

Training and Education Resources

| Organization | Notes | Conferences * |
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| Land Trust Alliance (LTA) https://www.landtrustalliance.org/ | A consistent source of informative sessions on high level conservation matters that apply at a national level. Not generally useful for local laws and other details. | Rally 2021 will be held virtually October 5 – 7, 2021 On or after 09.21.21: \$200 - \$325** <i>**depending on the total number of registrants from the agency</i> |
| California Council of Land Trusts (CCLT) https://www.calandtrusts.org/ | Resources and Publications are available on the website. More relevant to California conservation issues than LTA, but resources are limited. | No dates yet for 2022 |
| California Special Districts Association (CSDA) https://www.csda.net/home Staff can provide you with a log in | 94 on-demand offerings a on wide variety of special district topics including governance, ethics and the Brown Act are free. | Annual conference in August Location and costs vary |
| National Recreation and Parks Association (NRPA) https://www.nrpa.org/ The Authority is not a member | Education, certification, events, publications and research, focused mostly on urban parks and recreation topics. | 2022 NRPA Annual Conference September 20 – 22, 2022 Cost for virtual attendance in 2021: \$395 - \$445 |
| California Parks and Recreation Society (CPRS) https://online.cprs.org/ | Resources, education, advocacy to advance parks and recreation professions. | CPRS Conference & Expo March 8 – 11, 2022 (Sacramento) Still developing an online program Cost: TBD |
| TOGETHER Bay Area https://togetherbayarea.org/ | Community conversations, convenings, regional reports and YouTube Channel . Usually very relevant to our work; the Authority is a member of TOGETHER Bay Area. | Virtual and in-person Spring and Forum, and monthly Together Tuesdays in the Fall; Cost: TBD |
| SPUR https://www.spur.org/ | Ongoing online events, research and initiatives Advocacy for smart growth principles in urban areas, increasingly focused on climate | Usually \$10 |

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| California Climate & Agriculture Network (CalCAN) https://calclimateag.org/ | Resources, newsletters and blog posts related to farmland conservation, climate smart ag practices, and social justice for farm- and foodworkers. | |
| EcoFarm https://eco-farm.org/ | Events and resources related to organic and regenerative agriculture, social justice for those in the ag industry. | 42 nd EcoFarm Conference January 19 – 22, 2022 (Asilomar State Beach & Conference Center with some virtual options) Cost: \$500 - \$775 with single day packages available; lodging is extra |

* Please have Staff register for you to maximize available discounts, streamline the payment process, and to track total expenditures.