

SEWC MEMBER BENEFITS

The Southeast Water Coalition (SEWC) is a Joint Powers Authority that formed in July 1991 and is comprised of eleven cities. These agencies formed a joint power authority to improve and protect the quantity and quality of the regional water supply. SEWC's water purveyors service a population of 670,000 in a service area of 93+ square miles.

SEWC's mission is to prevent the contamination of the Central Groundwater Basin from migrating contaminated groundwater and to encourage good governance of water policies to ensure the availability of reliable, quality, and affordable water.

Current SEWC member cities include:

**Cerritos – Commerce – Downey – Lakewood – Norwalk – Paramount – Pico Rivera
– Santa Fe Springs – South Gate – Vernon – Whittier**

While there are many benefits to being a member of SEWC, there are a few that stand out the most, including:

A unified and collective voice to
amplify concerns on regional
issues

Partnerships and potential
discounts from consultants and
associations

Collaboration on common goals
and objectives

Updates and presentations on
relevant legislation and
regulations

Agency networking
opportunities

Advocacy and representation
for regulatory and legislative
policies

Enhanced community
engagement and influence

Support from fellow member
cities on relevant concerns or
challenges