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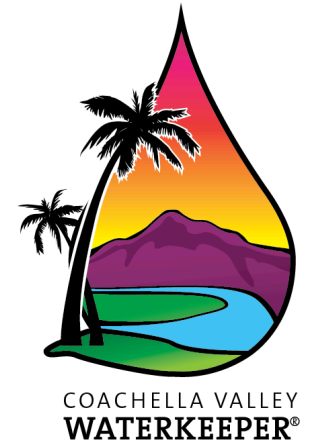
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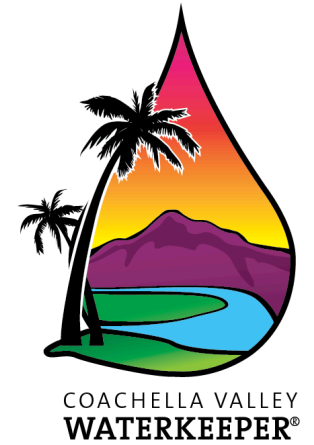
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Who are we?



- 501 (c)(3) non-profit organization addressing water-based issues impacting our desert
- Programs of education, advocacy, enforcement, restoration and conservation

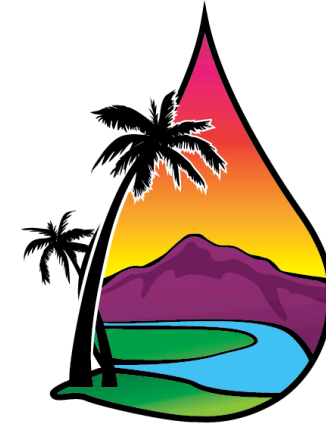
What are our objectives?



- Build a regional, collaborative approach to watershed management
- Ensure water quality conditions meet environmental and community standards
- Implement actions and programs with defined and measurable results
- Work with local, state, and federal agencies to ensure proactive water policy
 - Promote compliance with the Clean Water Act and other environmental laws
- Increase environmental education amongst citizens, students, and businesses

Our Programs

- Eyes on the Sea-collaborative program started by Audubon California in 2018
 - Engaging local high school students with the Salton Sea
 - Bird surveying, water quality sampling, macro invertebrate sampling
- Coachella Valley Watershed Awareness Program
 - Collaborative effort with Friends of the Desert Mountains and Whitewater Preserve
 - Multiple day program bringing local students to various sites along our watershed
 - I.e. Whitewater, CVWD recharge lagoons, Coachella Valley Preserve Oasis, Lake Cahuilla, Valley Sanitary District, Torres Martinez wetlands, Salton Sea
 - Hands on learning



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