

# **Bay-Delta Policy Review**

Bay-Delta Committee Item 6b November 23, 2021

### Overview

- California Water System
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  - Bay-Delta
- Bay-Delta Policy Background
  - Board Bay-Delta Policies
  - Governor's Plans
  - Bay-Delta (last 15 years)
  - MWD Bay-Delta Initiatives Today
  - Next Steps



### California Water System

# California - State Water Project (SWP)



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#### **Bay-Delta and the SWP**



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# **Bay-Delta Policy Background**

#### **Key Metropolitan Bay-Delta Policies**

Policy Principles 2006 (Policy Principles - Themes)

Delta Action Plan Framework 2007 (Short, Mid, and Long Term)



Delta Conveyance Criteria 2007

(Near, Long Term and Approved Conveyance Criteria)

#### California Water - Governor's Plans



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### **Development of Existing Bay-Delta Policies**



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#### **Metropolitan Bay-Delta Initiatives Today**



**Delta Islands** 



**Sites Reservoir** 



**Budget/Financial** Reporting



Contract Administration



Science

Watershed Management



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**Delta Conveyance** 



Water Policy and **Regulatory Support** 



Ecosystem

Restoration

Administration/

**Business Plan** 

#### Metropolitan Policies, Plans and Regulatory Considerations

Integrated Water Resources Plan	Urban Water Management Plan	Water Supply Drought Management Plan
Sources Water Quality Protection	Salinity Management Policy and Action Plan	Climate Action Plan
Metropolitan Water District Act and Administrative Code	Annual Legislative Priorities and Principles	State Laws, Regulations and Operating Permits

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# Bay-Delta Policies Guide Day-to-Day operations and planning

- Board Considerations (near term within 6 months)
  - Delta Islands Opportunities
  - Voluntary Agreements
  - Sites Planning Participation
- Programs and Projects (in process or future)
  - Native Species Conservation/Preservation Partnership
  - Bay-Delta Science
  - Delta Conveyance
  - Watershed Partnerships

# Update to Bay-Delta Policies: Committee and Board Timeline

Bay-Delta Policy Update - Overview (today)
Bay-Delta Committee Workshop #1
Bay-Delta Committee Workshop #2 (tentative)
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Proposed Updated Bay-Delta Policies
Updated Bay-Delta Policies (Action)
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