



Land Conservation in  
Southern California:  
Projects, Programs and People

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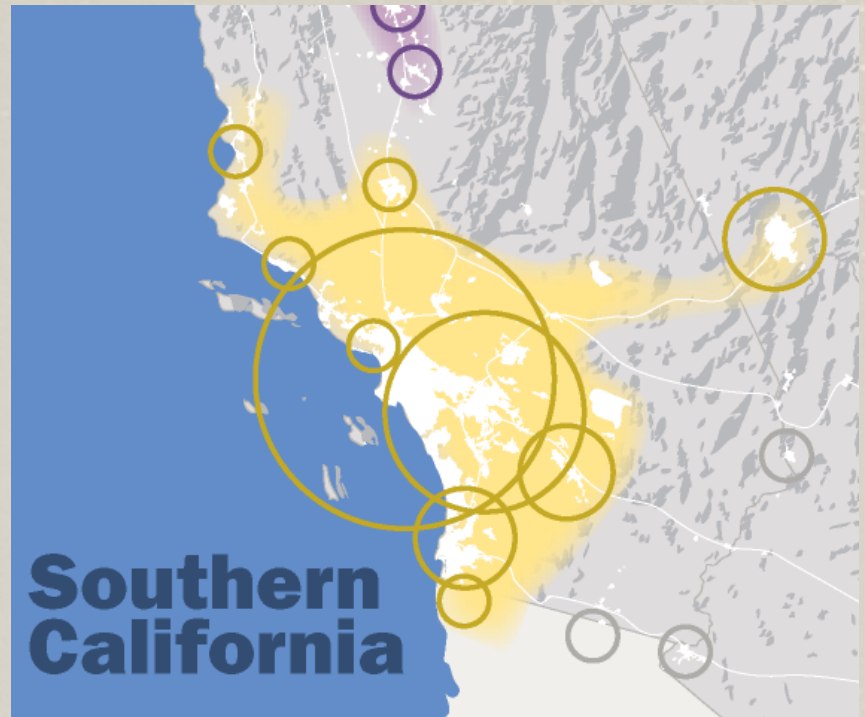
LAND FOR PEOPLE





# Growing Population in Southern California

- Population 2010: 24,361,642
- Percent of U.S. Population: 8%
- Population 2050: 39,381,675
- Projected Growth:
  - 61.7% (15,020,033)



Source (Data and Image):  
[america2050.org/southern\\_california](http://america2050.org/southern_california)

# Many Partners Doing the Work

- Arroyo & Foothills Conservancy
- Back Country Land Trust
- Catalina Island Conservancy
- Center for Natural Lands Management
- Endangered Habitats Conservancy
- Escondido Creek Conservancy
- Fallbrook Land Conservancy
- Friends of Formosa slough
- Friends of Rose Canyon
- Irvine Ranch Conservancy
- Kumayaay-Dieguenao Land Conservancy
- Los Angeles Neighborhood Land Trust
- Mountains Recreation & Conservation Authority
- Ojai Valley Land Conservancy
- Outward Bound Adventures
- Riverside Land Conservancy
- San Diego Habitat Conservancy
- San Diego River Conservancy
- San Gabriel and Lower Los Angeles Rivers and Mountains Conservancy
- San Alijo Lagoon Conservancy
- Southern California Open Space Council
- Preserve Calavera
- Tejon Ranch Conservancy
- The Conservation Fund
- The Nature Conservancy
- The Trust for Public Land
- Transition Habitat Conservancy
- Volcan mountain foundation
- And many more...



# Project Funding: Cap & Trade, Water Bond

## Climate Resiliency

- Increase regional and local resiliency and adaptability to climate change
- Projects of regional or statewide significance
- Help water infrastructure systems adapt to climate change,

## Water Quality, Supply and Reliance

- Multi-benefit water quality, water supply, and watershed protection .
- Urban rivers enhancement projects in urban watersheds
- Promote groundwater recharge and water reuse
- Use soils, plants, and natural processes to treat runoff

## Habitat Protection and Restoration

- Create or restore native habitat

# Many Projects and Programs with Similar Goals

- Workforce development and youth employment, Public education, Community organizing, Celebrations and gatherings, Natural resource planning and management, Bird and wildlife counts, Citizen science trainings and projects, Hands-on field work to maintain trails, restore habitat, and remove invasive weeds, Volunteer training, Supporting public hikes, mountain-bike rides, horse rides, Maintenance and upkeep, Strategic acquisitions and conservation easements for watershed protection, Prioritize conservation areas and facilitate planning, Support development of funding measures, Fire Prevention, River Restoration





# Arroyos and Foothills Conservancy

The Arroyos & Foothills Conservancy preserves land and restores habitat in and around the San Gabriel and Crescenta Valleys, thereby protecting natural areas for birds and wildlife and providing access and educational experiences for the community. We work with urgency to save these precious places before they are gone.



Image Credit: arroyosfoothills.org

# Ojai Valley Land Conservancy

The Ojai Valley Land Conservancy is a community-based nonprofit organization working with partners to permanently protect the Ojai Valley for the benefit of current and future generations.



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# Irvine Ranch Conservancy

To protect, restore and enhance the natural resources of the Irvine Ranch Natural Landmarks in perpetuity and to provide diverse opportunities for compatible public enjoyment by catalyzing and conducting scientific, recreational, and educational initiatives and programs



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