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Wednesday's Update



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This weekly electronic newsletter is designed to keep you current on California Water Plan news. We welcome comments, suggestions and any news tips that may be of interest to water planners.

Objectives/Actions Web-a-thon coming in June

A 2-day Objectives/Actions Web-A-Thon will be held June 13 and 14 to review Objectives and their related Actions in the Chapter 8/Implementation plan of Update 2013. During these two days, an hour will be scheduled for each of the 17 Objectives and their Related Actions. The webinar agenda (coming soon) will indicate the time for each Objective to give participants the option to join the webinar for the topics that interest them.

Mountain Counties Regional Forum set for June 20 in Folsom and North Fork

The Mountain Counties Regional Forum, on June 20, will focus on content for the Mountain Counties Regional Report and an update on policy principles for protecting California's headwaters. Meeting locations are in Folsom and North Fork with webinar and conference call options. Meeting materials and details are posted on the Water Plan calendar webpage, [here](#).



Online resource demonstrates how rivers and floodplains interact

The Nature Conservancy has unveiled a new online resource designed to help lay audiences understand how rivers interact with their floodplains. Recent record-breaking flooding along the Illinois River and continued flooding along the Upper Mississippi make these resources particularly germane now. Click [here](#) to check it out!

USGS delivers report to congress on national water census

The U.S. Geological Survey (USGS) has sent Congress a report on the development of a national water census. [*Progress Toward Establishing a National Assessment of Water Availability and Use*](#) describes the initial steps taken toward establishing a water census for the country. The goal of the census would be to compile information a way that is useful to those responsible for water management and natural-resource issues.



Delta planning update

- The Delta Stewardship Council has adopted their final Delta Plan and Environmental Impact Report, the details of which can be viewed [here](#).
- The Bay Delta Conservation Plan has draft chapters available for review online, [here](#).

Click on links below for more information.

Upcoming Meetings

Water Plan Website