

Salton Sea Ecosystem Restoration Recreation & Economic Opportunities Evaluation

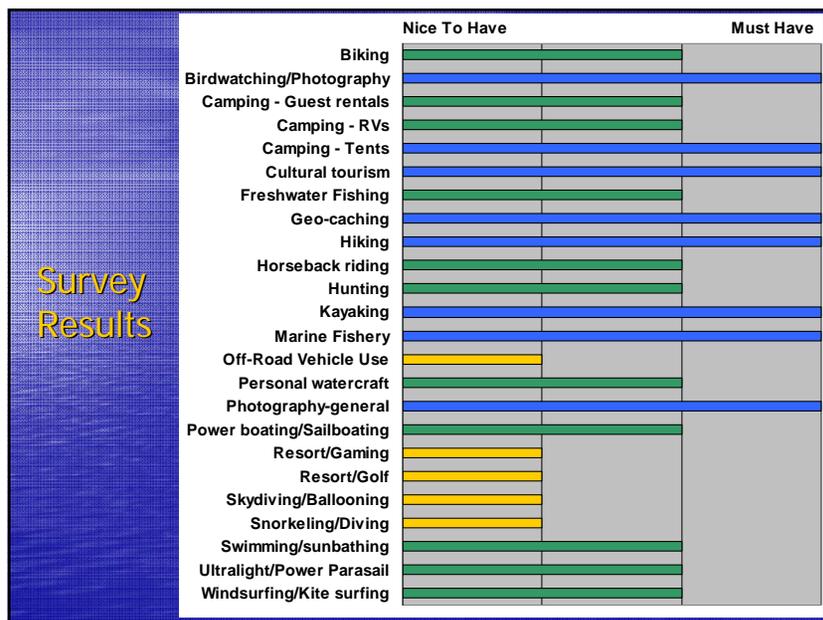
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Recreational Survey

- Surveyed
 - Recreational Task Force
 - Salton Sea Authority mailing list
 - DWR mailing list
- 94 responses
- Results grouped by highest, middle and lowest priority





Local Economic/Financing Actions

- CVEP/IVEDC Proceeding with \$75K privately funded "economics benefits" study on SSA Plan
- Local Elected Officials Serving On:
 - Project Finance Committee
 - Regional Land Use Planning Committee
- Planning Consultant to be hired to Develop "Master Plan" in consultation with three local land-use entitlement entities



Local Economic/Financing (cont'd)

- Formation of "Infrastructure Financing District" for sale of local tax-increment bonds in progress
 - Engagement of Financial Advisor
 - RFO for Investment Banking & Real Estates Services
- Discussions with IID and CVWD on "water supply contracts" to support bond financing
- Exploring "Benefit Assessment District" to fund O&M costs for basic water treatment

