



Santa Ana River Watershed 2014



Keeping Our Cool



Tuesday, October 14, 2014
Riverside Convention Center
Riverside, CA

AGENDA

- 8:30** Registration, Rolls and Coffee
- 9:00 – 9:15** Welcome
Phil Anthony, Chairman, Santa Ana Watershed Project Authority (SAWPA) Commission
Randy Record, Eastern Municipal Water District Board Vice-President, Metropolitan Water District of Southern California Board Chairman
- 9:15 – 9:30** Overview
Ron Sullivan, Convener, OWOW Steering Committee
Don Galleano, OWOW Steering Committee
- 9:30 – 10:15** Why We Are Cool: The Santa Ana Watershed in Action
Moderator: Ron Sullivan, SAWPA Commissioner
Jason Uhley, Chief of Watershed Protection, Riverside County Flood Control & Water Conservation District
Girish Balachandran, General Manager, Riverside Public Utilities
Jim Herberg, General Manager, Orange County Sanitation District
- 10:15 – 10:30** BREAK: Networking and Exhibits
- 10:30 – 10:35** Introduction of Colonel Kimberly Colloton
Mark Bulot, Santa Ana Watershed Project Authority (SAWPA) Commission
- 10:30 – 10:45** *Colonel Kimberly Colloton, Commander, US Army Corps of Engineers Los Angeles District*
- 10:45 – Noon** Maintaining our Cool: How to Integrate Economics, Health, Social Values and the Triple Bottom Line into Watershed Management
Moderator: Paul Jones, General Manager, Eastern Municipal Water District
Kurt Schwabe, Associate Professor of Environmental Economics and Policy, UCR
Paul Granillo, President and CEO, Inland Empire Economic Partnership
Al Zelinka, Community Development Director, City of Riverside
Michael Osur, Deputy Director, County of Riverside Department of Public Health



Noon – 2:00

Lunch

Introduction: John Rossi, *General Manager, Western Municipal Water District,*

Keynote Speaker: Glen MacDonald, *Professor of Geography, Ecology and Evolutionary Biology, UCLA*

Santa Ana River Watershed Award Presentations:

- Loren Hays Award (presented by Ali Sahabi)
- Vision and Leadership Award (presented by Don Galleano and Mark Bulot)
- Lifetime Achievement Award (presented by Ron Sullivan and Phil Anthony)

2:00 – 3:00

Keeping our Cool: Achieving Long-term Resilience of Santa Ana Watershed

Moderator: Joseph Grindstaff, *General Manager, Inland Empire Utilities Agency*

Kamyar Guivetchi, *Chief, Statewide Integrated Water Management, California Department of Water Resources*

Paul Brown, *President, Paul Redvers Brown Inc.*

Garry Brown, *President and CEO, Orange County Coastkeeper*

Mark Pisano, *Professor of the Practice of Public Administration at the Sol Price School of Public Policy, USC*

3:00 – 4:00

The Santa Ana River Watershed Accord

Audience will be invited to provide input on watershed vision for future.

Facilitator: Steve PonTell, *President, La Jolla Institute and Strategic Consultant, Performance Works and Germania*

Stephen Foulkes, *Chairman of the Board of Commissioners, City of Big Bear Lake, Department of Water and Power*

Rick Bishop, *Executive Director, Western Riverside Council of Governments*

Greg Devereaux, *Chief Executive Officer, County of San Bernardino*

4:00 – 4:15

Conference Summary: A Vision for the Future

Celeste Cantú, *General Manager, SAWPA*

Raffle Drawing