

MEMORANDUM

Date: February 16, 2023

To: Delta Stewardship Councilmembers

From: Jessica R. Pearson, Executive Officer

Subject: Upcoming Council Meeting – February 23, 2023

This month's meeting marks an important step in finalizing the rulemaking process for amendments to the Delta Levees Investment Strategy (DLIS). Staff will recommend that the Council adopt the proposed regulatory amendments for Section 5001 (Definitions) and Section 5012 (Prioritization of State Investments in Delta Levees and Risk Reduction (Delta Plan Policy RR P1)) of Title 23 of the California Code of Regulations (Office, Administrative Law File No. Z2022-0816-

07) for the implementation of the Delta Levees Investment Strategy (DLIS), as revised, after November 17, 2022, public hearing and receipt of public comments.

The Council Deputy Executive Officers will present the 2023 Council Workplan that will continue supporting the Council's mission of furthering the coequal goals.

This month highlights social science activity at the Council and our greater collaborative community. The Council's Social Science Integration Team will present the accomplishments of 2022 and ongoing efforts to increase interdisciplinary science that will advance the co-equal goals. Lastly, Dr. Mark Lubell and Tara Pozzi will provide an overview of UC Davis' work on analyzing the governance of the science enterprise, including a summary of past and ongoing activities, key findings, and recommendations.

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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