Water Emergency Response Organization of O.C. (WEROC)

The Water Emergency Response Organization of Orange County (WEROC) coordinates and supports an effective emergency response to a major disaster on behalf of all Orange County water and wastewater agencies. To carry out this mission WEROC provides services that promote planning and preparedness activities for both the agencies, as well as its own Emergency Operations Center (EOC) volunteer staff. The program also takes an active role in maintaining two EOCs.

When WEROC was first established in 1983, many individuals from various water agencies generously gave of their time, expertise, patience and enthusiasm. Their foresight in recognizing the need for a comprehensive emergency preparedness program for the Orange County water industry resulted in WEROC's present reputation as a model for other regions to emulate. The continued support of the client agencies and other coordinating agencies, such as the Metropolitan Water District of Southern California and the Orange County Operational Area, has continued to make the WEROC program successful in its planning and country-wide coordination.

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The program is supported by a consortium of Orange County water and wastewater agencies(listed below).

WEROC Member Agencies

Anaheim

Brea

Buena Park

Costa Mesa Sanitary District

Fountain Valley

Fullerton

Garden Grove

Huntington Beach

La Habra

La Palma

Newport Beach

Orange

San Clemente

San Juan Capistrano

Santa Ana

Seal Beach

Tustin

Westminster

East Orange County Water District

El Toro Water District

Emerald Bay Community Services District

Golden State Water Company

Irvine Ranch Water District

Laguna Beach County Water District

Mesa Water District

Midway City Sanitary District

Moulton Niguel Water District

Municipal Water District of Orange County

Orange County Water District

Orange County Sanitation District

Santa Margarita Water District

Serrano Water District

South Coast Water District

South Orange County Wastewater Authority

Trabuco Canyon Water District

Yorba Linda Water District