



Updates on California WaterFix

The State Water Resources Control Board (SWRCB) hearings on DWR's request to add three new points of diversion for California WaterFix continue this month. Part 1 B is scheduled to commence on October 20 where protestants will offer their case-in-chief. Part 2 of the hearings are expected to begin in the New Year and will focus on the impacts to fish and wildlife. Earlier this month, the SWRCB [issued a ruling](#) on written testimony outside the scope of Part 1 and other procedural matters related to the hearings. Also this month, DWR submitted a [2081 permit application](#) to the California Department of Fish and Wildlife in compliance with the California Endangered Species Act.

DPC meeting will feature Delta Flood Risk Management Assessment District Feasibility Study conclusions

The Delta Protection Commission (DPC) will meet October 20 in West Sacramento. [Agenda](#) items include presenting the final conclusions from the Commission's Delta Flood Risk Management Assessment District Feasibility Study, which analyzed options for funding levee repair and maintenance with a "beneficiary pays" system.

Delta RMP Steering Committee and TAC will conduct a joint meeting

The Delta Regional Monitoring Program (Delta RMP) Steering Committee and Technical Advisory Committee (TAC) will conduct a joint meeting October 18 in Rancho Cordova. Agenda, meeting materials, time, location, and remote access information are [here](#).

Delta Conservancy will conduct planning priorities workshops

The Delta Conservancy will conduct two public workshops, October 19 in Walnut Grove and October 26 in Oakley, to set its land ownership/management, economic development, and water rights priorities through 2022. Seating is limited, so please RSVP. More information about the workshops, locations, times, and making reservations are [here](#).

WSAFCA certifies its project is consistent with the Delta Stewardship Council's Delta Plan

The West Sacramento Area Flood Control Agency (WSAFCA) certified that its Southport Sacramento River Early Implementation Project is consistent with the Delta Stewardship Council's Delta Plan. This project will involve construction of approximately 3.6 miles of setback levees in the City of West Sacramento along the Sacramento River, which will contribute to the city's required 200-year level of flood protection. The project will also restore approximately 150 acres of seasonally inundated floodplain habitat. The certification opens a 30-day public review period, October 5–November 4. The certification and the appeal submission link is [here](#).



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