

Los Angeles SDG Activities Index

Submission criteria

The Los Angeles SDG Activities Index is a living encyclopedia of organizations and projects that are enabling positive outcomes in the City of Los Angeles in alignment with the Sustainable Development Goals. To ensure that active, well-intentioned organizations and projects are included in the Index and able to find one another to explore ways to amplify their collective impact, a few criteria are in place to evaluate submissions before they are published to the Index.

To be included in the Index, the activity (project or organization) MUST:

- 1) Be a project affiliated with a registered non-profit, philanthropic, government, or corporate organization, or the organization itself. Individuals, informal or affinity groups, and short-term projects will not be included, nor will projects that directly or principally benefit any specific individual (as opposed to the identified community as a whole).
- 2) Provide service(s) that benefit, and are available to, the residents of Los Angeles.
- 3) Have a focus on Los Angeles, operate, or deliver services within the City limits.
- 4) Have a mission or purpose that positively impacts a specific SDG target or indicator.
- 5) Be committed to inclusion, equity, collaboration, and leaving no one behind.
- 6) Intend to remain active for at least one year after submission.
- 7) Be submitted in English to the platform (even if the website and services are offered in a language other than English).
- 8) NOT promote hate or discrimination, discriminate against, disparage, or denigrate on the basis of race, ancestry, place of origin, color, ethnic origin, citizenship, creed, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity or expression, age, judicial record, marital status, family status, physical or mental disability, language, or any other ground prohibited by applicable legislation in the City of Los Angeles; or disparage or denigrate a product, service, person, company, or organization.
- 9) NOT be political in nature; attempt to influence legislation or the outcome of any specific election; suggest or encourage the taking up of arms against any person, government, or entity or champion the overthrow of a government; or exclusively focus on political advocacy for a particular political party, candidate, or to expand membership or to encourage membership for a particular political party, candidate or lobbying effort.
- 10) NOT promote alcohol, illegal drugs or activity, tobacco, firearms/weapons, prostitution, or pornography; or contain any profanities, be overtly sexual, suggest an intent to abuse, or contain suggestions of violence.
- 11) NOT focus on religious advocacy with the central intent of expanding membership or encouraging conversion to a particular religious group.
- 12) NOT violate the intellectual property or proprietary rights of other parties, including the use of individuals' names or likeness without permission.

Once a new activity is submitted to the Index, it will be reviewed and uploaded within 10 days if it meets the above criteria. If you cannot find your activity in the Index within 10 days, please email us at sdg@lacity.org. If the City receives a complaint alleging a violation of one of the above criteria, the City may remove an activity from the Index without prior notice. If an organization no longer wishes to participate as part of this Index or wishes to update their information, please email sdg@lacity.org.

All questions and correspondence can be directed to sdg@lacity.org.