



## Delta Council plans to adopt draft of its Interim Plan tomorrow

The Delta Stewardship Council has posted the Final Draft Interim Plan for the Delta and intends to adopt it at its meeting tomorrow, Friday, Aug. 27. There will be three draft versions of the plan before adopting a final version; this draft is the third. The council wants the public to comment on it. [You can find the plan here.](#)

## Water Board posts final Delta flow criteria report

The State Water Board has completed the final flow criteria report for the Delta ecosystem. [It has been posted here.](#) The flow criteria may be used to inform planning decisions for the new Delta Plan being prepared by the Delta Stewardship Council and the Bay Delta Conservation Plan.

## Delta science session planned for Sept. 27-29 in capital

The Biennial Bay-Delta Science Conference (formerly known as the CALFED Science Conference) will be held Sept. 27-29 in Sacramento. It is a forum for presenting technical analyses and results relevant to the Delta Science Program's mission to provide scientific information for water and environmental decision-making in the Bay-Delta system. [Read more.](#)

## Water Plan sets Tribal Workshop for Sept. 9 in Sacramento

Water Plan Update 2013 will sponsor a workshop for California tribes on Thursday, Sept. 9, in Sacramento. The purpose of the workshop is to review the accomplishments of Update 2009, the development of Update 2013, and convening a Tribal Advisory Committee. [Click here for the draft Tribal Engagement Proposal and workshop details.](#)

## Itinerary posted for Delta Conservancy board's tour of Delta sites

The itinerary for next Wednesday's (Sept. 1) Delta Conservancy Board's tour of the Delta is available. The board and its staff will take a field trip focusing on issues and sites relevant to the conservancy's co-equal responsibilities. The field trip will begin at 9 a.m. at the Delta Conservancy's offices, 3500 Industrial Blvd., West Sacramento, 95691. Members of the public are welcome to participate in the field tour, but are responsible for their own transportation and lunch. [Go here for details.](#)

## Water Education Foundation updates Delta guide

The Water Education Foundation's *Layperson's Guide to the Delta* has been updated to include comprehensive information about the Bay Delta Conservation Plan, new information about ongoing Delta litigation, and an overview of the Delta Risk Management Strategy. [You can find the updated guide here.](#) It costs \$10.

## Delta Council offers survey about how it communicates

The Delta Stewardship Council wants Californians to take an online survey about how it communicates. The survey asks such questions as "The council would like to keep all interested Californians informed about its progress and decision making, how would you suggest the Council get information to interested parties?" [You can find a link to the survey and a press release about DSC communications here.](#)



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