

Community & Employee Engagement

Oct. 7th TAC
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Community Engagement

- Water Supply Public Tour (22 participants) on June 1st
- Spanish Water Supply tour (6 participants) on June 22nd.
- RRCSD tour on Sept. 21st.
- Water Supply Public Tour scheduled for Nov. 16th.



Climate Change Teacher Workshop

On June 19th 21 Elementary School Teachers visited our water supply system and learned how to center local climate change information in their curriculum.

This workshop was hosted in collaboration with SCP, Sonoma County Regional Parks, Pepperwood Preserve and NOAA.



Students from Miwok Valley
Elementary May 31st

(notice bridge construction)

Community Engagement

- In the 2023/2024 school year 16,457 students participated in classroom lessons or field trip programs.
- The Water and Energy Education Program received a Pathways Program grant again in 2024 for \$28,800 from the Community Foundation. This funding allows us to provide our existing education programs in “Pathways” schools, many of which are in the Partnership.
- In September 1,072 folks visited the Lake Sonoma Visitor Center. School group and public tours will ramp up this fall.

Employee Engagement

- New Employee Tours scheduled on Oct. 22nd (Water Supply) and Nov. 7th RRCSD. We may have space in our vans if TAC colleagues want to join!

Additional Employee Engagement Goals:

- Assess existing workforce development and internship programs in the community and identify what may be beneficial for Sonoma Water.
- Support the roll out of the countywide Employee Opinion Survey.
- Implement relevant Racial Equity Action Plan strategies at Sonoma Water.