#### What is LB-MUST?

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This project will provide for treatment of water runoff prior to being pumped into the Los Angeles (LA) River



#### Benefits

- Provides treatment to 43% of the City's tributary watershed discharging into the LA River
- Meets City's National Pollution Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) Permit Requirements
- Avoids potential costly fines for not cleaning water

## **Project Location**



## Partnership with Caltrans



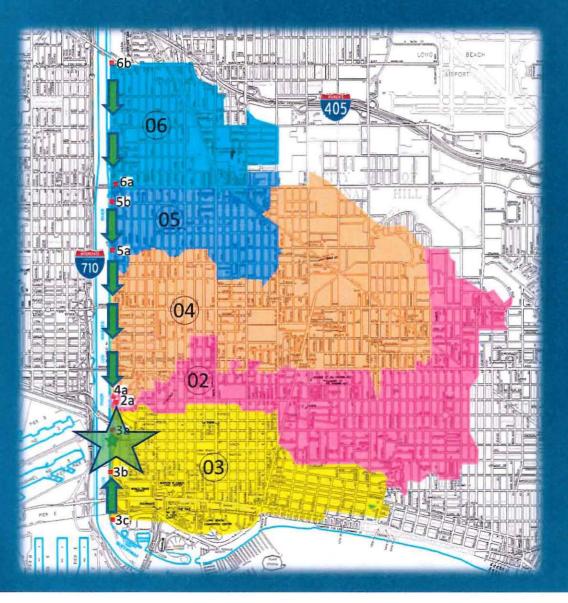


- Reimbursement Agreement to provide funding for design and construction of LB-MUST (\$28M)
- Project will include interception, diversion and treatment of dry weather urban water runoff and the first flush of rainwater runoff
- Initial Phase will include approximately 5,032 acres of City's tributary watershed zones to the Los Angeles River



# Partnership with Caltrans





Initial Phase Work Funded by Caltrans

Proposed LB-MUST Location



Interception Lines



### Next Steps

- Finalize Agreement with Caltrans
- Complete Environmental Clearance
- Initiate RFP and select Design Consultant
- Move forward with Design and Permitting
  - ✓ Los Angeles County Flood Control District
  - Regional Water Quality Control Board
  - California Coastal Commission
  - ✓ U.S. Army Corps of Engineers
  - ✓ U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service
  - Construct Facility

#### Future Phases

- Expand capacity to include additional pump stations and treat the remaining 57% of the City's tributary watershed discharging into the LA River
- Build wetland retention basin
  - ✓ RMC Grant Fund request submitted (\$2M)
- Create additional retention facilities
- Build recycled water irrigation to Cesar Chavez-Drake Park and the Downtown area.

### Questions?