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10:00 a.m. – 12 Noon  
Woodland Hills Kaiser Permanente  
5601 De Soto Ave., Auditoriums A/B and C  
Woodland Hills, CA 91367

**The Los Angeles River and its San Fernando Valley Watershed  
Progress and Opportunities**

**AGENDA**

- I. Opening Comments**
- II. City of Los Angeles – Vision for the River**
  - Doane Liu, Deputy Mayor for City Services, City of Los Angeles
- III. Watershed Health**
  - Nancy L.C. Steele, D. Env., Executive Director, Council for Watershed Health
- IV. Outlook for the River – Federal and State**
  - Ed De Mesa, Chief, Plan Formulation Branch, Los Angeles District, US Army Corps of Engineers
  - Pauline Louie, Los Angeles River Watershed Ambassador, Urban Waters Federal Partnership
  - Joe Edmiston, FAICP, Executive Director, Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy
- V. Outlook for the River – Local**
  - Deborah Weintraub, AIA, Acting City Engineer, City of Los Angeles
  - Terri Grant, Assistant Division Engineer, Watershed Management Division, Los Angeles County Department of Public Works
  - Evelyn Cortez-Davis, PE, Manager – Water Recycling Policy & Water Rights, Los Angeles Department of Water and Power
- VI. Public Comment**
- VII. Closing Remarks**