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Delta Stewardship Council Proposed 2019 Workplan

Strengthen and Implement the Delta Plan

Milestone	Timeframe	Quarter 1	Quarter 2	Quarter 3	Quarter 4
DLIS, CSO, and PM Rulemaking	2014-2019	Council Public Hearing on Rulemaking for GP 1 (b)(2)	Council Public Hearing on DLIS Rulemaking	Regulation Effective for GP 1 (b)(2)	Regulation Effective for DLIS
Delta Plan Five-Year Review	2018-2019	Council Discussion of Stakeholder Assessment Results	Council Workshop	Council Review of Draft Recommendations Report	Council Approval of Final Highlights and Recommendations Report
Delta Plan Ecosystem Amendment	2017-2020	Council Report on Progress	Council Review of Administrative Draft Chapter 4 Release of Public Review Draft & Council Workshop	Council Approval of CEQA Project Description Based on Draft Chapter 4	Initiation of CEQA - Environmental Impact Report Preparation
Delta Climate Change Vulnerability Assessment and Adaptation Strategy	2018-2021	Council Discussion of Project Scope and Schedule		Council Workshop	Council Discussion of Draft Vulnerability Assessment Results

Build Capacity for One Delta, One Science

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Delta Science Plan Five-Year Review and Update	2018-2019	Council Approval of Final Delta Science Plan			
Funding for Critical Science Investigations	Ongoing	Council Approval of Delta Science Fellows Grants with UC San Diego Sea Grant	Council Approval of Joint Competitive Solicitation	Council Updates on Critical Science Investigation Results	
Science Support for Adaptive Management and Decision Support	Ongoing	Adaptive Management Forum	Final Habitat Restoration AM Whitepaper (IAMIT)		Council Updates on Collaborative Science and Adaptive Management

Strengthen Leadership and Communications

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Delta Plan Interagency Implementation Committee	Ongoing	Nutria Workgroup Kickoff; and Council Discussion on Science Funding Initiative Whitepaper	DPIIC Meeting #11	DPIIC Meeting #12; and Council Discussion on Delta Science Funding Implementation Plan	DPIIC Meeting #13
Public Participation Plan	2018-2019			Council Workshop	Council Discussion of Draft Participation Plan; and Council Approval of Final Public Participation Plan

Core Functions

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Delta Plan Performance Measures Tracking and Reporting	Ongoing	New Output- Outcome Performance Measures Website Launch			Release of Interim State of the Estuary Report
Regulatory Role and Covered Actions*	Ongoing	Council Public Hearing on Smith Canal Council Public Hearing on Smith Canal Determination	Council Report on DLIS Workgroup Progress		Council Presentation on DLIS Annual Report
Independent Scientific Peer Review, Advice, and Synthesis	Ongoing		Council Update from Chair of Delta ISB	Council Update from Chair of Delta ISB	Council Update from Chair of Delta ISB
Ongoing Agency Communications & Science Workshops and Forums	Ongoing	New Delta Science Program Website Launch; Social Science Task Force Kickoff; and Interagency Ecological Program Workshop			State of the Estuary Conference

^{*} Depending on project proponent timeframes, additional covered actions and appeals may appear before the Council.