Amiad® Self-cleaning 130µm disc filter (Spinkleen)
- Dow® Hollow Fiber Ultrafiltration modules (IW-102)

#### **DESALINATION**

- Grundfos® AS & SMBS Chemical dosing systems
- Danfoss® HP piston pump (APP)/Energy Recovery Device + Booster (iSave®)
- Dow® or NanoH2O® 8" SWRO membranes
- C.I.P and Flush systems with Grundfos® pump

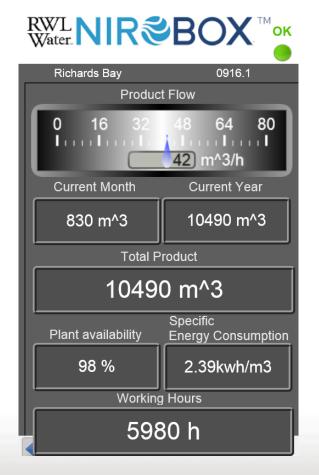
#### **CONTROL, ELECTRICAL & ANALYTICS**

- Siemens® PLC w/22" touch screen HMI panel & optional remote control
- NEMA 4 MCC panel with VFD for all pumps
- ABB ® pressure, flow, EC, ORP & pH transmitters

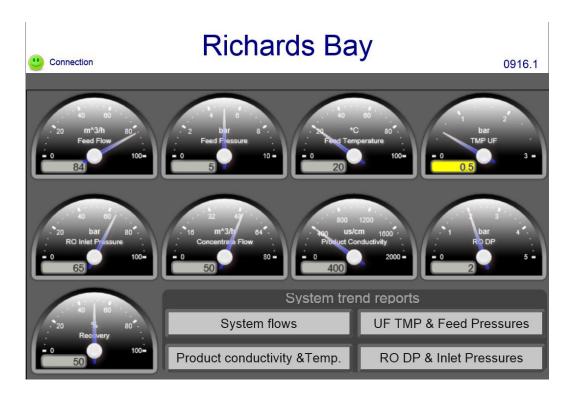




#### Desalination in Your Hand with the iPhone App











NIR **SW** an ideal solution for temporary and permanent use

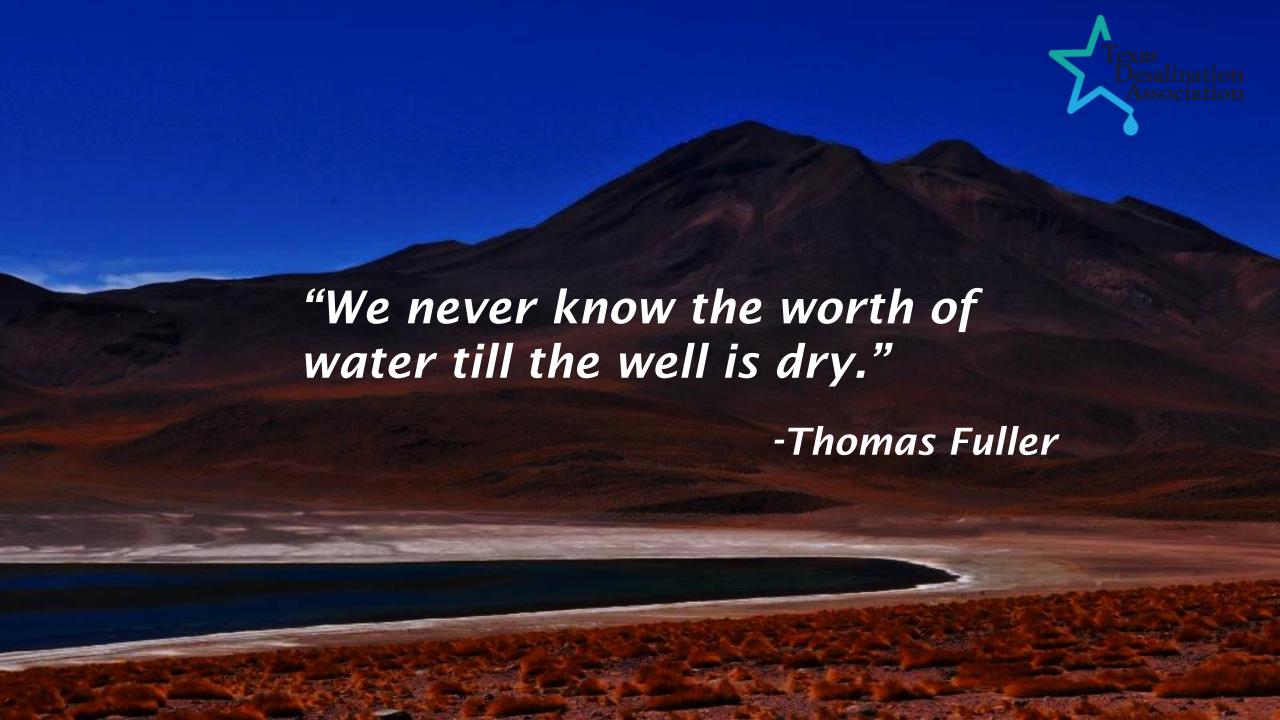












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