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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.

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.

HIGHLIGHTS/ACCOMPLISHMENTS 2018

- Advancing Direct Potable Reuse (DPR) to the Board of Directors to adopt SC policy
- Oppose Cadiz Coalition with National Parks Conservation Assoc.
- Oppose CA WaterFix Coalition with Social Eco Education, Food & Water Watch, SoCal Water Dialogue, South Bay Churches, SEIU
- Increased voluteer recruitment through Volunteer Connection
- Sativa Water District Intervention
- Presence at Central Basin MWD Board Meetings
- Submitted DEIR/Scoping/NWD Comments: West Basin, Dana Point, DWP Spreading Grounds projects, La Cienega Dev. Project, Elysian Loft Project
- Successful No on Prop. 3 Campaign

WATER COMMITTEE PROJECT GOALS 2019

- Review/Update Political Committee Questionnaire
- Review applicable 2019 legislation
- Dewatering in WeHo
- Oppose Ca WaterFix Campaign
- Oppose Cadiz Campaign
- Central Basin MWD
- Water Quality in DAC and CEC's
- Maintain Partnerships & Coalitions
- Guest Speakers
- Conservation Education & Outreach
- No New Dams Campaign