

Post Event Summary



Event: Southeast LA Listening Session - CBE

IRWM Region	Greater LA County	Date and Time	12/10/2021 5:00:00 PM
Community Engagement Partner	Communities for a Better Environment	Location	Virtual for Southeast LA
Event Facilitator Contact	Laura Gracia	Community Attendance	40
Event Facilitator Contact Email	laura@cbeval.org	Agency/Elected Attendance	None noted

Description:

Community meeting with residents from Southeast LA communities.

Questions / Comments:

Residents mentioned it would be important to include the top 4 issues vs top 3. That way high cost of water and climate change can be added. A few participants noted that these fourth issues had notable votes and were major concerns for them. Under the water related concerns, residents also mentioned that they want to highlight the need for water fountains to be filtered at public grade schools, due to drinking water quality concerns. It was also brought up that it would be good to differentiate between trash (individuals) and industrial pollution, as toxic chemicals might be considered more harmful. In regards to most pressing community issues, people mentioned that it resonated with them why the top concern was unhoused needs and housing. Someone mentioned the need to prioritize public health since people continue to deal with the pandemic/covid.