

MISSION RESOURCE CONSERVATION DISTRICT

DISTRICT BACKGROUND

The Mission Resource Conservation District (RCD) provides resource conservation programs within the San Luis Rey and Santa Margarita watershed areas in northwestern San Diego County.

The Mission RCD was established in 1944 to assist local property owners in implementing soil, water, and other natural resource conservation practices. The District works in conjunction with the U.S. Department of Agriculture Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) and coordinates programs, activities, and services with other resource conservation districts and related local, state, and federal agencies.

The District is governed by a five-member Board of Directors. Directors are appointed to four-year terms by the County Board of Supervisors from a list of eligible candidates proposed by the RCD according to Board Policy A-134, *Procedures for Appointment to Resource Conservation District Boards of Directors*.

LAFCO approved a sphere-of-influence for the Mission RCD in 1986 that is coterminous with the district boundary. The sphere was last affirmed in 2013.

DISTRICT CHARACTERISTICS

Principal Act:	Public Resources Code § 9150 et seq.
Services:	Water and soil conservation programs
Population:	115,500 (2012 SANDAG)
District Area:	185.2 square miles
Sphere of Influence:	Coterminous with District
Sphere Adopted:	June 2, 1986
Sphere Affirmed:	March 4, 2013
Revenue Sources:	Property tax, grants, donations
Governance:	Appointed 5-member Board of Directors
Board Meeting:	2nd Tuesday: 4:00 p.m. Fallbrook Public Utility District Board Room 990 E. Mission Road Fallbrook, CA 92088
Contact:	missionrcd.org 1588 South Mission Road, Suite 100 Fallbrook, CA 92028 760/728-1332
View Map:	sdlafco.org/Webpages/agency_maps_links.htm

The RCD includes approximately 185 square miles including the unincorporated communities of Fallbrook, Bonsall, and Rainbow; and the northern portion of the City of Oceanside.

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