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One Water LA is the City of Los Angeles' collaborative approach to manage the City's watersheds, water resources, and water facilities in an environmentally, economically and socially beneficial manner.

SOLVING LA'S WATER CHALLENGES

One Water LA pulls together the multitude of agencies and stakeholders working on LA's water issues and addresses challenges associated with:

- ▶ Increased water demand
- ▶ Aging infrastructure
- ▶ More stringent regulations
- ▶ Dependence on imported water

This initiative provides the framework for City Departments, regional entities and stakeholders to work together on the big water picture – water supply, water uses, environmental needs, and long-term challenges and solutions.

MANAGE ALL WATER AS ONE WATER



ONE WATER LA OBJECTIVES

- ▶ **Integrate management of water resources and policies** by increasing coordination and cooperation between all City departments, partners and stakeholders.
- ▶ **Balance environmental, economic and societal goals** by implementing affordable and equitable projects and programs that provide multiple benefits to all communities.
- ▶ **Improve health of local watersheds** by reducing impervious cover, restoring ecosystems, decreasing pollutants in our waterways and mitigating local flood impacts.
- ▶ **Improve local water supply reliability** by increasing capture of stormwater, conserving potable water and expanding water reuse.
- ▶ **Implement, monitor and maintain a reliable wastewater system** that safely conveys, treats and reuses wastewater while also reducing sewer overflows and odors.
- ▶ **Increase climate resilience** by planning for climate change mitigation and adaptation strategies in all City actions.
- ▶ **Increase community awareness and advocacy** for sustainable water by active engagement, public outreach and education

BENEFITS

One Water LA will lead to smarter land use practices, healthier watersheds, greater reliability of our water and wastewater systems, increased efficiency and operation of our utilities, enhanced livable communities, resilience against climate change and protection of public health.

LIVABLE COMMUNITIES



- ▶ Green Streets
- ▶ Parks & Open Space

ENVIRONMENT



- ▶ Ecosystem Restoration
- ▶ Reduced Carbon Emissions

ECONOMIC BENEFITS



- ▶ Local Job Creation
- ▶ Utility Efficiencies

ENERGY MANAGEMENT



- ▶ Lower Energy Needs
- ▶ Greener Energy

WAYS TO BECOME INVOLVED

Essential stakeholder understanding and participation will help design the future of One Water LA and ensure a sustainable water future for Los Angeles. The success of One Water LA requires the recruitment of community stakeholders and each individual to take action.

Find out all the ways you can join the One Water team and make a difference!

Please visit: www.OneWaterLA.org

Stakeholder Sign-Up Link:

www.lacitysan.org/onewater/2040SignUp.cfm

One Water LA is a critical component of the City of Los Angeles Sustainability pLAN to strengthen and transform the City and focuses on ensuring a sustainable water future for Los Angeles. Central themes include:

- ▶ Reducing per capita potable water use by 25% by 2035
- ▶ Reducing purchased imported water by 50% by 2025
- ▶ Creating Integrated Local Water Strategy



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