

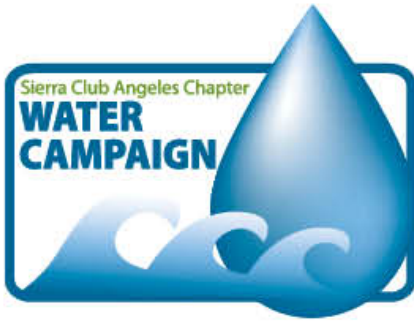
RESOLUTION

The Water Committee of the Angeles Chapter recommends that the Angeles Chapter support beneficial uses for conserved water in our communities.

Water conservation should not primarily benefit new development. Conserved water should be available for the enhancement of urban areas, for local farmers who produce food for the region, and for residents to grow their own food. Water savings should also remain in the natural environment, ensuring the long term health of those unique ecosystems.

The State's constitutional mandate states that water be put to beneficial use to the maximum possible extent and waste or unreasonable use should be prevented.





MISSION

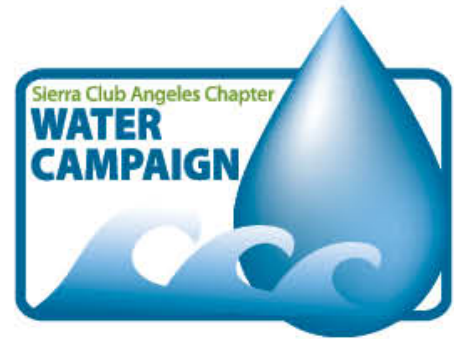
To provide presentations and educational materials to Los Angeles and Orange County residents about water supply and quality issues. The subcommittee will work to promote the governor's directive

for residences to conserve water by 20%, and promote beneficial allocation of these conserved water resources. Additional topics will include storm water runoff and the Clean Water Act. By providing outreach to college students, the subcommittee will recruit new members and trainers to the committee.

WATER COMMITTEE PROJECT LIST 2015

- Direct and Indirect Potable legislation - Ongoing
- Educational water related outings - ongoing
- Opposition to the Cadiz project - in litigation
- Increasing readership and developing membership through social media
- Increase Outreach
- Follow allocation of funds from Prop 1
- Review applicable legislation
- Increase Water Forums and water forum participation
- Maintain partnership/coalitions
- Encourage elected officials to attend meetings/forums
- Continued opposition to the BDCP
- Continued opposition to ocean desalination
- Fundraising to support outreach

HIGHLIGHTS/ ACCOMPLISHMENTS 2014



- Doubled social media presence
- Increase in new members to WatCom
- Water Forums in Long Beach and SFV
- Actively Participated in the Political Committee vetting process of candidates seeking office
- First ever fundraising comedy show
- Meetings with LADWP, West Basin, WRD, Long Beach Water, RWAG
- Water conservation in Gyms campaign
- Partnered with the Governors office on the Water Energy 2014 campaign
- Contribution to Drought and Ocean Desalination White Paper
- RWAG letter of support (Recycled Water Advisory Group)
- LADWP letters of support for Ground Water Remediation Plan & Ground water Replenishment Plan
- Comments submitted to OCWD on Poseidon White Paper (OC Water District)
- Comments submitted - Enhanced Watershed Management Plan
- Comments submitted - Hauled Water EIR
- Scoping comments to Energy and Environment Committee on the BDCP
- Floodplain Management Plan Steering Committee for last six months, 1-2 meetings per month
- Commencement of what is now the Fracking, Oil & Gas Committee
- Dr. Tom Williams and Ray Heimstra honored at the SC-AC Annual Banquet for service to the Chapter and WatCom

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The Water Committee meets
on the fourth Monday of the month.
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