

MEMORANDUM

Date:	September 17, 2021	
То:	Delta Stewardship Councilmembers	
From:	Jessica R. Pearson, Executive Officer	
Subject:	Upcoming Council Meeting – September 23, 2021 ¹	

This month we will hear from a variety of partner agencies implementing aspects of the Delta Plan. The Delta Watermaster, Michael Patrick George, joins us to give an update on his office's activities related to the Delta Plan, including an update on how his office is addressing the current drought and what he sees as the challenges ahead for next year. **CHAIR** Susan Tatayon

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Council staff will then present the Delta Reform Act requirements for the Council's review and advice regarding regional transportation plans and sustainable communities strategies in relation to the Metropolitan Transportation Commission/Association of Bay Area Government's (MTC/ABAG) Draft Plan Bay Area 2050. MTC/ABAG staff will also be on hand to provide an overview of the draft plan. The Council will then consider approving Council staff's preliminary findings, as documented in the July comment letter to MTC/ABAG, as to the consistency of the draft Plan with the Delta Plan.

Next, San Francisco Estuary Partnership staff will provide the Council with details regarding the update to the Estuary Blueprint, a comprehensive conservation and management plan for the San Francisco Estuary, including the Delta. We will then hear from the Department of Water Resources and Delta Conveyance Design and Construction Authority staff to provide an update on the Delta Conveyance Project's progress.

¹ This month's meeting will be conducted remotely per Governor's Executive Order N-08-21 issued June 11, 2021. 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.



If I can answer any questions or provide any other information in advance of the September 23 meeting, please contact me at (916) 445-4500 or <u>jessica.pearson@deltacouncil.ca.gov</u>.