



Upper Los Angeles River and Tributaries Revitalization Plan

Working Group Meeting #12

October 17, 2023

Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

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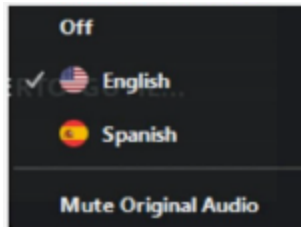
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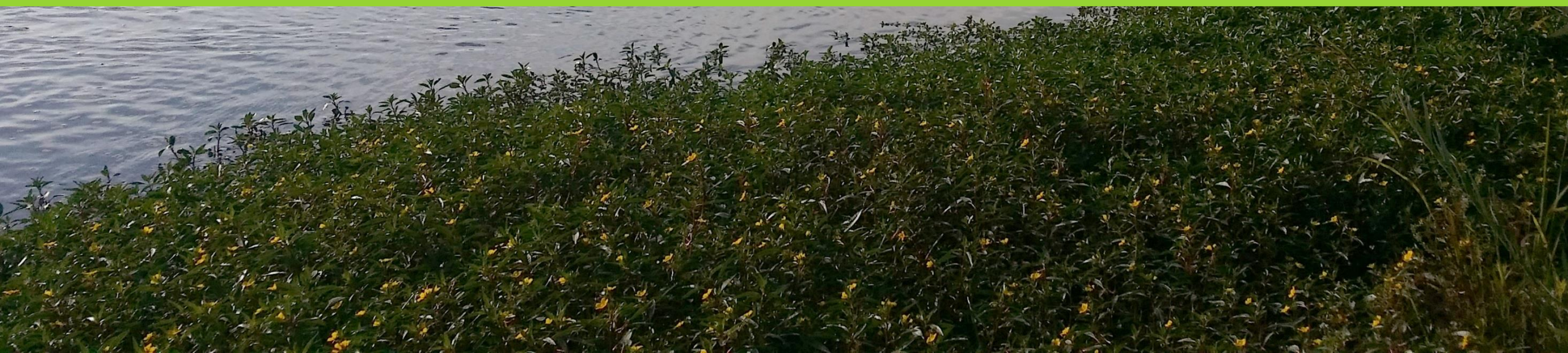
MEETING AGENDA



1. Call to Order.
2. Administration of Oath of Office to new members.
3. Roll Call.
4. Comments from Members of the public on items not on the agenda and public testimony on all agenda items.
5. Staff Update.
6. Discussion Items.
7. Members comments on matters not on the agenda.
8. Announcement of future meetings and adjournment.

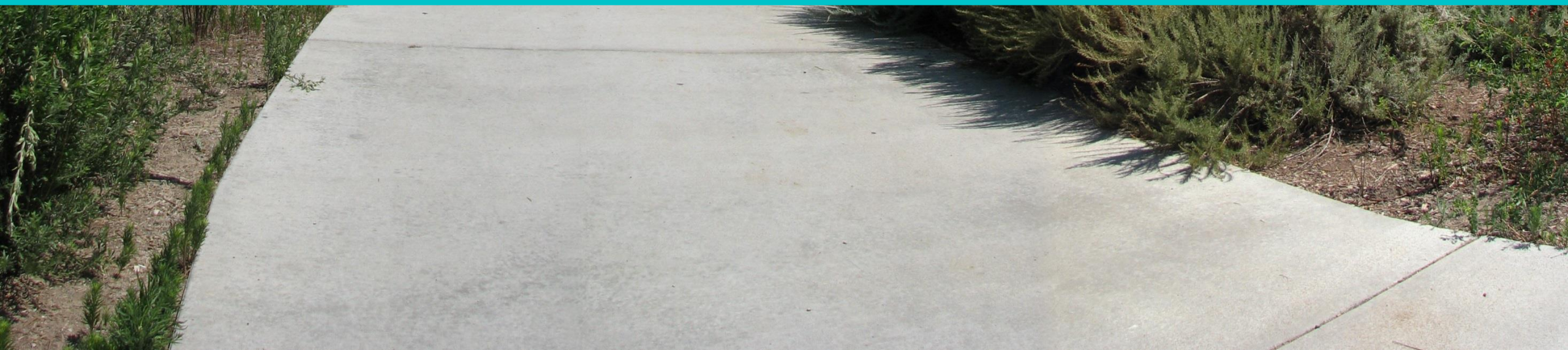


ITEM 1. CALL TO ORDER





ITEM 2. ADMINISTRATION OF OATH OF OFFICE TO NEW MEMBERS



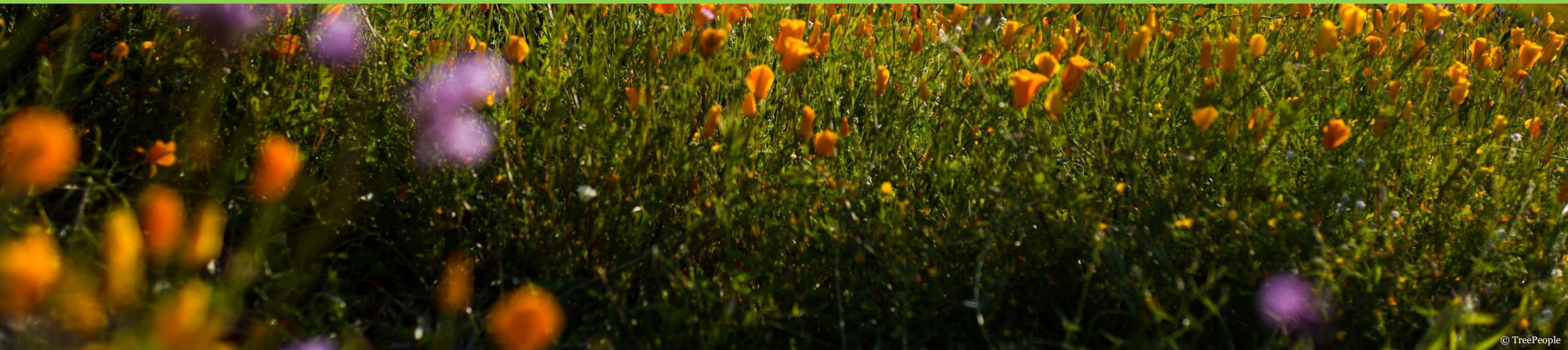
Oath of Office

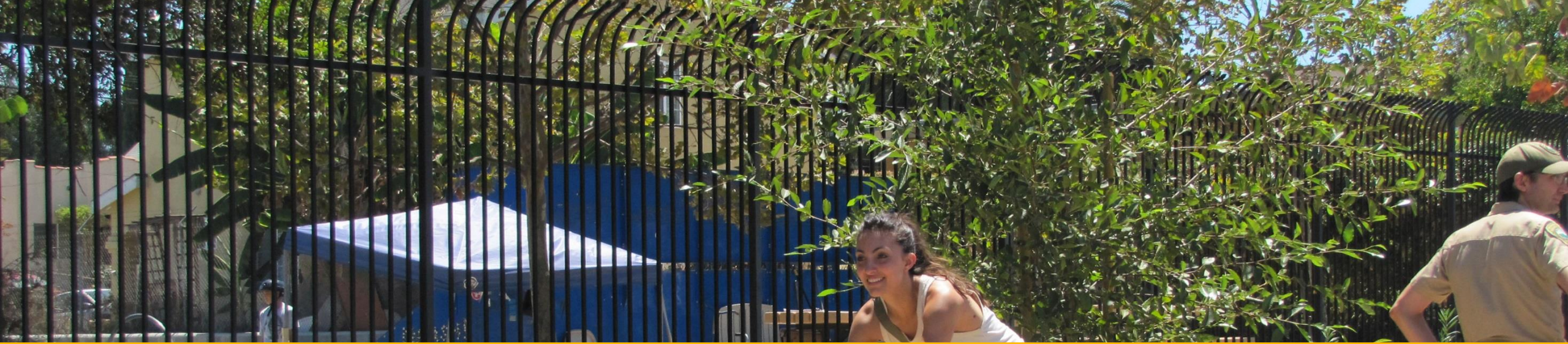
For the Office of, Member, Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy
Upper Los Angeles River and Tributaries Working Group

I, _____ do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I will support and defend the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of the State of California against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of the State of California; that I take this obligation freely, without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion; and that I will well and faithfully discharge the duties upon which I am about to enter.



ITEM 3. ROLL CALL



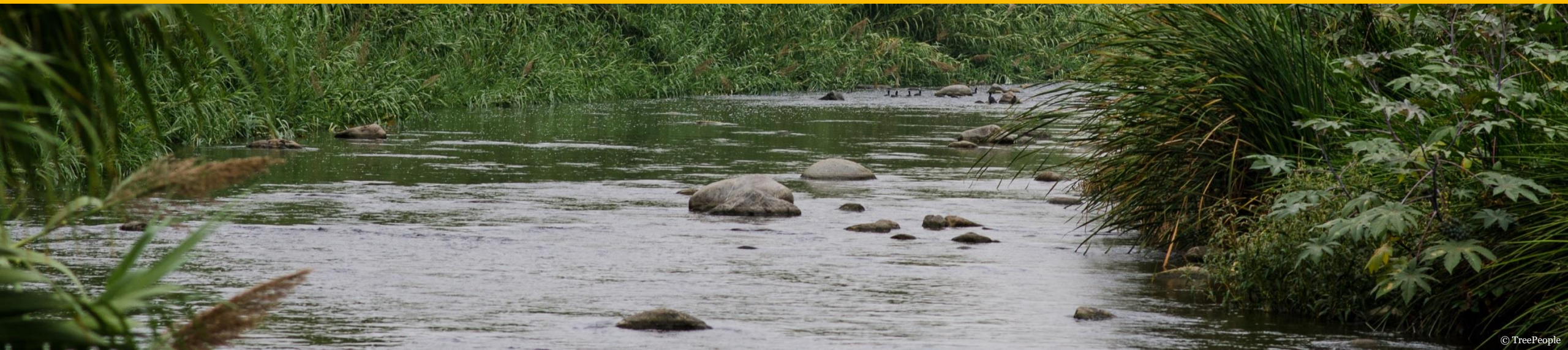


ITEM 4. COMMENTS FROM MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC ON ITEMS NOT ON THE AGENDA AND PUBLIC TESTIMONY ON ALL AGENDA ITEMS

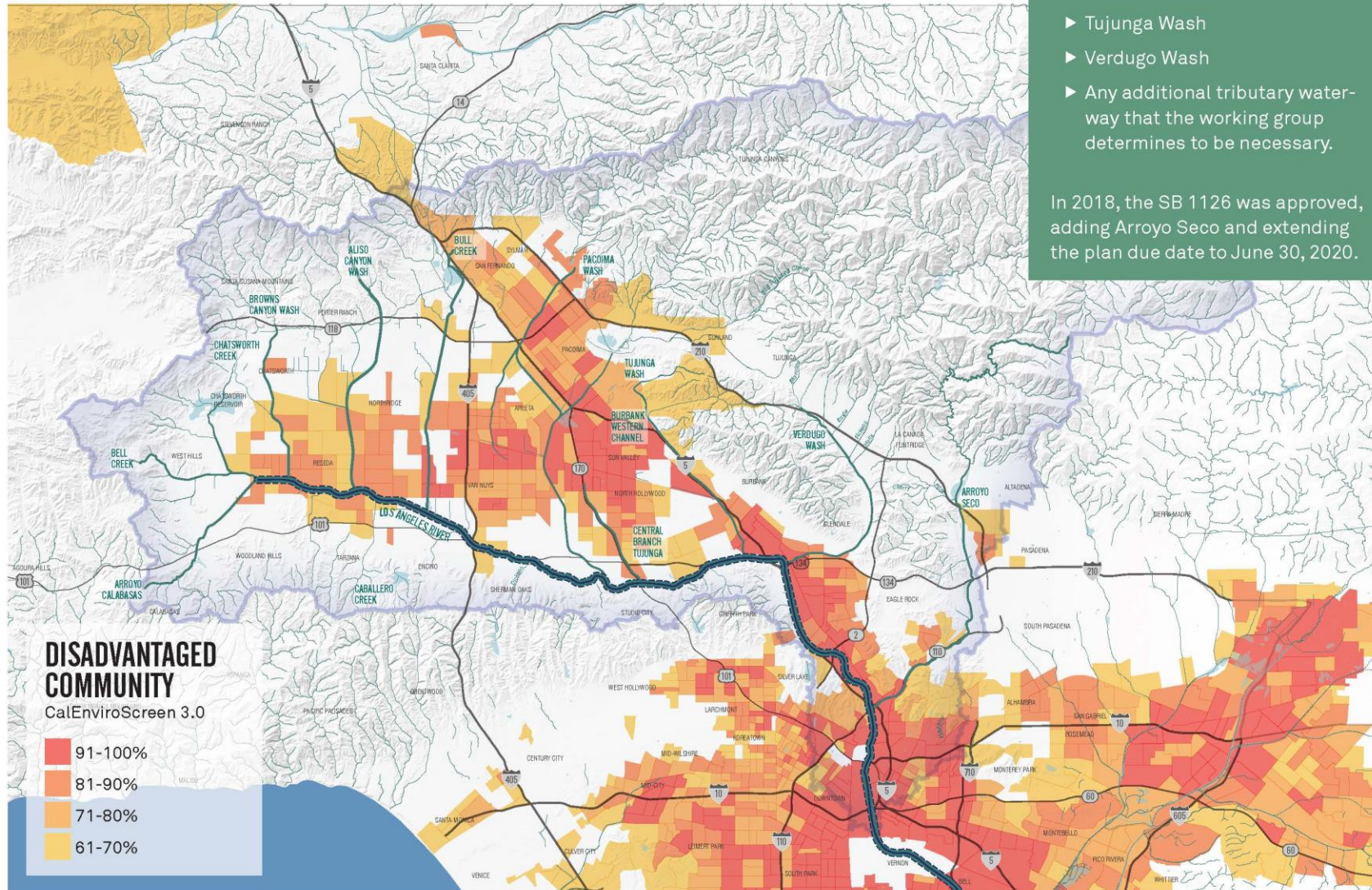




ITEM 5. STAFF UPDATE



TRIBUTARY SELECTION PROCESS



10 COMMUNITY MEETINGS

SUPPORTED BY

7 NON-GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATIONS

PHASE 1

MORE THAN

200

ATTENDEES

AT 4 MEETINGS

Discovery Cube, Sylmar, CA
March 13, 2019

LA Zoo, Los Angeles, CA
March 20, 2019

Kidspace, Pasadena, CA
April 4, 2019

Rose Goldwater Community
Center, Canoga Park, CA
April 9, 2019

PHASE 2

MORE THAN

325

ATTENDEES

AT 2 MEETINGS

Discovery Cube, Sylmar, CA
July 9, 2019

DreamWorks Animation Campus,
Glendale, CA
July 11, 2019

PHASE 3

120

ATTENDEES

AT 4 MEETINGS

Pacoima City Hall
October 10, 2019

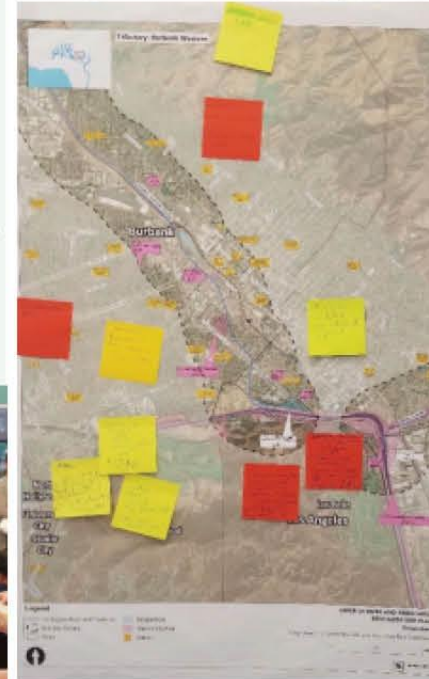
Los Angeles River Center &
Gardens, Los Angeles
October 15, 2020

Glendale Adult Recreation Center
January 9, 2020

Los Angeles River Center &
Gardens, Los Angeles
January 9, 2020



Community Event at the Discovery Cube, Sylmar



Above: Feedback from Phase 2
Community Meetings

PLAY YOUR PART IN CREATING HAPPIER, HEALTHIER, GREENER NEIGHBORHOODS IN YOUR COMMUNITY!

There are more than 300 proposed opportunities and projects throughout numerous neighborhoods along the Upper LA River and its tributaries (ULART).

THE ULART PLAN PROPOSE PLACES THAT:

- ▶ 1.53 million people can easily walk to
- ▶ Capture 8,695 acre-feet of stormwater a year
- ▶ Plant & nurture 250,000 trees
- ▶ Provide over 1,000 miles of shaded green streets and trails
- ▶ Preserve and enhance over 6,000 acres of urban wildlife ecology



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Special thanks to the Project Planning Team: MRCA, Tetra Tech, Studio-MLA, and AHBE MIG

WHAT IS THE ULART REVITALIZATION PLAN?

The Upper Los Angeles River and Tributaries (ULART) Revitalization Plan recommends more than 300 proposed opportunities and projects throughout numerous neighborhoods, with a priority on disadvantaged communities along the Aliso Canyon Wash, Pacoima Wash, Tujunga Wash, Burbank Western Channel, Verdugo Wash, Arroyo Seco, and Upper LA River.



REVITALIZATION PLAN MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of the ULART Revitalization Plan is to develop prioritized opportunities with the following components:



THESE PROJECTS WILL ONLY HAPPEN IF YOU GET INVOLVED!

1 Learn more about the ULART Plan

Visit upperlariver.org
Click "View Plan"
– Explore Chapter 3

2 Sign up for our email list

Get information about upcoming meetings and events, join and play your part!

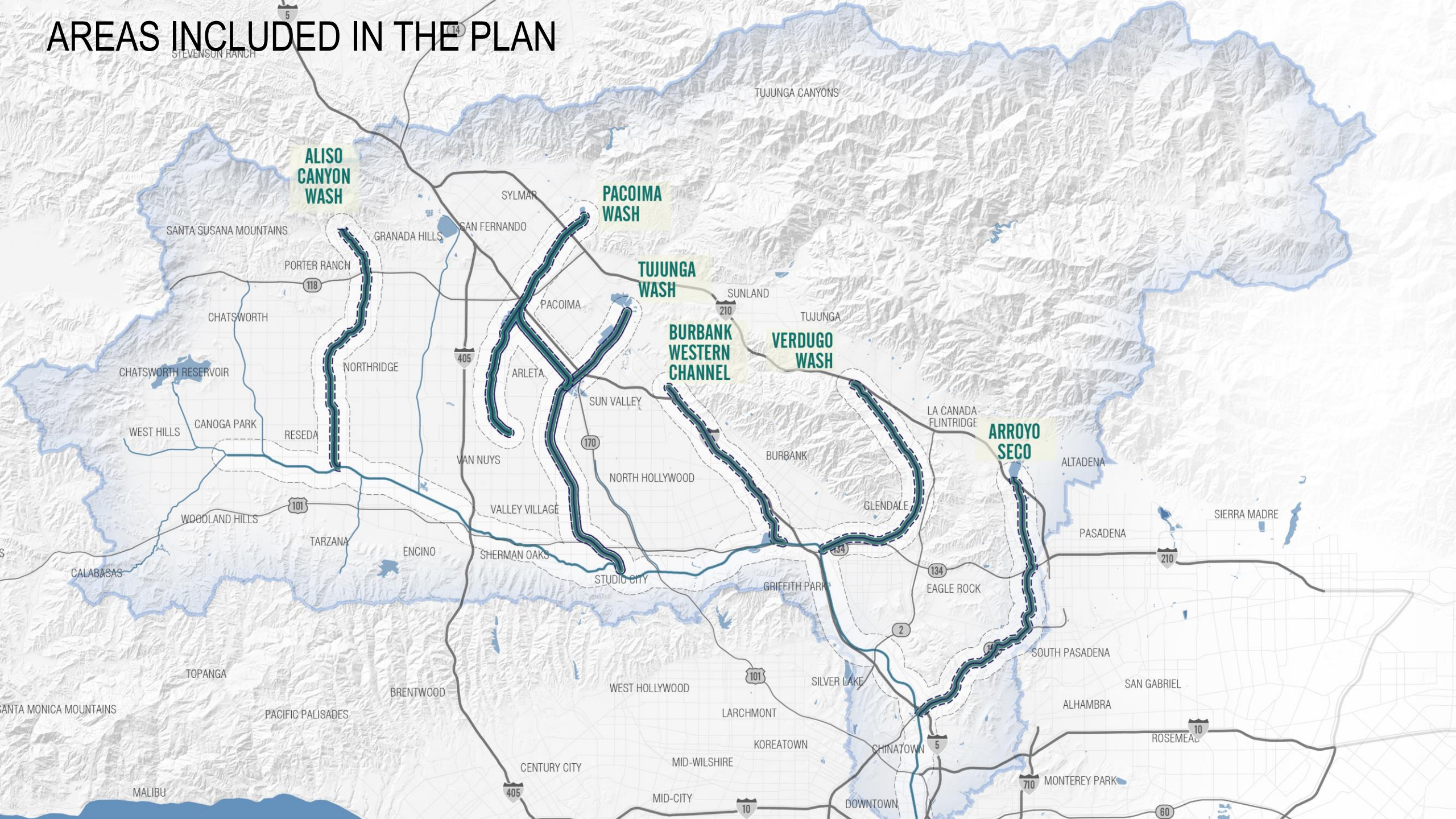
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3 Follow us on social media

Get news and updates via our project partner MRCA's social media:

@LAMountains
 @mrcaparks
 @mrcaparks

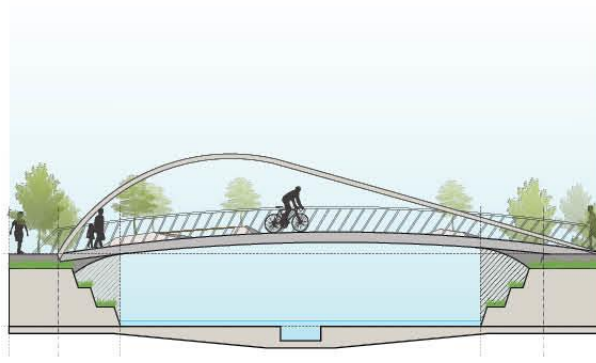
AREAS INCLUDED IN THE PLAN



CHAPTER 3: REVITALIZATION PLAN // TRIBUTARY PROFILE



ALISO - Wilbur Debris Basin



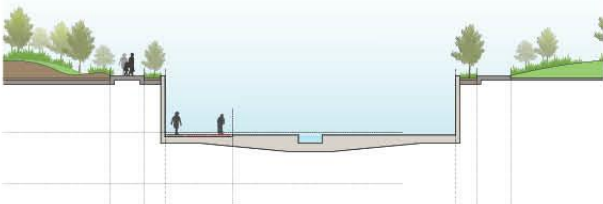
ALISO - Southern Aliso Green Network



PACOIMA - Pacoima Junction



TUJUNGA - Hansen Dam Lake



TUJUNGA - Tujunga Wash Greenway Extension



TUJUNGA - Hansen Dam Spreading Grounds



BURBANK - Multi-Use Green System



VERDUGO - San Rafael Ecological Connection



ARROYO SECO - Lower Arroyo Park



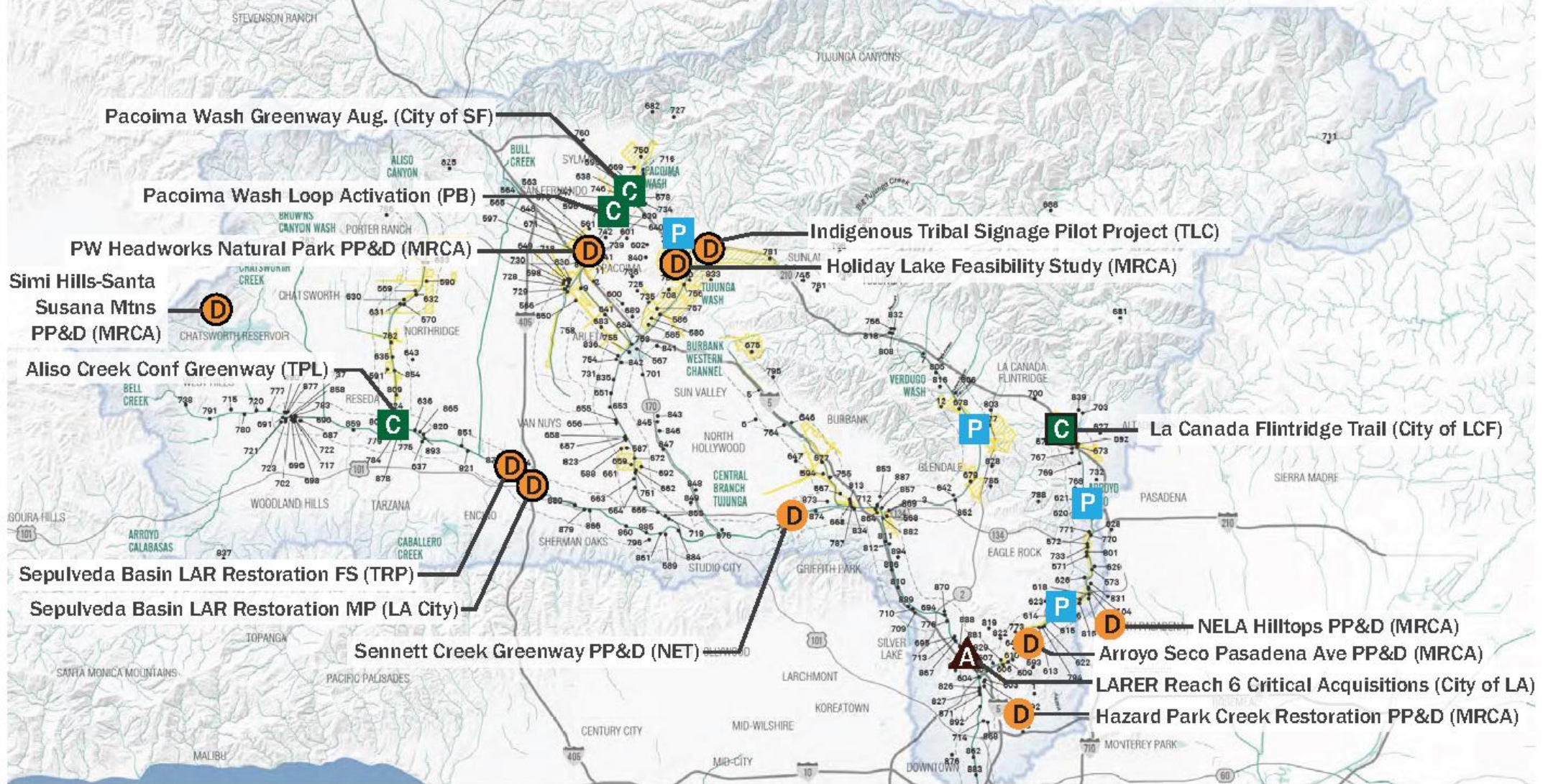
ARROYO SECO - Heritage Square



LA RIVER - Sepulveda Basin

ULART Project Portfolio Map

Area wide projects:
 Park Needs Assessment Plus Study (LACDPR)
 Tribal Signage Pilot Project (MRCA)
 ULART Plan Implementation (MRCA)



- Opportunity Area
- D Design and Planning
- A Acquisition
- ▨ Design Area Bundle
- C Construction/Implementation
- Previously Recommended
- P Potential





ITEM 6. DISCUSSION ITEMS





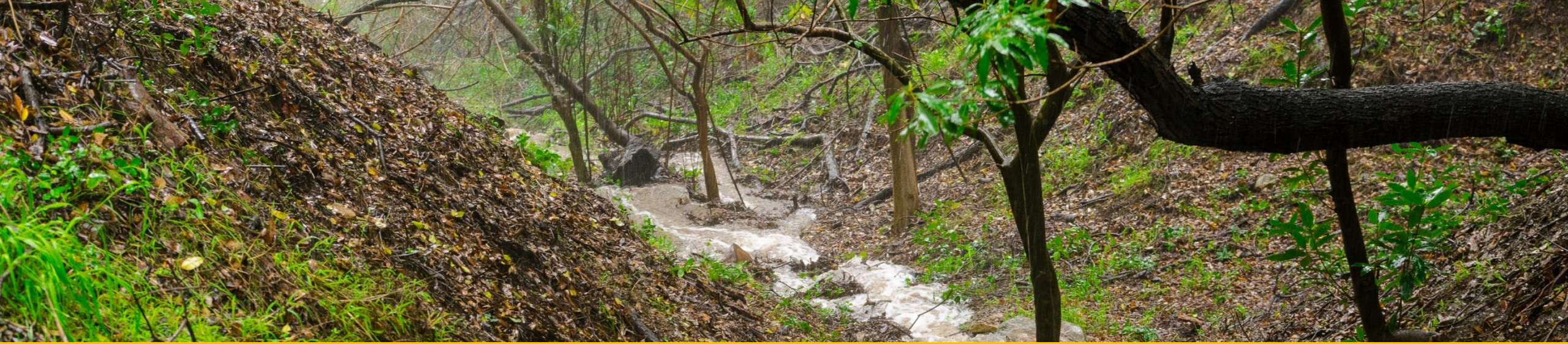
ITEM 6(a). APPROVAL OF MINUTES



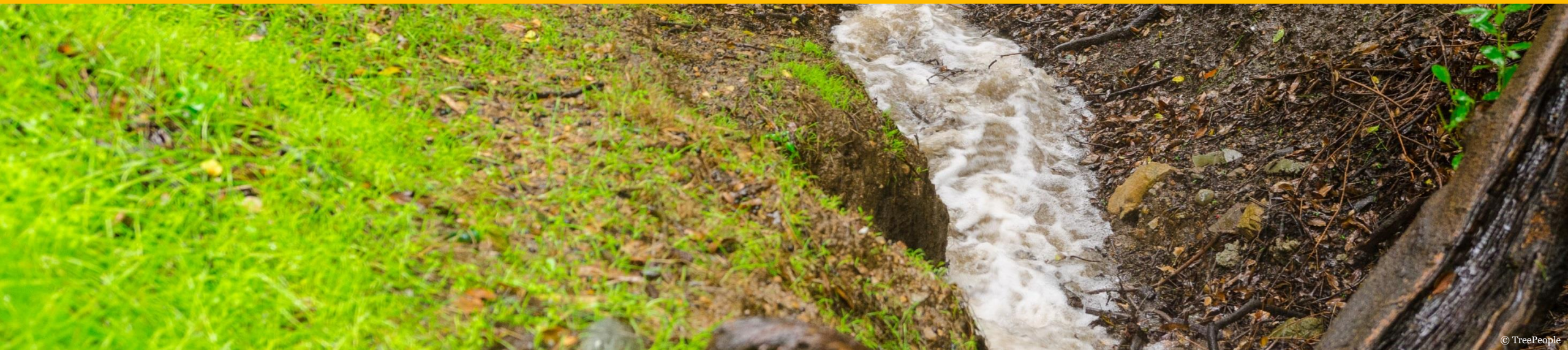


ITEM 6(b). Updates on the Upper Los Angeles River and Tributaries Revitalization Plan Implementation Projects.



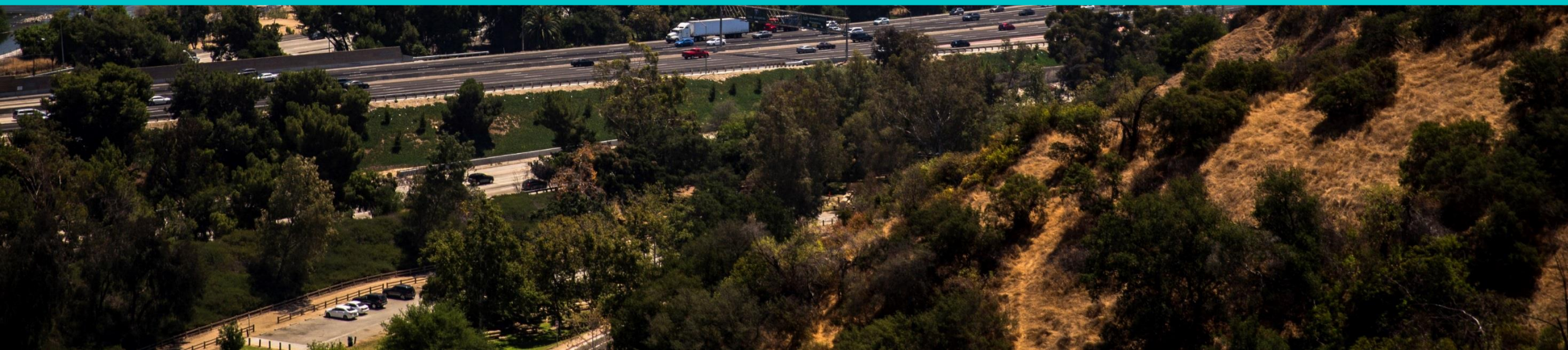


**ITEM 7. COMMITTEE MEMBER COMMENTS ON MATTERS
NOT ON THE AGENDA**





ITEM 8. ANNOUNCEMENT OF FUTURE MEETINGS AND ADJOURNMENT





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