

Post Event Summary

Event: Roll to the Stroll

IRWM Region	Greater Los Angeles County	Date and Time	November 22, 2019 2:00 PM – 9:00 PM
Community Engagement Partner	Active San Gabriel Valley	Location	Glendora Village 148 N Glendora Ave, Suite 202 Glendora, CA 91741
Event Facilitator Contact	Danielle Zamora	Community Member Attendance	Under 18 years old: (6-10) Over 18 years old: (11-20)
Event Facilitator Contact Email	danielle@activesgv.org	Water Service Provider Attendance	The city of Glendora was not able to attend.

On November 22, 2019, ActiveSGV hosted a pop-up booth and protected bike lane demonstration at the Glendora Holiday Stroll. Attendees were local Glendora residents and families from surrounding cities. Attendees encompassed a wide age range from older adults, local high school students, and children. The majority of attendees were White and Latinx.

We gave several WaterTalks presentations to small groups of folks who stopped by our pop-up during the Glendora Holiday Stroll. We discussed topics including how water projects are planned and funded in California, IRWM regions, what is WaterTalks, surface water and groundwater, watershed, flooding, water-related recreation, land use, capturing and storing water, water sources, tap and drinking water, and water service providers.

Strengths identified were that Glendora does not experience flooding during storms. Some concerns raised by attendees were how to keep waterways clean to prevent pollutants from draining into the ocean, concerns about mosquitoes and how to educate neighbors on draining water after it rains, and concerns about taste and quality of tap water. Another community concern is that there is not enough water storage to sustain the increasing population and development in Glendora. Community members believe that the city should be more strict about water conservation and should provide residents with resources to capture stormwater. Attendees were interested in increasing the variety of water-related recreational activities. While there are local rivers and streams, residents identified that there are not enough clean water sources to swim in.

