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Riverside County Final Agenda

Workshop Two: Collaborative Planning in the Face of Uncertainty

Wednesday, January 15, 2020 | 9:00 AM – 3:30 PM

Riverside City Hall - Mayor's Ceremonial Room; 3900 Main St, Riverside, CA 92501

Local Workshop Host: Mayor Rusty Bailey, City of Riverside

- 9:00 AM** **Optional Breakfast**
Catered coffee and light breakfast will be provided
- 9:30 AM** **Welcome**
Local Government Commission & Local Elected Host Mayor Rusty Bailey
- 9:50 AM** **The Water and Land-Use Nexus: Why now?**
Attendees will explore the connections between water and land-use decision-making and identify why the current state of California's infrastructure requires a systems-thinking approach.
- 10:30 AM** **Networking Break**
- 10:40 AM** **The Who's Who of Local Water and Land-Use Planning**
Attendees will review the water, land-use, and region-specific plans that govern local decision-making, and identify where there are gaps and opportunities for integration.
- 11:50 AM** **Networking Break**
- 12:00 PM** **Lunchtime Panel: Regional Experts on Collaborative Planning**
Catered Lunch will be provided. A panel of local experts will provide a brief overview of what coordinated planning looks like in the context of their work, following by audience Q&A.
Panel: **Jason Uhley**, General Manager, Riverside County Flood Control
Patricia Lock-Dawson, President and Owner, PLD Consulting
Rafael Guzman, Assistant City Manager, City of Riverside
- 12:45 AM** **Networking Break**
- 1:00 PM** **Water and Land-Use in Action: Multi-Benefit Projects**
Attendees will look beyond single problem, single solution projects and learn more about local multi-benefit projects, case studies for coordinated planning, and best practices to ensure coordination in development decisions.
Speaker: **Edwin Quinonez**, Chief of Planning, Riverside County Flood Control
- 2:10 PM** **Networking Break**
- 2:20 PM** **Collaborative Watershed Leadership**
Attendees will practice the principles of effective collaboration in teams and identify opportunities to improve cross-sector collaborative leadership in the context of their work.
- 3:10 PM** **Closing Remarks**
- 3:30 PM** **Adjourn**