

Biography of Nancy Sutley

Los Angeles Department of Water and Power

Nancy Sutley is LADWP's Senior Assistant General Manager of External and Regulatory Affairs and Chief Sustainability Officer. In these roles, Ms. Sutley oversees the Department's customer service operations, energy efficiency and water conservation programs, environmental regulatory, real estate and legislative teams. Over the course of her tenure with the Department, Ms. Sutley has initiated LADWP's corporate sustainability programs, spearheaded LADWP's LaKretz Innovation Campus, promoted the electrification of the transportation network and coordinated the Clean Grid LA plan.

Prior to joining LADWP in 2014, Ms. Sutley served as Chair of the White House Council on Environmental Quality. Under her leadership, the Council played a central role in shepherding the Obama Administration's signature environmental projects and was one of the chief architects of President Obama's 2013 Climate Action Plan.

Sutley has an extensive background in public service that includes posts as Deputy Mayor for Energy and Environment for the City of Los Angeles, Board Member of the Metropolitan Water District, Member of the California State Water Resources Control Board, Energy Advisor for California Governor Gray Davis, Deputy Secretary for Policy and Intergovernmental Relations at the California Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), and Senior Policy Advisor for the US EPA during the Clinton Administration.

Sutley received her bachelor's degree from Cornell University and her Master in Public Policy from Harvard University.