

Proposal for Re-framing the California Water Plan Update 2009
Integrated Flood Management Strategy Narratives
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Preamble –Common introduction to all three strategies should emphasize FLOODSAFE integration, integrated flood management, local self sufficiency; in Sidebar summarize FLOODSAFE Strategic Plan Vision, Goals and Objectives, Guiding Principles

1. Planning, Standards, Design, Regulations (formerly “Flood Susceptibility Modification”)

- Floodplain Regulation
- Land Use Policies
- Facility Design/Location
- Multi-hazard Planning
- Housing/Building Codes

2. Flood Preparedness (formerly “Flood Impact Modification”)

- Information
- Education
- Disaster Preparedness
- Emergency Response
- Post-Flood Recovery
- Flood Insurance
- Flood Forecasting/Warning
- Floodproofing

3. Flood Risk Management (formerly “Floodflow Modification” and “Floodplain Restoration”)

- Floodplain Restoration and Management
- Dams and Reservoirs
- Storage
- Levees and Floodwalls
- Channels
- Diversions and Bypasses

Construction & Maintenance

Structural and Non-Structural: Attention is needed to make Flood Risk Management text cover both structural and nonstructural solutions. As written, “Floodflow Modification” strategy narrative currently emphasizes structural. More content is needed on non-structural.

Words for Glossary:

Terms that will require special attention and definition for Glossary:

- “Diversions”
- “Channels”
- “Land Use Policies”