

MEMORANDUM

Date: September 17, 2020

To: Delta Stewardship Councilmembers

From: Jessica R. Pearson, Executive Officer

Subject: Upcoming Council Meeting – September 24, 2020

Our meeting this month will be conducted remotely per Governor's Executive Orders N-25-20 issued March 12, 2020, and N-29-20 issued March 17, 2020. The Council continues to prioritize opportunities for remote participation by the public while also undertaking measures to reduce community transmission of COVID-19. Please see the meeting notice for details.

This month, the Council will explore how recently developed local groundwater plans across the state are tied to the Delta. You will hear from a panel consisting of Council, Department of Water Resources,

and State Water Resources Control Board staff. This panel will present on the Sustainable Groundwater Management Act (SGMA) and provide an update on its implementation and what we're learning in relation to the Delta Plan and Delta Reform Act. In addition, new Delta Lead Scientist Dr. Laurel Larsen, will join us and give her first Lead Scientist Report.

We are also excited to welcome the Council's current California Sea Grant and CivicSpark Fellows to provide a series of brief presentations on the work they're doing while at the Council. We are proud of the work they have done in their short time with us and excited for them to share their work with you.

If I can answer any questions or provide any other information in advance of the meeting, please contact me at (916) 445-4500 or jessica.pearson@deltacouncil.ca.gov.

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