



Delta Plan executive summary revision on DSC's agenda

The Delta Stewardship Council (DSC) is going to discuss the executive summary of the [Delta Plan](#) during its [meeting](#) on Thursday, April 25, in Sacramento. The council has asked for help to revise the summary. The revised version will provide background on several elements in the Delta Plan. The DSC has also [posted details](#) on the progress it is making on another element of the Delta Plan. The article discusses the recent approval of a rulemaking package that will be used to implement the plan's policies.

ISB to discuss habitat restoration, BDCP at next meeting

Next week's meeting of the [Delta Independent Science Board](#) (ISB) will include discussion and finalization of its report on the review of habitat restoration efforts in the Delta. The two-day meeting will be April 22 and 23, in Folsom. During the second day there will be discussion on several items related to the Bay Delta Conservation Plan (BDCP).

WEF river tour will provide look at flood management facilities

The Water Education Foundation's (WEF's) tour of flood management facilities in the Sacramento Valley and the Delta is set for May 16 and 17. The trip will begin on the American River and then continue on the Bear, Feather and Sacramento rivers before leading into the Delta. Along the way, there will be information on flood control planning for the Central Valley, floodplain development and levee stability. Details are available [here](#).



Workshop will help develop objectives for flood strategy

A technical workshop will be held Thursday, May 2, in Sacramento, to develop objectives as part of the [basin-wide feasibility studies](#) and the [conservation strategy](#) for the Central Valley flood system. The objectives will be based on goals identified in the 2012 *Central Valley Flood Protection Plan*. Workshop details and links to relevant documents are available [here](#).

Science News has updates on Delta flows, workshop

The DSC's Delta Science Program has posted the April edition of the [Science News](#). This month's issue includes details on a recent event that looked at the natural functional flows to the Delta. There is also information on next week's workshop covering current activities of the Interagency Ecological Program for the San Francisco Estuary. It will be April 24-26, in Folsom.

Water supply contract talks will begin next month

DWR and State Water Project (SWP) contractors will sit down next month to begin negotiations on water supply contracts. The negotiating sessions are open to the public. The [first session](#) will be Wednesday, May 1, in Sacramento. The contract talks are expected to last at least three months.



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