



One Water and Stewardship Committee

# Bay-Delta Manager's Report

Item 8b

August 14, 2023

## Senate Bill 149 Certification

- Sites Reservoir in consultation to apply for certification as a SB 149 eligible infrastructure project
- Certification would expedite anticipated California Environmental Quality Act litigation

## Water Rights Application

- Sites Reservoir water rights application proceeding through the permitting process
- Protest period ends August 31, 2023

## Sites Reservoir Planning Updates



## Northern California and In-Delta Tour



## Northern California

- Rice farming operations and Multi-Benefit Projects
- Science Partnerships and Initiatives
- Sites Reservoir and Yuba Accord



## Northern California and In-Delta Tour

### In-Delta Interests

- Pear farming operations near Hood, California
- Collaboration opportunities with Delta Counties



