

NEWS RELEASE



MEDIA ADVISORY

WATERFEST RETURNS! UPPER DISTRICT HOSTS COMMUNITY EVENT FOCUSED ON DROUGHT AWARENESS & WATER CONSERVATION!

WHAT: Following a two-year hiatus, the Upper San Gabriel Valley Municipal Water District is proud to host its annual WaterFest in partnership with the Los Angeles County Department of Parks and Recreation. WaterFest is a community outreach event focused on educating residents of all ages on the drought, water conservation and environmental stewardship.

WHEN: **Saturday, October 15, 2022**
10:00 AM – 2:00 PM

Entertainment Band: Suave
11:30 AM – 1:45 PM

Speaker Program
12:30 PM – 1:00 PM

WHERE: **Arcadia County Park**
405 S. Santa Anita Ave.
Arcadia, CA 91006

SPEAKERS: Kathryn Barger, Los Angeles County Supervisor
Ed Chavez, President, Upper San Gabriel Valley Municipal Water District
Jennifer Santana, Vice President, Upper San Gabriel Valley Municipal Water District
Anthony Fellow, Ph.D., Director, Upper San Gabriel Valley Municipal Water District
Katarina Garcia, Director, Upper San Gabriel Valley Municipal Water District

EVENT

HIGHLIGHTS: Interactive exhibits will focus on drought awareness, water-use efficiency, and environmental stewardship to educate residents of all ages. WaterFest will feature live entertainment, native demonstration gardens, food trucks, raffle prizes, Los Angeles Rams cheerleaders, Los Angeles Lakers spirit dancers, Mad Science Lab shows, and the Theodore Payne Native Garden Foundation.

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Upper District's mission is to provide a reliable, sustainable, diversified and affordable portfolio of high quality water supplies to the San Gabriel Valley; including water conservation, recycled water, storm water capture, storage, water transfers and imported water. Upper District services nearly one million people in its 144 square mile service territory. Governed by a five member elected board of directors, Upper District is a member agency of the Metropolitan Water District of Southern California. Annually, more than 78 billion gallons of water is used in Upper District's service area. For more information about Upper District, please visit our website www.upperdistrict.org or call 626-443-2297.

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