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QUEEN CITY CLEAN WATERS



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QCCW Stakeholder Advisory Committee

Agenda

- 1 QCCW Interactive Website Engagement
- 2 Queen City Clean Water Fair
 - Event Planning Update
 - Volunteering & Organizational Support
 - Marketing

QCCW Interactive Website Engagement

June Engagement Activity

Total Views: **1,257**

Total Visits: **832**

Total Visitors: **520**

Total Contributions: **34**
(33 Survey Respondents & 1 Comment on
Share Your Insights)

Views - The number of times a Visitor views any page on a Site.

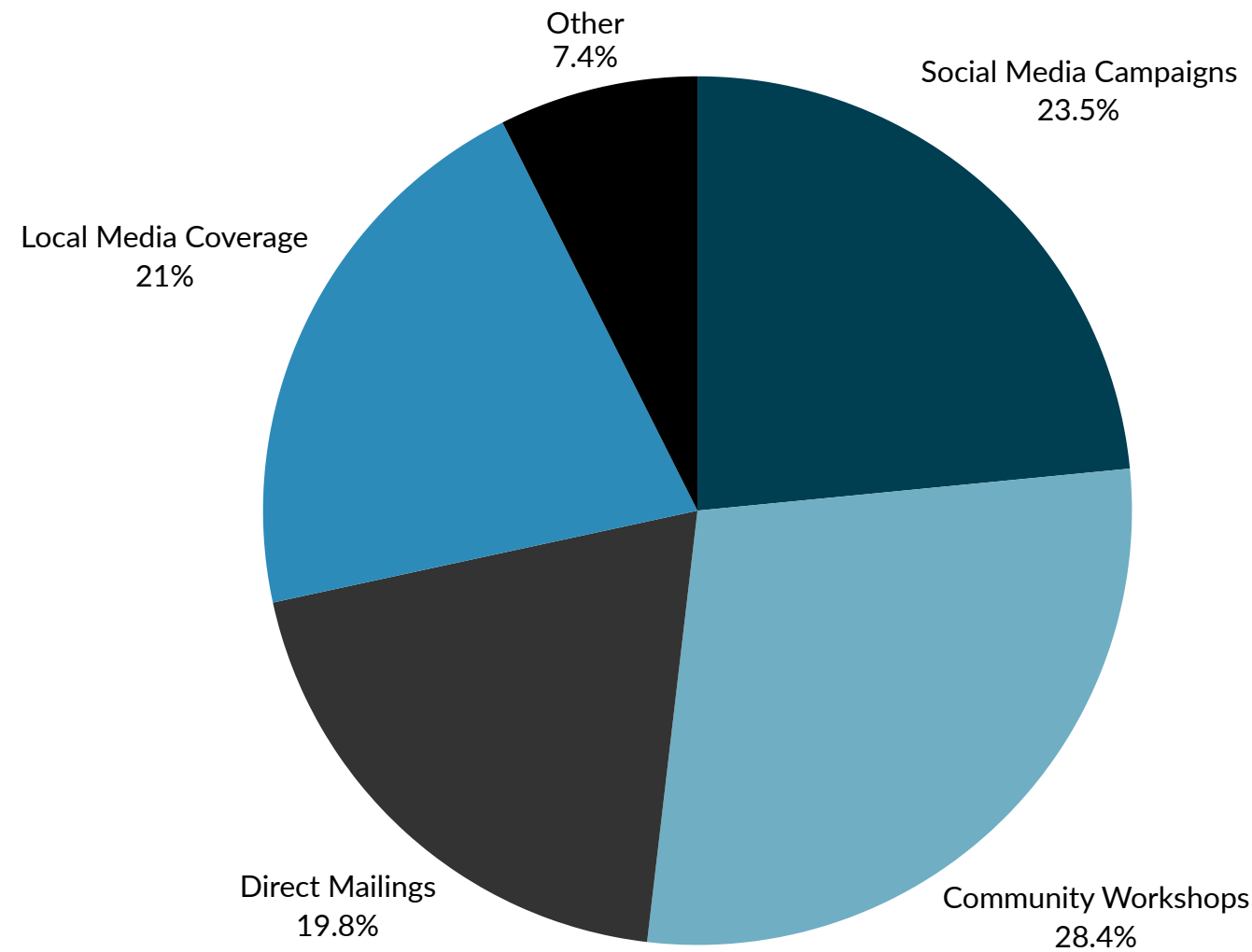
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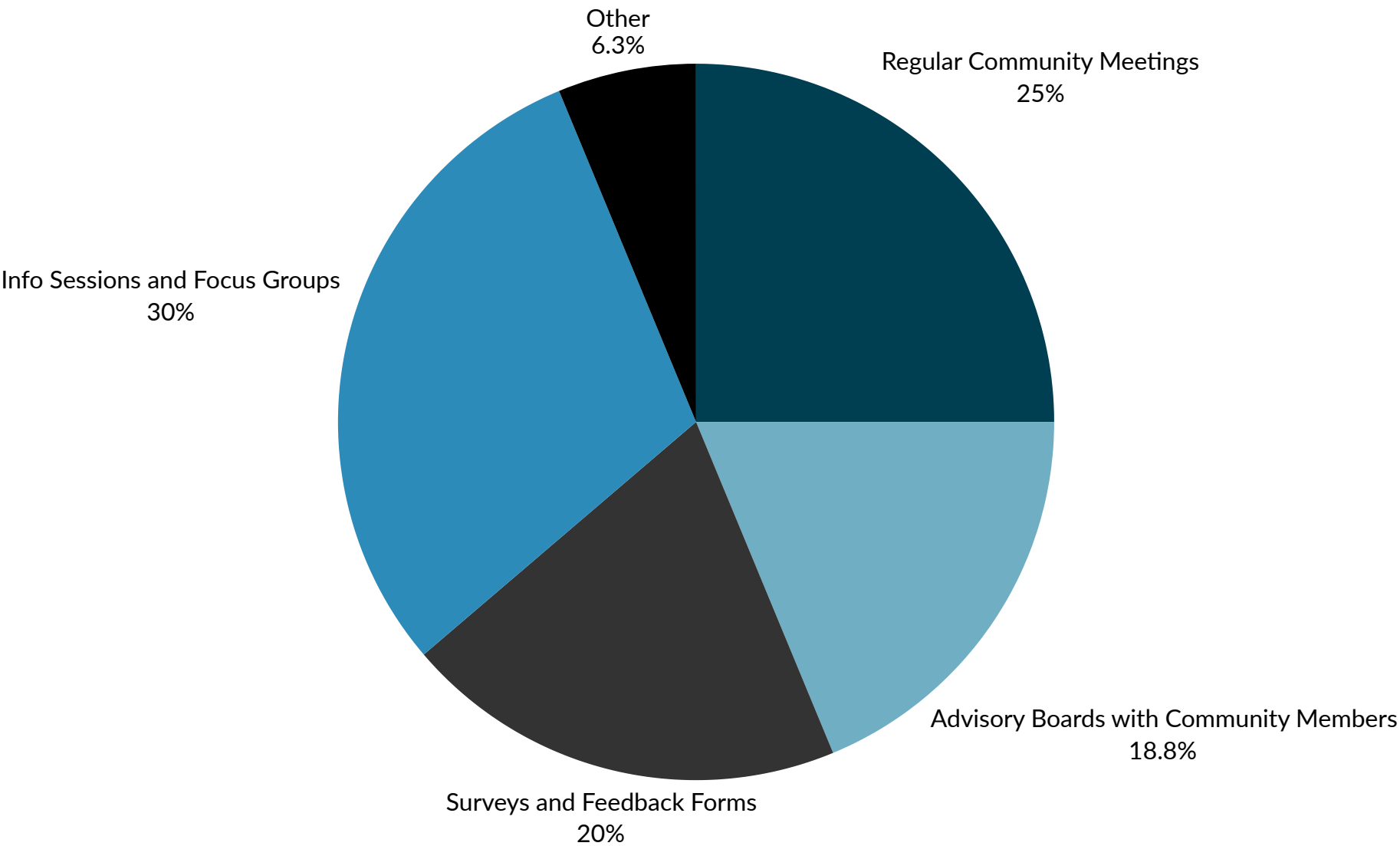
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Survey Results

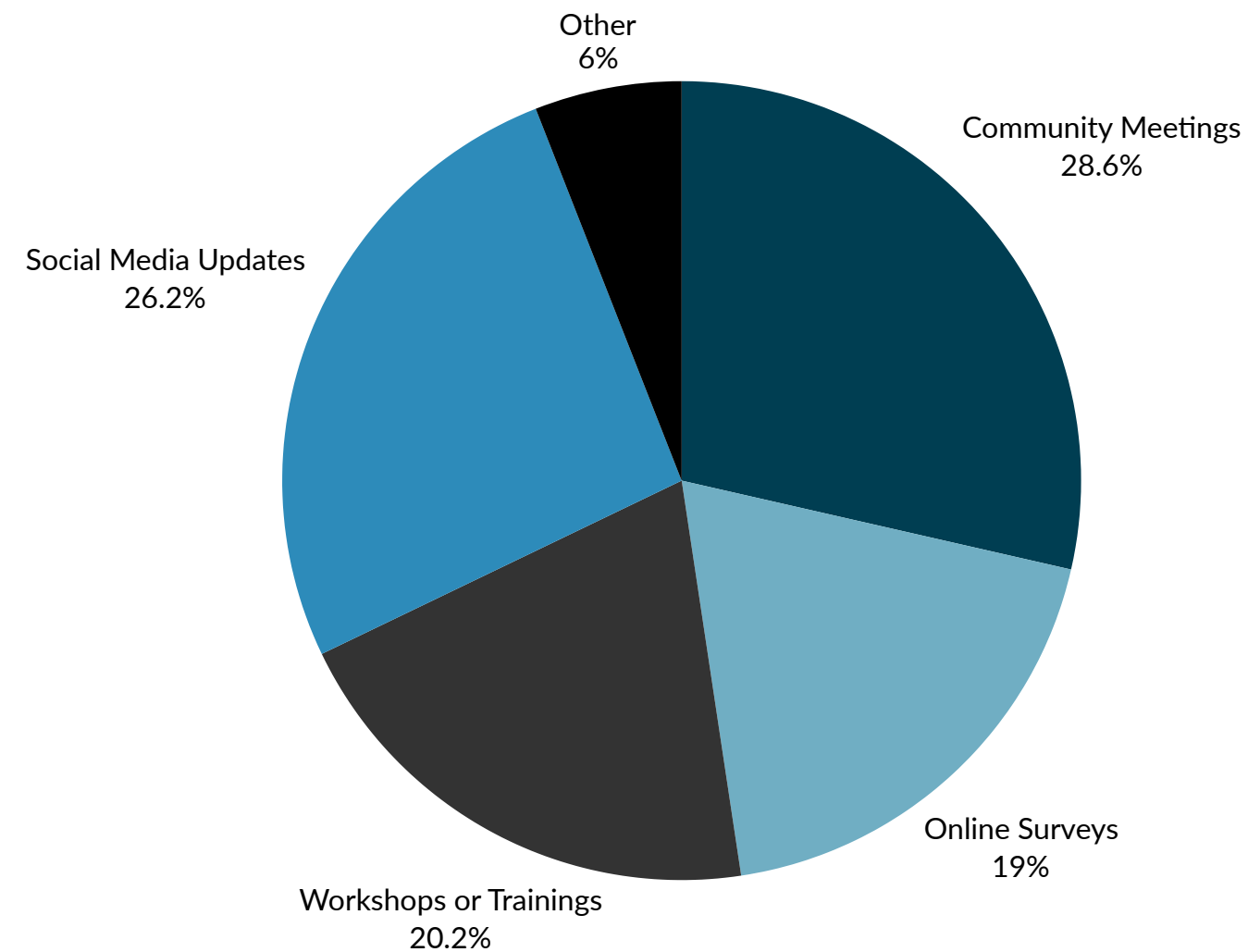
1. What are the best ways to reach and engage the Buffalo community in conversations about sewer infrastructure improvements?



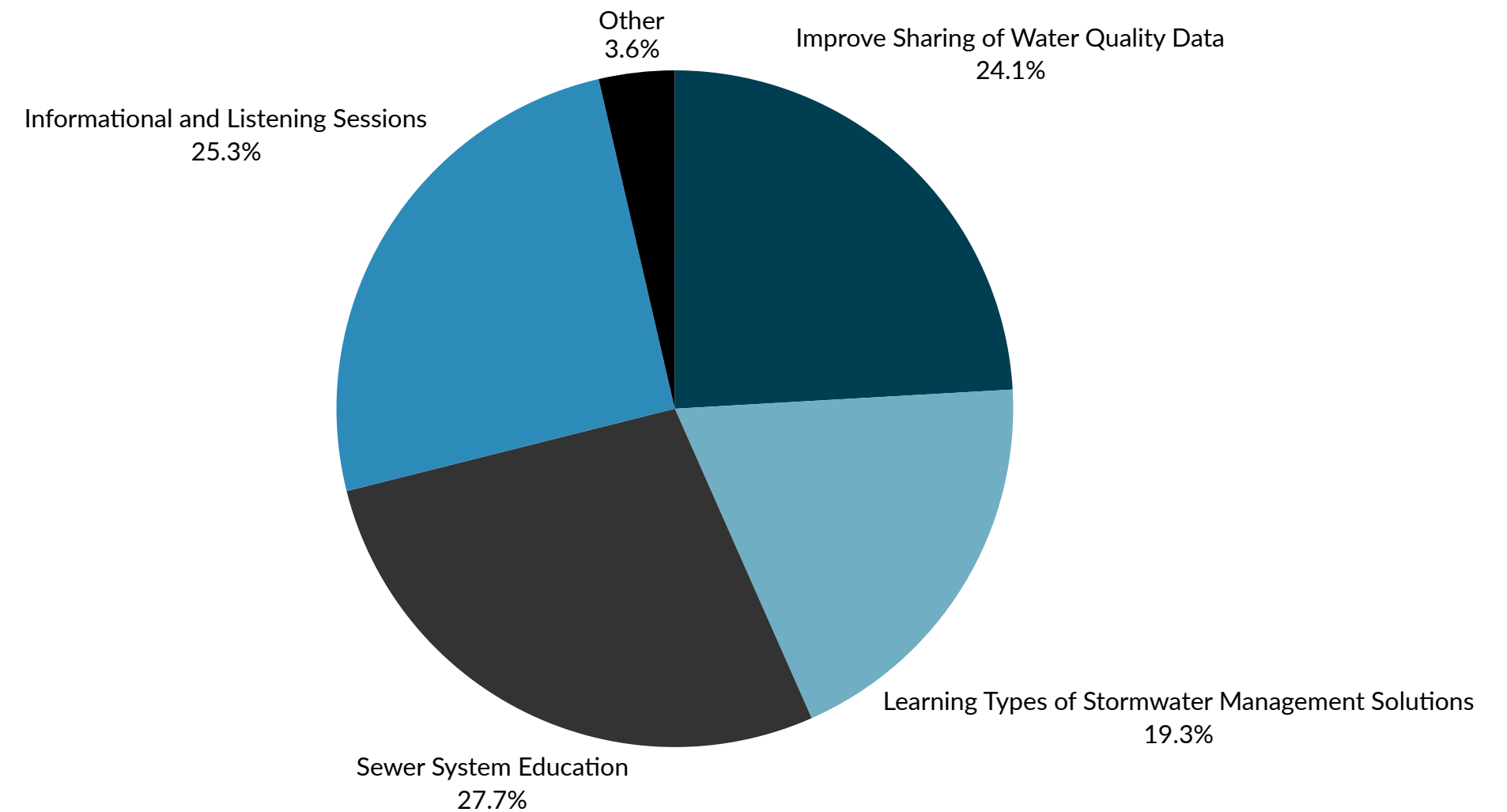
2. How can we ensure that community voices are genuinely represented and valued in the decision-making process?



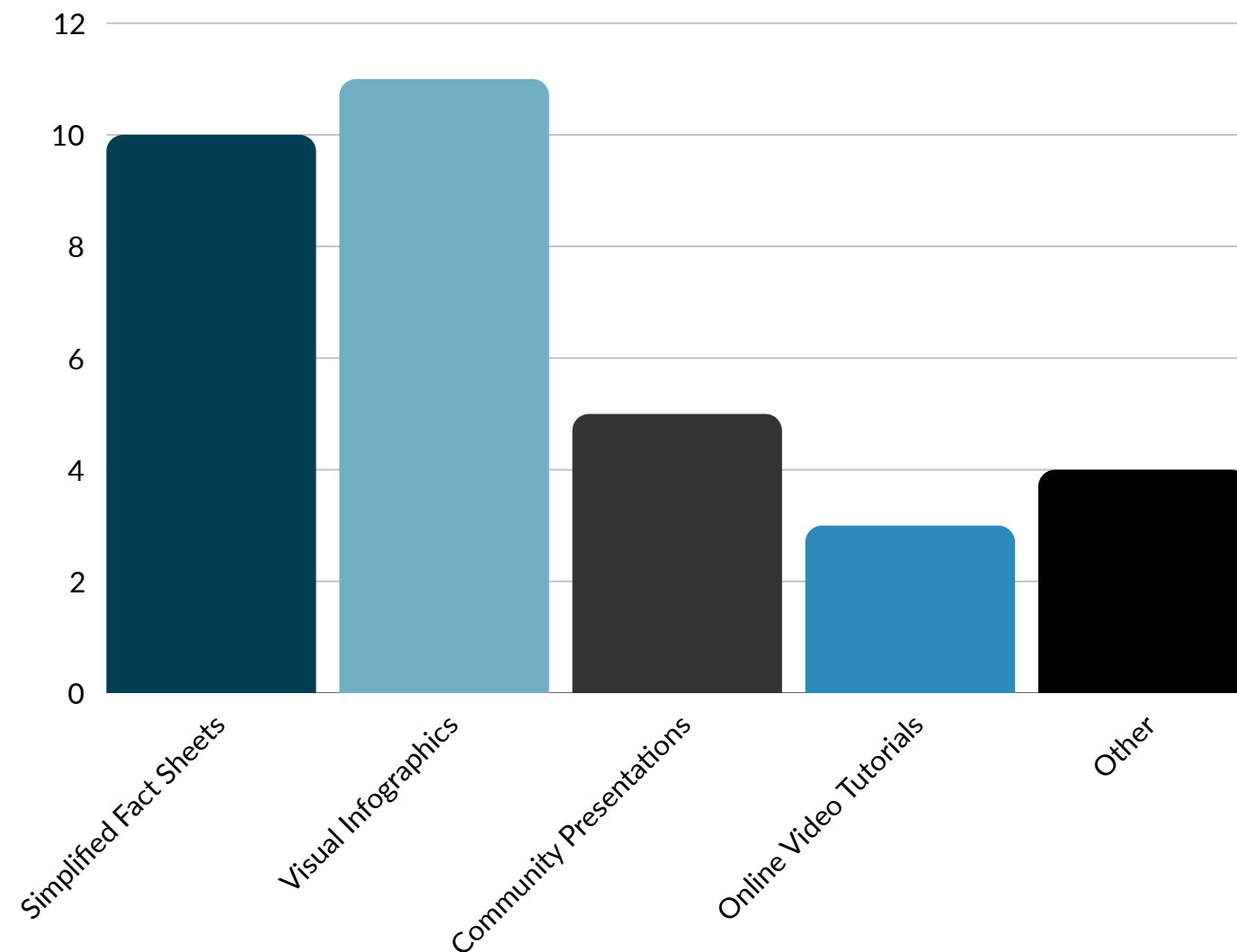
3. How would you prefer to be engaged in future discussions or decision making about sewer infrastructure improvements?



4. What additional resources or support would be most helpful to improve sewer infrastructure and waterways testing/improvements in your community (such as Niagara River and Scajaquada Creek)?



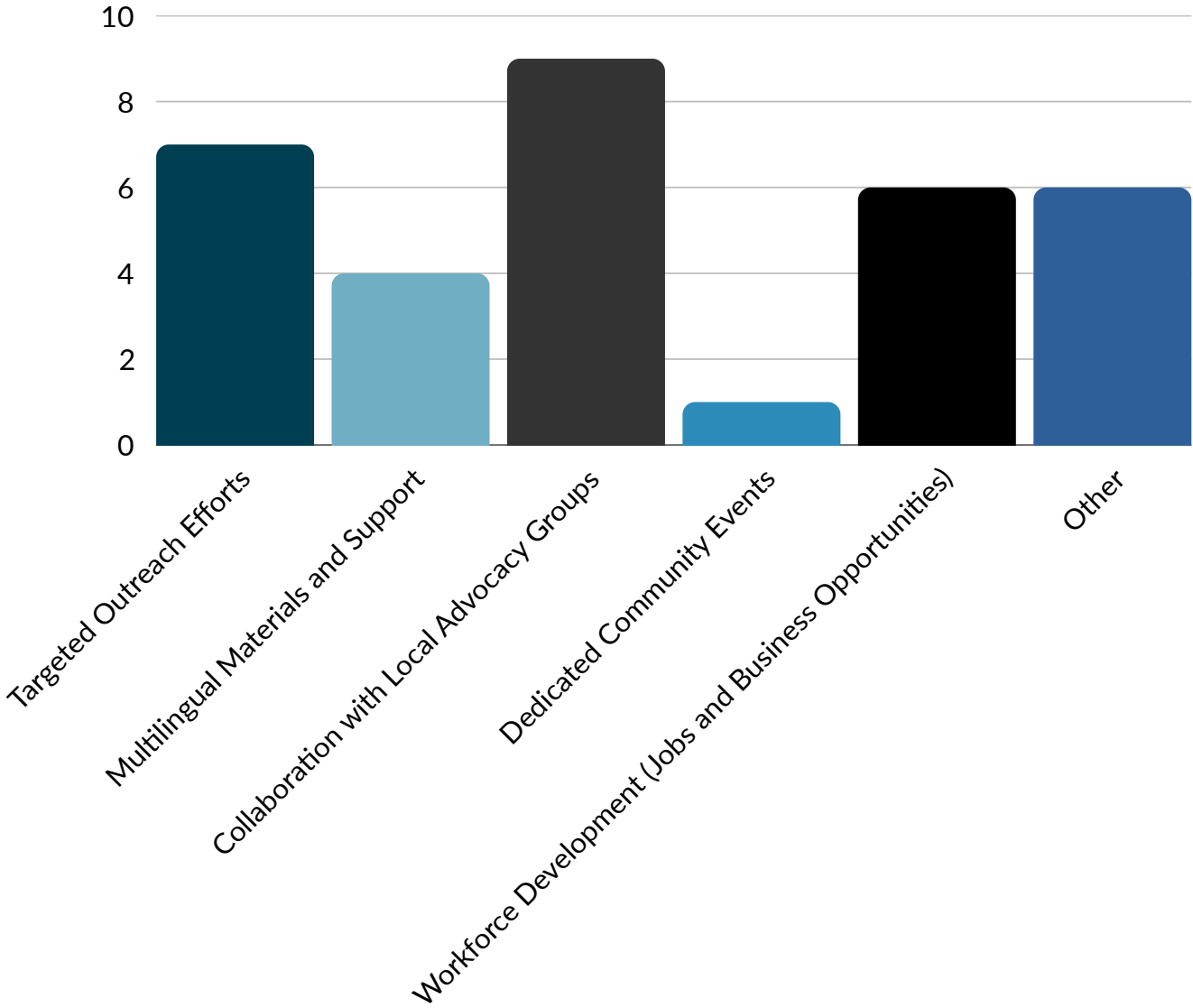
5. How can we make technical information about the Queen City Clean Waters Initiative accessible and easy to understand for everyone?



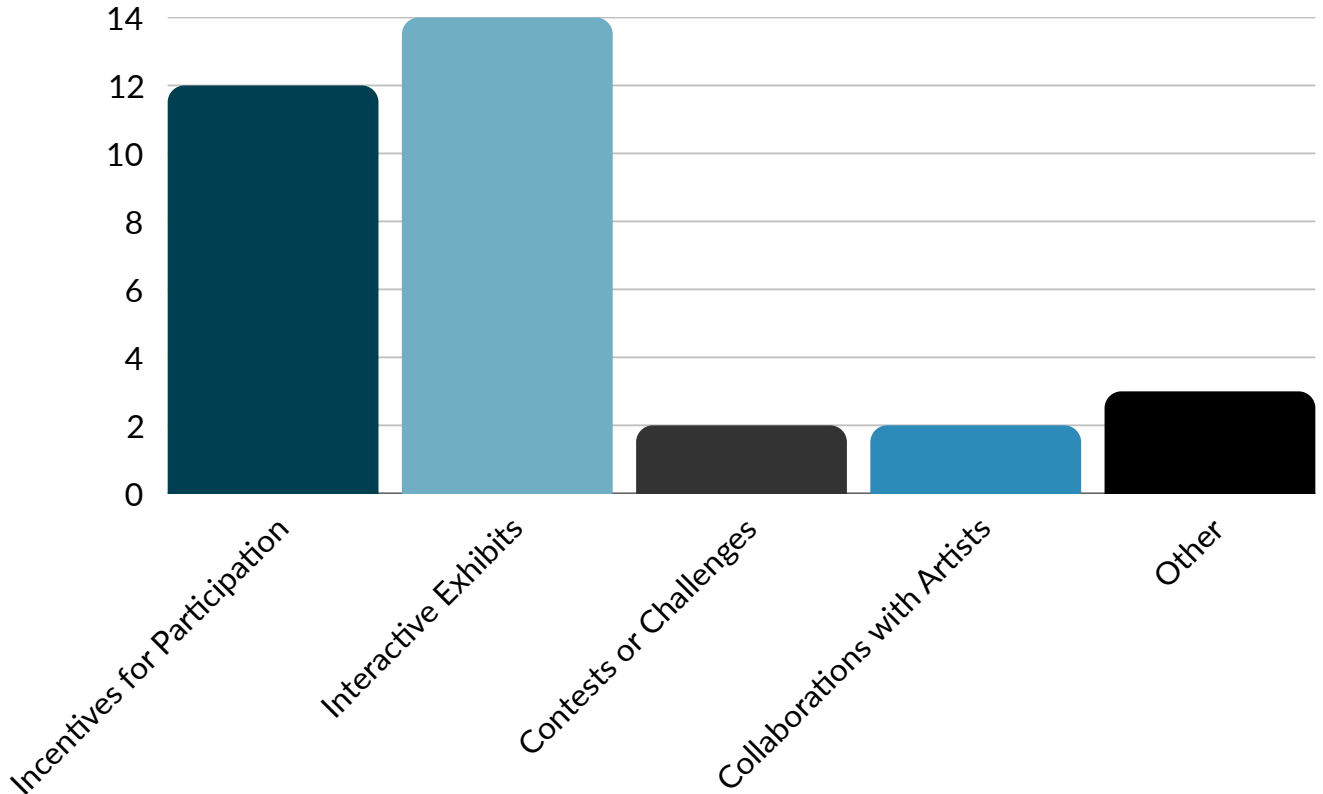
6. What partnerships could help us better connect with the community? (Rank in Order 1 = Least, 5 = Best)

1. Buffalo Public Schools
2. Nonprofit Organizations
3. Local Businesses
4. Community Leaders
5. Workforce Development

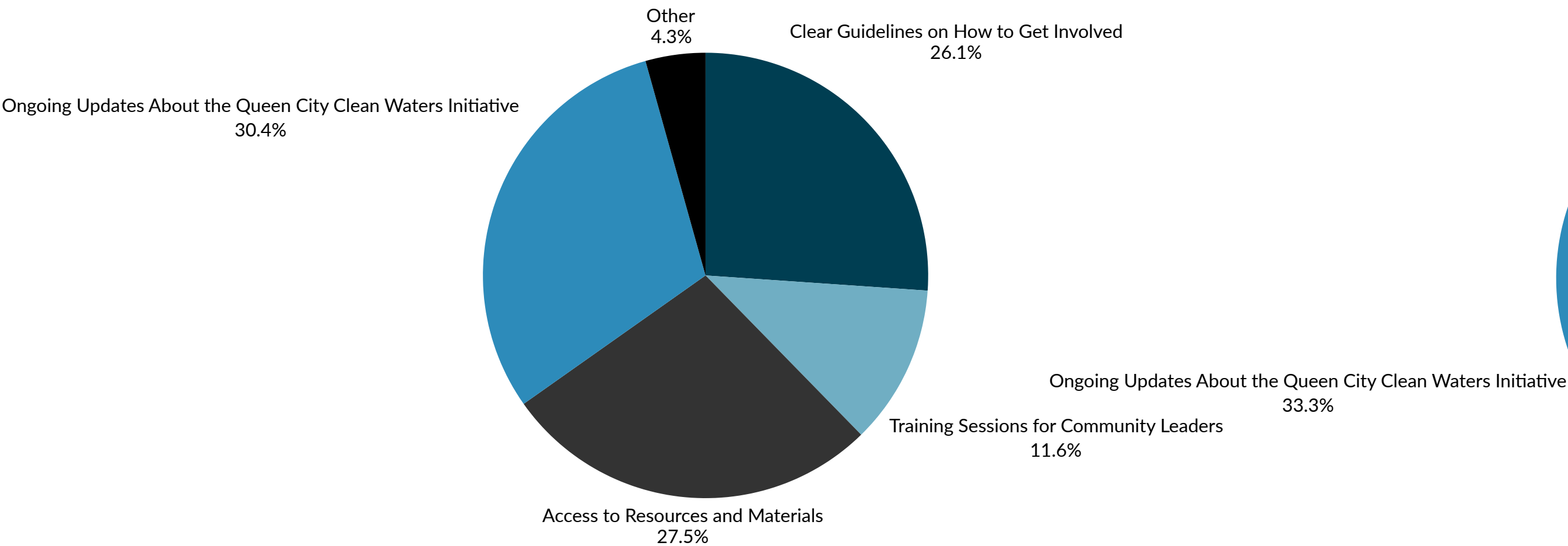
7. How can we engage underrepresented or historically marginalized communities in this process?



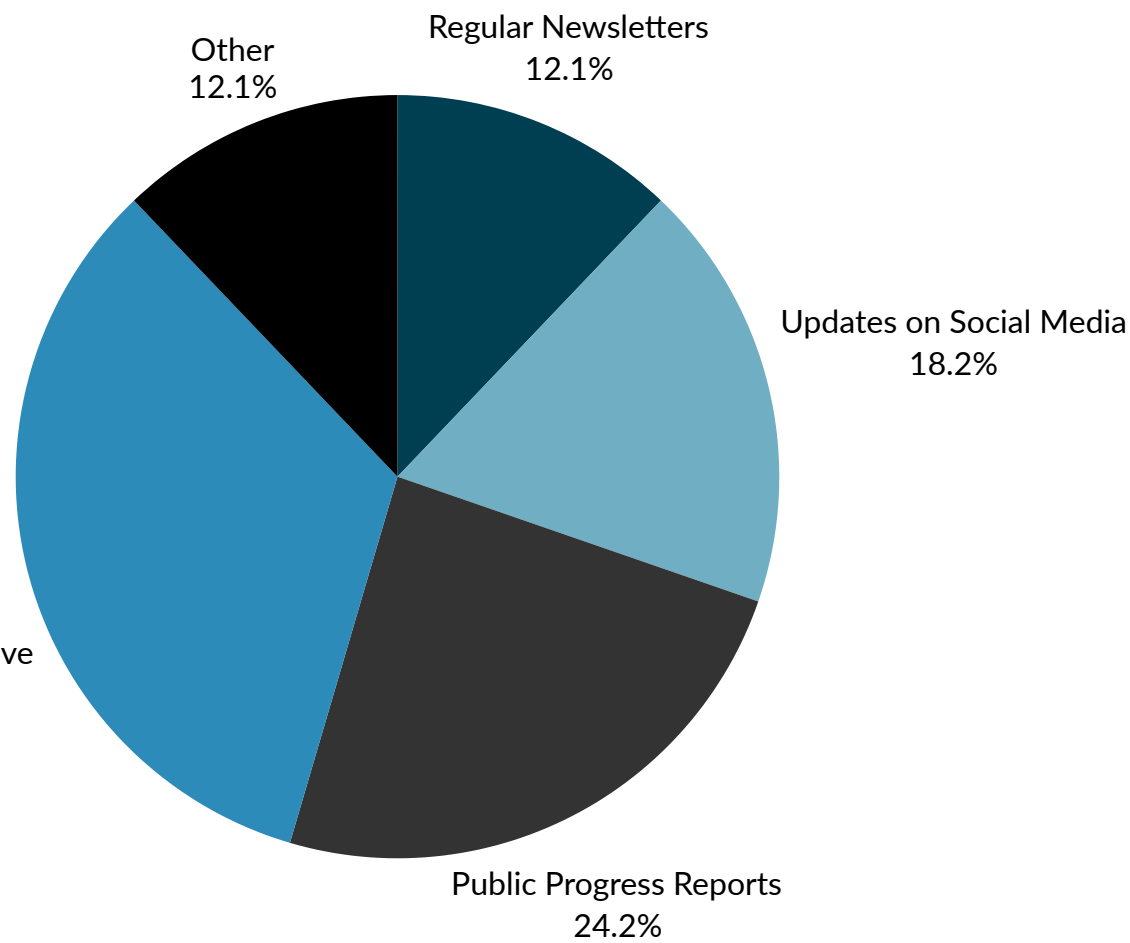
8. What is a creative idea for building public interest and participation in this Queen City Clean Waters Initiative?



9. What information or support would you need to feel empowered to participate in or promote the Queen City Clean Waters initiative?



10. How can we ensure ongoing communication and transparency with the community as the Queen City Clean Waters Initiative progresses?



11. Is there anything else you would like us to know about water quality, health concerns, or community benefits that should be included in the Queen City Clean Waters initiative?

- What is the meaning of "green infrastructure". How would the public schools be involved. Teachers are already swamped with pressures to do things outside of the regular curriculum. I realize clean water is a science issue; topic is not in all grade level.
- Community Benefit commitment/Ensure local business employment inclusion.
- What can be done about the Scajaquada Creek? Can it be unburied?
- An interactive map that allows city residents to identify things like a smelly manhole and then get a response that's also on the map.
The map could include the entire system with the ability to zoom in on a project and get an animation short.
- Educate the public so we all can take responsibility
- How does the QCCWI differ from the BSA? One and the same
- You need to be language inclusive. Many non-English speakers in the city.
- Stay ahead of federal chaos and non-fluoridation

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Queen City Clean Waters Fair - Planning Update

- Friday, August 29th 4 PM - 7 PM
- Hoyt Lake in Delaware Park



QUEEN CITY
**CLEAN WATERS
FAIR**

FRIDAY, AUG 29th | 4:00 - 7:00 PM | HOYT LAKE IN DELAWARE PARK

EVENT DETAILS

Join us on August 29, 2025 for our Water and Environment Fair at Hoyt Lake in Delaware Park...free entry and open to the public!

Enjoy a fun-filled evening featuring games, bookbag and book giveaways, environmental activities and watershed demonstrations, and virtual tours of Buffalo Sewer Queen City Clean Waters projects happening in your neighborhood.

FOOD + MUSIC EDUCATIONAL WATER ACTIVITIES GAMES + PRIZES

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Please Sign Up to be a Volunteer!!

- Looking for around 30-50 volunteers for the event
- Volunteers will be assisting with:
 - Greeting attendees and registration
 - Ushering attendees throughout the park
 - Event setup and breakdown
 - Administering event activities
- Volunteers needed from 3 PM - 8 PM on August 29th

Register at <https://forms.gle/FmUvh7Gi3zzBTYLC7>



Marketing the QCCW Fair

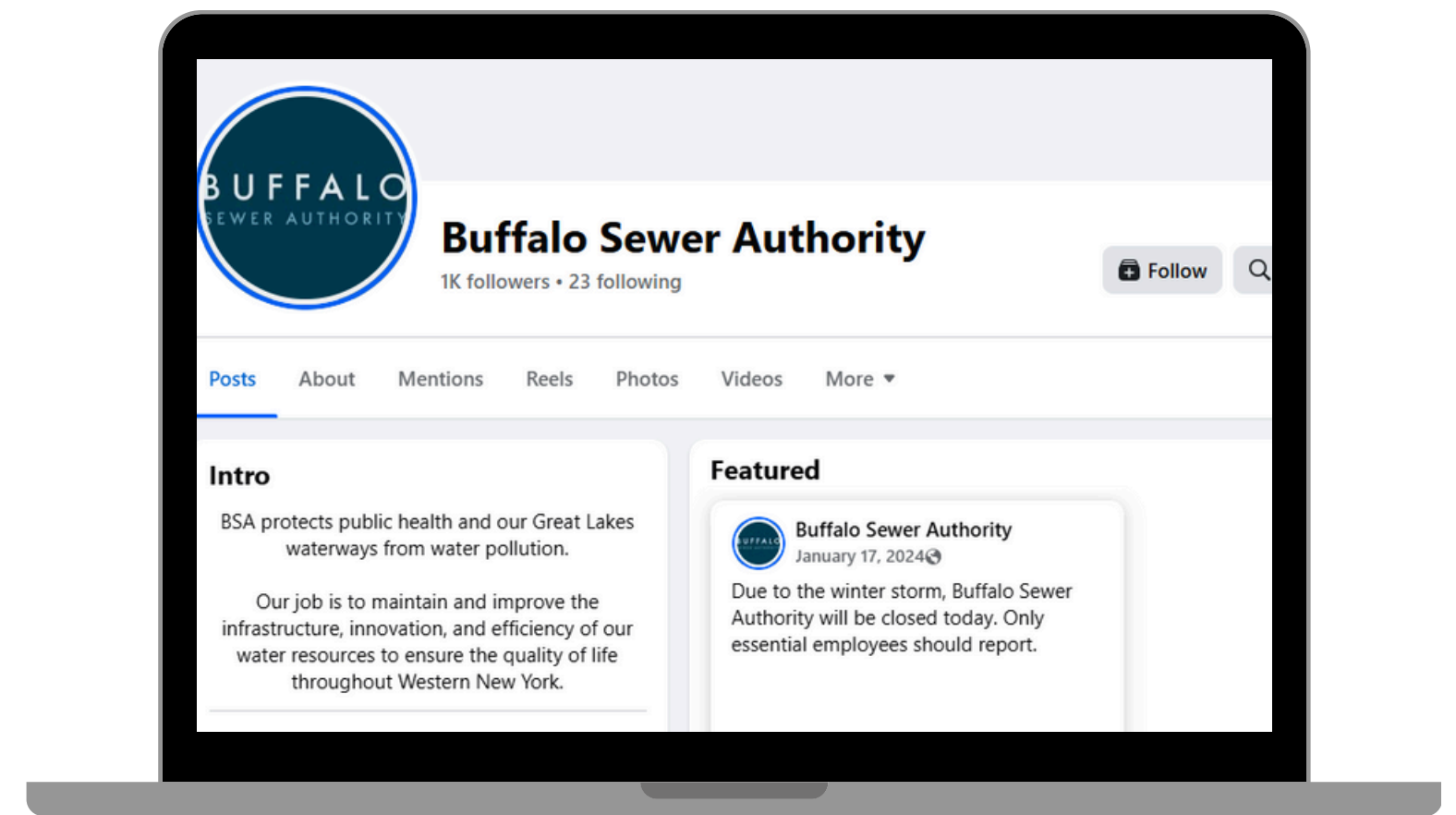
- Help us share the flyer!
- Repost Buffalo Sewer's Social Media Pages

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Updates from SAC



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Questions?

MEETING MINUTES

Date:	22 ND July 2025
Time:	4:00 PM – 5:00 PM
Location:	Microsoft Teams
Meeting Topic:	MONTHLY STAKEHOLDER ADVISORY COMMITTEE

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Carl Skompinski	CS	Fillmore Forward	

AGENDA

1.	Introduction of New Stakeholder Committee Member	Art Hall
2.	Updates to the Interactive Website	Katie Segarra
3.	QCCW Fair Planning Update	Brittany Fletcher
4.	Updates from the SAC	ALL

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MEETING NOTES

1. Introduction of new SAC member:

- Addition of Ebony White - Buffalo Center for Health Equity

2. The following updates have been made to the interactive website:

- Document Library
- Water fair flyer
- Questions answered by the engineers on the respective projects

3. The following data was reported as a result of the survey:

- More community meetings
- Need for more interactive educational materials and more visual learning material.

4. The Community Engagement Team plans to attend the following community events to distribute flyers and QCCW surveys:

Pappy Martin Jazz Festival
National Night Out
Freedom Park – Healing by the Water
Northland – Food Truck Thursdays
Jefferson Ave Block Party
Funk Fest at MLK Park
Slow Roll every Monday in August
Clean Sweeps every Wednesday

5. Queen City Clean Waters Festival

- The Special Events Application will be submitted to the City of Buffalo on July 28th.
- The PMT is working on solidifying the Vendor tables along with the description of their educational activities.
- Volunteer Coordination is ramping up; the digital registration form has been updated. All partners and project consultants have been encouraged to register.
- The Engagement team is also working on solidifying partnerships to provide bookbags to the children who will attend the fair – Rev. Mark Blue recommended “The Teachers Desk” organization.
- The Stakeholders recommended several organizations to seek out for getting the word out about the fair.
- Help us market the fair by sharing posts from Buffalo Sewer Authority’s social media pages and driving traffic to the Interactive website via the QR Code.

6. Updates from the SAC – Upcoming Events

Friday August 22nd - Waterkeepers -
Canalside
Food Truck Thursday at Northland
Sept 19th Community Day at MLK Park -
BCHE

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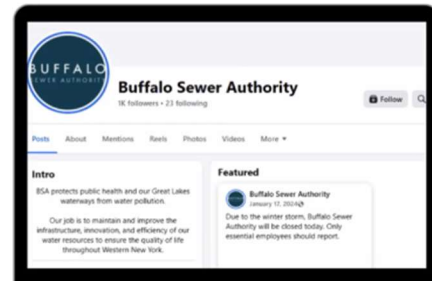
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Meeting adjourned at 5:00 pm

NEXT MEETING:

Date of Next Meeting: August 26, 2025

Time of Next Meeting: 4:00 PM

Location of next Meeting: Microsoft Teams

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