Santa Ana River Flood Protection Agency (SARFPA)

Facts on Westminster Watershed Feasibility Study by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers

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Study underway by U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Los Angeles District (USACE) to determine Federal Interest
☐ Study cost of \$6.3 Million shared 50/50 between O.C. Flood Control District and USACE
☐ Completion of project alternatives report by the USACE is being put on hold until such time as Section 104 Credit Program for completed works is clarified.
□ Annual appropriations of \$279,000 by U.S. Congress needed to continue study for FY 2011-2012
□ Per FEMA Floodplain maps, portions of Fountain Valley, Garden Grove, Huntington Beach, Santa Ana and Westminster are in the 100 year floodplain caused by a deficient East Garden Grove-Wintersberg Channel (EGGWC).
□ 16,216 residences and businesses in the 100 year floodplain pay \$16 million in flood insurance premiums per year.
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Watershed Study Limits

100 Year Floodplain