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To: Delta Plan Interagency Implementation Committee Members

From: Randy Fiorini, Chair

Subject: Upcoming DPIIC Meeting on **May 11, 2015 – 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.**

Chair
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Thank you for your continued commitment to participate on the Delta Plan Interagency Implementation Committee (DPIIC). The upcoming DPIIC meeting will be held on Monday, May 11, 2015, at the Holiday Inn – Capitol Plaza, California Room, 300 J Street, in Sacramento. The agenda and supporting materials are attached, and some additional handouts may be provided at the meeting.

I look forward to the third gathering of this interagency committee designed to support achievement of the coequal goals for the Delta. This has been an extremely busy year for us all and there is a lot to highlight. The upcoming meeting presents a valuable opportunity to assess progress in the issue-areas prioritized by the Committee since its launch last April.

We have a robust agenda that touches on the implementation of multiple State and federal initiatives covering actionable collaborative science, the future of statewide water storage, interagency efforts to manage invasive aquatic vegetation, and new momentum for habitat restoration. In addition, staff will be seeking endorsement of a joint work product drafted in response to your request for a short list of near-term high-impact science actions for the Delta.

I look forward to our discussions on all of these issues and more. As an open public meeting, time will be provided for public comment.

Thank you again for your support of collaborative science and long-term planning and investment for the Delta. If I can answer any questions or provide any information in advance of the meeting, please contact me at (916) 445-4500 or Randy.Fiorini@deltacouncil.ca.gov.

"Coequal goals" means the two goals of providing a more reliable water supply for California and protecting, restoring, and enhancing the Delta ecosystem. The coequal goals shall be achieved in a manner that protects and enhances the unique cultural, recreational, natural resource, and agricultural values of the Delta as an evolving place."

– CA Water Code §85054