



## Delta Stewardship Council posts four announcements

The Delta Stewardship Council (Council) will meet April 28 in Sacramento. Agenda items include Science Program research contracts and a progress report about the next steps to implement science actions, 2016 Water Year – El Niño and Beyond, Delta assets of significant State interest, and an update on the Delta Levees Investment Strategy. Public meeting notice is [here](#).

The Council has posted the staff's report, [Proposed Delta Plan Amendment to Address Water Conveyance, Storage Systems, and the Operation of Both to Achieve the Coequal Goals](#), which was presented at the Council's March 24 meeting.

The Council's Delta Science Program has selected 12 doctoral students and postdoctoral researchers, the largest class in the Delta Science Fellowship Program's history, for the [2016 Delta Science Fellowship Program](#). The Program, administered by [California Sea Grant](#), pairs junior scientists with academic and community mentors to work on data analysis and research projects, which are driven by the Delta Science Plan.

[Phil Isenberg](#) has retired as the Council's Vice Chair. For more than 30 years, he has helped shape California public policy. He was appointed to the Council by then-Governor Arnold Schwarzenegger to a six-year term at the Council's inception in 2010 and was initially elected to a four-year term as Chair of the Council by his colleagues.

## Assembly Committee on Water, Parks, and Wildlife hearing video is posted

The [California Channel](#) has posted a [video recording](#) of the April 19 [Assembly Committee on Water, Parks, and Wildlife](#) hearing. Of particular interest is [AB 1713 Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta: Peripheral Canal](#) and [AB 2583 Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta Reform Act of 2009](#).

## CVFPB meeting features USACE and DWR presentations

The Central Valley Flood Protection Board (CVFPB) will meet April 22 in Sacramento. [Agenda](#) items include a U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (USACE) presentation on [American River Common Features – General Reevaluation Report and Environmental Impact Statement/Environmental Impact Report](#) and DWR maintenance area budgets for fiscal year 2016–17. The meeting will be [webcast](#).

## Conservancy Program and Policy Subcommittee meeting is April 27

The Delta Conservancy (Conservancy) Program and Policy Subcommittee will meet April 27 in West Sacramento. [Agenda](#) items include an update on the Proposition 1 proposal review process, an update on the status of the regional restoration planning and agricultural analysis efforts, and a request for funding by the City of West Sacramento for a regional trails initiative.



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