



Neighborhood Initiatives and Environmental Services (NIES)

Data for Fiscal Year July 2023 - May 2024



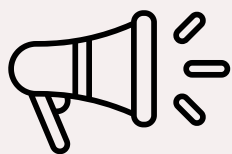
Neighborhood Meetings Supported - 88

Supported Neighborhood leader-initiated requests on 81 neighborhood meeting includes mailer of meeting flyer to residents, facility reservation, schedule speaker for meeting agenda, notifications. Presented on Environmental Justice and Neighborhood Quality of Life topics at 3 SAUSD school parent meetings. Collaborated and presented at 2 Environmental Justice quarterly stakeholder meetings hosted by GREEN-MPNA. Facilitated 2 Townsend Neighborhood Improvement Taskforce meetings



Neighborhood Clean Ups Scheduled - 166

Streamlined a process to improve communication and scheduling of 166 dumpster bins through June 2024 for neighborhood cleanups with neighborhood association representative, the City's Public Works Agency, and Republic Services, the City's contracted solid waste collection and recycling services



Neighborhood Events Supported - 41

Assisted with 27 neighborhood event support includes providing information of City applications required, certificate of insurance, event planning, marketing of event, and inquiring donations. We also provide technical support accessing funds from fiscal sponsor Charitable Ventures, from purchasing items for event, onboarding vendors, and budgeting. Conducted Environmental Justice awareness, City programs info, and special free lead testing and lead hazard removal program outreach to families, youth, and seniors at 14 events.



Grants/Donation Support - 11

Staff initiated, coordinated, submitted and/or secured funding on the following: Santa Ana awarded SCAG Sustainable Communities Program, CDBG funds for Cool Pavement at basketball courts, CA Volunteers Neighbor to Neighbor Program for environmental and climate awareness in disadvantaged communities, CA Office of Planning & Research Adaptation Planning Grant Program for EJ outreach and products to improve indoor air quality and pilot community air monitoring sensors in the Logan and Lacy, City's Investing in the Artist and Public Art Projects funded for Artesia Pilar, Willard and Delhi neighborhoods, OCTA - OC Connect Grant for Artesia Pilar and Santa Anita neighborhoods, and Processed requests with fiscal sponsor Charitable Ventures for City Council and private donations.



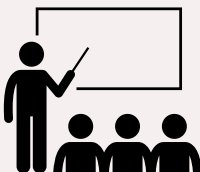
Email Campaigns - 48

Email campaigns compiled by NIES staff include information on neighborhood meetings, events, and informational material to 2,851 contacts. Our contacts include residents, faith based organizations, school staff, non-profits, City staff, and more.



Environmental Justice Complaints Addressed - 13

Documented concerns were generated directly from residents, members of the community, or through the City receiving correspondence regarding notice of violation from a regulatory agency. Staff tracks and creates a folder to reference complaint and update information, including code enforcement and other agency enforcement follow-up.



Trainings Provided - 2

This fiscal year NIES staff provided Neighborhood Leaders trainings and Charitable Ventures Fiscal sponsorship training.