



## Delta ISB final review of BDCP and DSC meeting

• On March 27, the Delta Stewardship Council's Independent Science Board (Delta ISB) will finalize its report on the review of habitat restoration efforts in the Delta, the administrative draft of the Bay Delta Conservation Plan (BDCP) Chapter 7 and other related issues at a public meeting in Sacramento and via a teleconference. Information on both venues is [here](#).

• The Delta Stewardship Council will meet on March 28-29 to present final direction to staff regarding the Delta Plan EIR, Rulemaking Package, and the Delta Plan. The meeting notice is available [here](#).

## DWR video illustrates Delta's problems and solutions

DWR has released a 10-minute [video](#) describing the ecological and economic importance of the Delta and the basic elements of the BDCP. This follows the recently released [first four chapters](#) of the BDCP.

## Spraying begins in Delta to control invasive water weed

The Department of Boating and Waterways has begun herbicide spraying in the Delta to control the recent explosion of water hyacinth, an invasive water weed that threatens the delta smelt. For more information, go to the department's [water hyacinth page](#).



## Delta Conservancy Board to meet on funding options

The Delta Conservancy Board will meet on March 27 in West Sacramento. Updates on the CA Water Plan, State Water Board Water Rights, and the BDCP will be provided to the Board by Agency representatives. The DSC Board is also reviewing and revising the principles and concepts regarding future Delta funding options to support environmental restoration, agriculture and economic development. Agenda and other board materials are [here](#).

## CVFPB meeting features USACE levee inspection results

The Central Valley Flood Protection Board (CVFPB) will meet tomorrow, March 22, in Sacramento. The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (USACE) will report on levee inspection. Note that the meeting location has changed. Details are in the [agenda](#).



## DWR will help develop regional flood management plans

DWR has launched an effort to [develop regional flood management plans](#) in the Central Valley. Regions identified in the [2012 Central Valley Flood Protection Plan](#) will develop plans that include flood management projects, emergency response capabilities and funding strategies. DWR will provide technical and financial assistance to local agencies developing the plans.



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