

SAVE THE DATE

Southwest Region Colonias and Other Disadvantaged Unincorporated Communities Stakeholders Meetings & Environmental and Climate Justice Community Change Grants Webinars

(Webinars are open to the public, in-person or virtual)

- 1 March 27 - 28, 2024 – Lower Rio Grande Valley (TX)**
To register contact Jill Capotosto, jill.capotosto@hq.doe.gov
- 2 May 8 - 9, 2024 – El Centro/Imperial Valley (CA)**
To register contact Bria Crawford, Crawford.bria@epa.gov

Target Audience: Southwest region Colonias and other disadvantaged unincorporated community leaders, nonprofit, civic, philanthropic, faith-based organizations, higher education institutions, as well as local, state, and federal government representatives.

*Creating a Space for Deeper Understanding
and Building Bridges for Enhanced Collaboration*

Southwest Region Colonias and Other Disadvantaged Unincorporated Communities Stakeholders:

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) cordially invites you to one of two events to discuss the ongoing barriers that prevent basic services in many Colonias and other Disadvantaged Unincorporated Communities in the Southwest region.

Participants will enhance connections, understand how to unlock access to resources, and discuss a collaborative strategy to address environmental and health risks faced by these communities. Participants will also learn about the [Environmental and Climate Justice Community Change Grants](#), a \$2 Billion funding opportunity that plans to invest a minimum of \$50 million to benefit Disadvantaged Unincorporated Communities.

