

Post Event Summary

Event: Sacred Waters Queen Park Community Event

IRWM Region	Greater Los Angeles County	Date and Time	8/3/2023 6:00:00 PM
Community Engagement Partner	Social Justice Learning Institute	Event Format	In-Person Meeting
Location	Queen Park, Inglewood CA	Attendance or Estimated Reach	20

Purpose of Event:

Gain community feedback on WaterTalks project receiving technical assistance.

WaterTalks Project supported by the Event:

Sacred Waters Education

Means used to Collect Feedback:

Interactive tools, Design Boards and Video

Event Summary:

Social Justice Learning Institute, Sacred Places Institute, TreePeople and Stantec hosted a Sacred Waters Education event in which we gathered feedback from the community on sharing their water stories and what improvements they wanted to make at Queen Park focused on water. It was also an education event in which we discussed water, the sacredness of water (including a poem from SPI Water Director Jessa Calderon), stormwater capture education and history of the land. We provided several activities - a design board activity where residents could provide feedback via stickers and sticky notes on changes they wanted to see in the park to support water, usage of the ARLA/Spherical digital design tool, a video documenting activity where residents shared stories about the park and water and a gardening activity that served as a water education activity.

