



DSC begins search to fill executive officer position

The Delta Stewardship Council (DSC) has started a search for a new executive officer. Resumes will be accepted through Friday, July 27. The council is looking for someone who can help find a balance between managing the state's water resources and protecting its environmental resources. The job description, salary and application details are available in a [DSC flier](#). The current executive officer, Joe Grindstaff, will retire in September.



Science panel will review plans intended to help Delta smelt

An independent science panel will begin a [review of two plans](#) being implemented in the Delta. The Fall Low Salinity Habitat study plan and the Fall Outflow Adaptive Management Plan were developed to improve habitat stability for the Delta smelt. The science panel will meet [July 31 and Aug. 1](#), in Sacramento to determine if the plans are fulfilling their intended purposes.

Water measurement regulation takes effect after getting approval

The Office of Administrative Law has approved a new [agricultural water measurement regulation](#). It gives agricultural water suppliers some options for measuring the volume of water delivered to customers. The regulation takes effect immediately. Details on its development are available [here](#).



Flood management funding guidelines ready for comments

DWR is accepting comments on its draft [Directed Funding Guidelines for Regional Flood Management Planning](#). The guidelines will be used to establish a process for funding projects related to regional flood management plans. Comments are due Friday, August 17. Details, including instructions on submitting comments, are available on the DWR [website](#).

Posted: Draft PSP for up to \$25 million in flood projects

DWR has posted a draft [proposal solicitation package](#) (PSP) for up to \$25 million in funding for projects that integrate environmental stewardship and sustainability principles into flood management activities. After the draft PSP is finalized, an announcement will be made to open the solicitation period for concept proposals. The [Flood-SAFE California](#) section of the DWR website has details.

Workshop will focus on preparing for extreme weather

DWR and the Western States Water Council are co-sponsoring an upcoming [workshop](#) on preparing for extreme weather events. There will be information on how to get ready for extreme events, especially droughts and floods. The workshop will be July 30 through Aug. 1, in San Diego. Details are available in a DWR [news release](#).



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