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Water Replenishment District Wraps Up The 16th Annual Groundwater Quality Workshop

Pico Rivera, California – The Water Replenishment District (WRD) proudly hosted its 16th Annual Groundwater Quality Workshop on December 13, 2023, at the Albert Robles Center for Water Recycling and Environmental Learning (ARC). The event brought together over 65 water professionals from cities, water companies and utilities in south Los Angeles County and the surrounding areas, facilitating insightful discussions on crucial groundwater quality issues.

The workshop served as a dynamic platform for the participants' knowledge sharing, collaboration and professional development. Attendees engaged in meaningful conversations that addressed the new regulatory updates and advancements in groundwater quality, contributing to the ongoing dialogue in the sector. The lineup of speakers included representatives from the State Water Resources Control Board - Division of Drinking Water, General Pump Company, Weck Labs, Aqueous VETS, Purolite and Roscoe Moss Company.

"I am delighted to witness the success of our 16th Annual Groundwater Quality Workshop. The participation and engagement of water professionals reflect the shared commitment to advancing our understanding of groundwater challenges. This event serves as a testament to our dedication to sustainable water management and I extend my gratitude to all who contributed to its success," states John D.S. Allen, WRD President of the Board. "We look forward to building on this momentum in our ongoing efforts to safeguard and enhance our precious groundwater resources."

"I am honored to have presented on Analytical Testing for Emergent Contaminants at the Water Replenishment District's 16th Annual Groundwater Quality Workshop. It's our privilege to support initiatives that improve the understanding of water quality. We appreciate the opportunity to be part of this impactful event," shares Agustin Pierri, Ph.D., the Technical Director at Weck Labs.

Photos from the workshop can be accessed by <u>clicking here</u>.

The Water Replenishment District is the regional groundwater management agency that protects and preserves the quantity and quality of groundwater for two of the most utilized urban basins in the State of California. The service area is home to over ten percent of California's population residing in 43 cities in southern Los Angeles County. WRD is governed by a publicly elected Board of Directors which includes Joy Langford., Rob Katherman, John D. S. Allen, Sergio Calderon, and Vera Robles-DeWitt.