# **Inland SoCal Conservation Related Organizations**

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### **Directory of Many Regional Organizations at Community Climate Connection (CCC)**

Find inland SoCal climate related organizations & contacts at <a href="mailto:cccinlandempire@gmail.com">cccinlandempire@gmail.com</a>
<a href="mailto:https://www.communityclimateconnection.org/page-7745">https://www.facebook.com/groups/910968312779955</a>

## **Local Environmental & Conservation Organizations**

#### Sierra Cub San Gorgonio Chapter (Riverside and San Bernardino Counties)

San Gorgonio Chapter has 7 Local Groups: <a href="https://sangorgonio2.sierraclub.org/">https://sangorgonio2.sierraclub.org/</a>

Not all areas in our region have local groups. Sierra Club is the oldest, largest, and most powerful of all conservation and environmental groups, founded in 1892 by John Muir. The Sierra Club has long worked on conservation, pollution, resource depletion, climate, and many other related issues. Today Sierra Club is focusing more on the Climate Crisis.

Riverside-Corona Resource Conservation District www.rcrcd.org

LandUse Learning Center

Tour video promo

https://www.rcrcd.org/files/cda7d2597/LLCflyer.pdf
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=fNjFD2e0GM4

Climate Steward & California Naturalists of IE: Erin Snyder: Snyder@RCRCD.org

Community of Practice: Diana Ruiz <u>ruiz@rcrcd.org</u>

https://www.rcrcd.org/california-climate-steward-course

**Community of Practice** FB group to share information:

https://www.facebook.com/groups/4951802464873086

**Inland Urban Forest Council** 

Meets the last Thursday at 7 PM

https://inlandurbanforestcouncil.org/

**Environmental Education Collaborative** 

Meets the second Thursday at 5 PM

https://enviroedcollaborative.com/

Riverside Food Systems Alliance

Meets the first Thursday at 3

https://riversidefoods.org/

**Riverside Garden Council** 

Contact Scott Andrews:

https://riversidegardencouncil.org/

scott.andrews@yahoo.com

**Riverside Neighborhood Partnership** 

https://www.rnpinfo.com/

**Audubon Society** 

https://www.sbvas.net/

**Rivers and Lands Conservancy** 

https://riversandlands.org/

**Center for Social Justice & Civil Liberties** 

https://socialjustice.rccd.edu/Pages/About.aspx

**Greater Riverside Environmental Engagement Network** Facebook page

https://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=100069398723938

### **Climate Action Focused Groups**

#### Citizens Climate Lobby (CCL)

See IE chapters listings at https://www.communityclimateconnection.org/page-7745

For NW Riverside County: Cristi Hendry <a href="mailto:cristihendry@gmail.com">cristihendry@gmail.com</a> meets virtually the second

Saturday of each month at 11 a.m., preceded by a national webinar at 10 A.M.

FB: https://www.facebook.com/groups/440906517012907

Organized by Congressional District. Focused on lobbying for specific Federal Bills. Bipartisan.

#### 350-Riverside (350.org)

350-Riverside meets virtually the second Wednesday at 7PM.

Local contact: Kris Lovekin at <a href="mailto:krislovekin@gmail.com">krislovekin@gmail.com</a> for Riverside County

Website https://world.350.org/riverside/ FB: https://www.facebook.com/350riverside

350-Riverside is a county-wide group of grassroots climate activists. Their goal is to build a movement using peaceful democratic actions, to help bring better public policy and hold leaders accountable to science and justice. Current focus: Electrifying Riverside. An international group started by Bill McKibben

#### Climate Reality Project (CRP) Riverside County Chapter

'RivCo' Chapter meets virtually the second Monday at 6:30.

Focused on Climate, Environmental Justice & Education. Co-Chairs: Mark Accomando

at: Evokepeace1@gmail.com or David Marrett at dimarrett@gmail.com

https://www.facebook.com/groups/ClimateRealityProjectPalmSpringsCAChapter

https://www.climaterealityproject.org/ Facebook:

https://www.facebook.com/climatereality/ International organization founded by Al Gore in 2006. Six other chapters in SoCal

#### Fridays for the Future

Primarily for youth and young adults. Has adult allies. Coordinates Climate Strikes some Fridays at noon in Downtown Riverside.

Riverside contacts: Roxanne Robbins at <a href="mailto:roxanne.robbins@gmail.com">roxanne.robbins@gmail.com</a> and Linda Koskela at <a href="mailto:repeat.recycle@gmail.com">repeat.recycle@gmail.com</a>

#### **Third Act**

Primarily for Climate Activists 60 and over. Founded in late 2021 by Bill McKibben Third Act's SoCal working group is just now getting organized. Contact David Marrett if interested: <a href="mailto:djmarrett@gmail.com">djmarrett@gmail.com</a>

#### More about Climate Communication

The Psychology of Climate Change Communication http://guide.cred.columbia.edu/pdfs/CREDguide full-res.pdf

The Carbon Almanac: It's Not Too Late, adult and children's versions and programs. Download Generation Carbon, the almanac for kids, an educator's guide, and more at: <a href="https://thecarbonalmanac.org/">https://thecarbonalmanac.org/</a>. Contact Tania Marien, one of the contributors, who is local in Riverside: <a href="mailto:tania@talaterra.com">tania@talaterra.com</a>. Tania also produces the Talaterra podcast where she has conversations with environmental professionals who are working independently to enhance environmental awareness and understanding in communities.

Yale Program on Climate Change Communication: https://climatecommunication.yale.edu/

National Network for Ocean and Climate Change Interpretation: <a href="https://nnocci.org/">https://nnocci.org/</a>