

#### Subcommittee on Bay-Delta

# Delta Island Collaborative Efforts

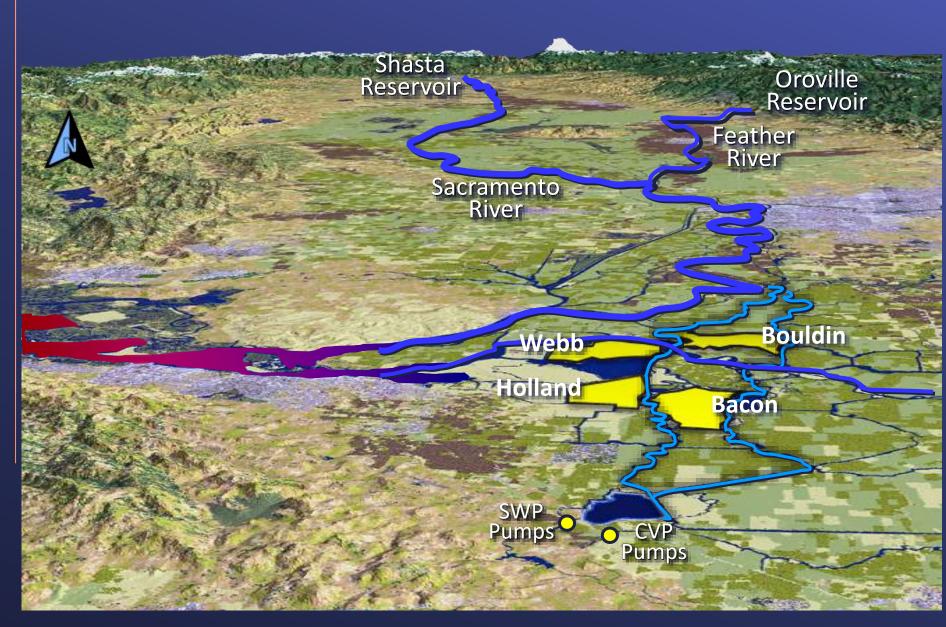
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# Overview & Purpose

- Metropolitan's Delta Islands Landscape Collaboration
- Funded through a 2020 California Department of Fish & Wildlife Proposition I Watershed Restoration Grant
- Evaluates opportunities for ecosystem enhancements, water supply security, carbon sequestration, agricultural best management practices and community partnerships

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Policy Considerations Policy topics for Board consideration, which were mentioned in the collaborative planning effort:

- Do Metropolitan's Delta Islands advance climate action planning?
- Are Metropolitan's Delta Islands essential in securing water supply deliveries?
- Can Metropolitan's Islands influence decisions on Delta water operations?

## Delta Islands Collaborative Efforts Panel Members

### Brett Milligan

• University of California, Davis – Professor of Human Ecology

## Barbara Barrigan-Parrilla

Restore the Delta – Executive Director

### Kristen Dybala, Ph.D.

• Point Blue - Principal Ecologist

#### Aaron Will

Ducks Unlimited – Restoration Ecologist

#### Don Hankins, Ph.D.

- Cal State University, Chico State Professor Geography/Planning
- Miwok Tribal Member

#### Panel Process

- Panel Introductory Statements & Initial Questions (5 minutes each)
- Board Director's Discussion & Questions for Panelists

