

## ARCCA Affiliate Member Structure and Benefits

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“ARCCA has proven to be an excellent forum for us to engage with local jurisdictions and their partners from across the state, stay abreast of developments in the adaptation and resilience space, and identify opportunities for collaboration with state and local partners. We look forward to continuing to work with them!”

– Yoon Kim, Four Twenty Seven, Inc. (ARCCA Affiliate Member)

### Affiliate Member Benefits

In addition to being part of a robust network of adaptation practitioners with a strong reputation throughout the state and nation, and demonstrating your support for regional collaboratives and sound adaptation policies and practices, affiliate members receive the following benefits:

#### Engage in critical dialogue and decision-making processes:

- » Participation in ARCCA’s comment letter process in response to California’s adaptation-related policies and guidance documents. With deep connections to key state agencies and a strong reputation, ARCCA’s comments are carefully considered and members frequently have opportunities for early review and input before drafts are publically released. ARCCA’s participation in state dialogue resulted in the inclusion of ARCCA as a resource in the Climate Change Research Plan for California, Executive Order B-30-15 supplementary materials, and Safeguarding California: Implementation Action Plans.
- » Participation in important dialogue with key players in California’s adaptation space, focused on identifying solutions to the state’s most pressing climate change issues, at ARCCA’s quarterly in-person meetings and ad hoc conference calls.
- » Input on ARCCA’s strategic planning process.

#### Access to a statewide network:

- » Introductions and connections to key state agencies that regularly engage and participate in ARCCA’s initiatives and meetings, which include but are not limited to:
  - Governor’s Office of Planning and Research (ex-officio member)
  - California Department of Public Health
  - California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection
  - California Environmental Protection Agency
  - California Natural Resources Agency
  - California State Coastal Conservancy
  - Strategic Growth Council
- » Connections to ARCCA member regional collaboratives throughout the state, and opportunities to engage with their individual members (diverse blends of public, private,

nonprofit, and academic organizations), to collaborate on projects, advocacy efforts, and other initiatives.

- Current regional collaborative members include:
  - Bay Area Regional Collaborative
  - Capital Region Climate Readiness Collaborative
  - Central Coast Climate Collaborative
  - Los Angeles Regional Collaborative for Climate Action and Sustainability
  - San Diego Regional Climate Collaborative
  - Sierra Climate Adaptation and Mitigation Partnership
- ARCCA is currently working with stakeholders to support the formation of regional collaboratives in the following regions:
  - Inland Empire
  - North Coast
  - Orange County
  - San Joaquin Valley
- » Opportunities to share about your work through ARCCA’s Learning Session webinars, as well as by teaming up with ARCCA members on regional, statewide, and national conference proposals.

**Access to resources:**

- » ARCCA member-only biweekly newsletters that highlight the latest funding opportunities, upcoming events, new resources, and relevant news updates.
- » Participation in the exchange of best practices, replicable strategies, and innovative ideas at ARCCA’s quarterly in-person member meetings and through online channels.
- » Updates on key adaptation-related bills in California throughout the duration of each legislative session.

**Annual Member Dues**

Tier	Operating Budget	Non-Profit & Universities	Private Sector & Special Districts
1	Up to \$500,000	\$200	\$400
2	\$500,000 up to \$1M	\$400	\$600
3	\$1M up to \$2M	\$600	\$900
4	\$2M up to \$5M	\$900	\$1,400
5	\$5M up to \$10M	\$1,300	\$3,000
6	\$10M to \$20M	\$2,200	\$6,000
7	\$20M to \$40M	\$3,500	\$10,000
8	\$40M+	\$6,000	\$15,000