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Media Advisory

CA State Parks Offers Recreational Proposal for Delta at upcoming Council Meeting

The California State Parks Department will discuss a Recreation Proposal for the Delta and Suisun Marsh at the one-day meeting of the Delta Stewardship Council on Friday, August 26. This proposal, required in the Delta Reform Act of 2009, provides recommendations for expanding recreational opportunities in certain areas in the Delta and the Suisun Marsh.

Also scheduled is a short briefing by the DSC staff on the fifth staff draft of the Delta Plan and a discussion about the process at the Office of Administrative Law that will turn the Delta Plan policies into law. A more in-depth conversation is scheduled for September.

The Council also will continue discussions about recommendations to fund implementation of the Delta Plan. Friday's discussion is intended to focus on the near-term – given a conceptual amount of funding, what projects or programs should be prioritized to achieve the greatest early success.

Please note below a change in the meeting venue. This month it is being held in Sacramento.

- WHAT:** Delta Stewardship Council Meeting
For a full agenda, please visit:
<http://bit.ly/pYgc4g>
- WHEN:** Friday, August 26, 2011 – 9:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.
- WHERE:** Holiday Inn Capitol Plaza
Fresno / El Dorado Room
300 J Street, Sacramento, CA 95814
- WHO:** Delta Stewardship Council, staff, presenters and members of the public
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"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