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Council Legislative Update



**Delta
Stewardship
Council**

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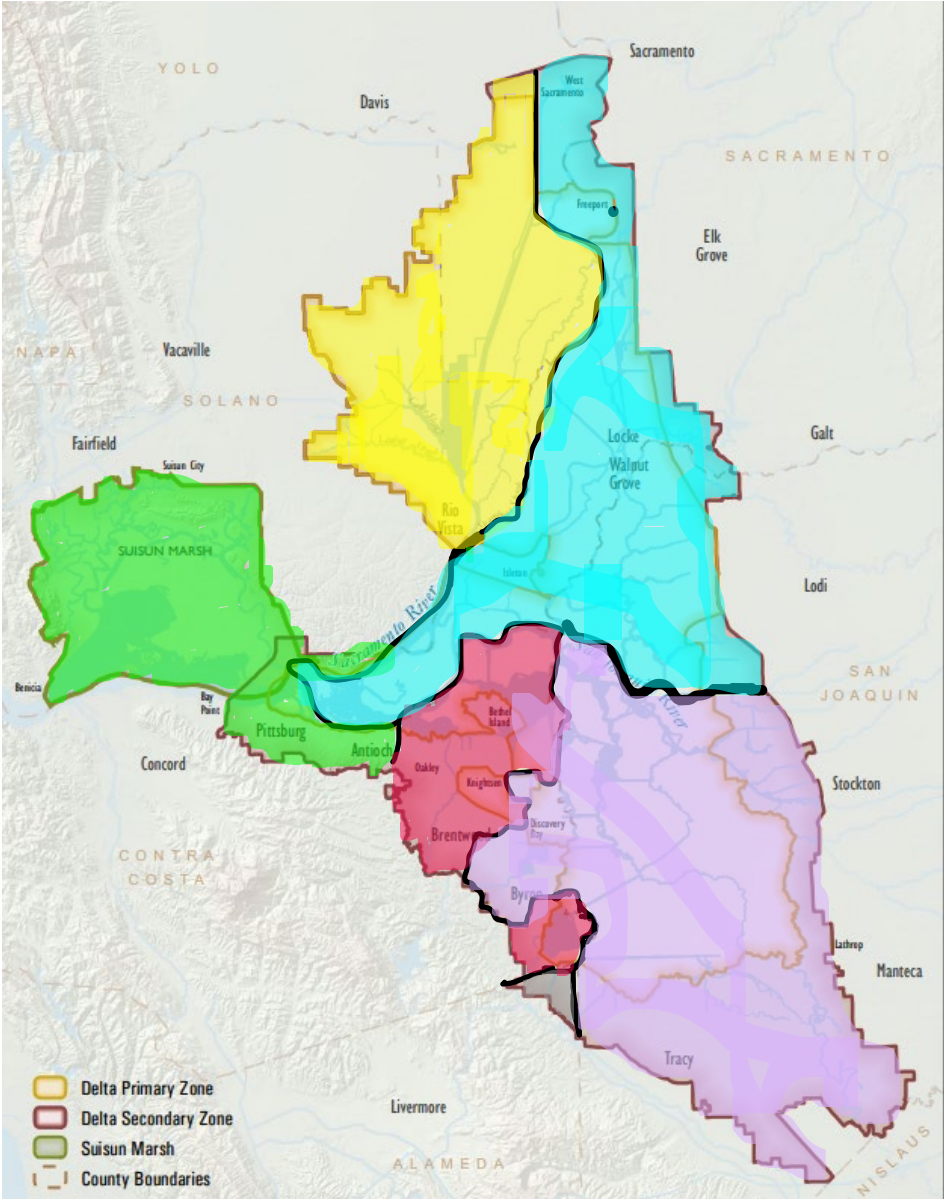
Rep. Mike Thompson (D-04)



Rep. John Garamendi (D-08)



Rep. Mark DeSaulnier (D-10)



Rep. Doris Matsui (D-07)



Rep. Eric Swalwell (D-14)



Rep. Josh Harder (D-09)

District lines are for illustrative purposes only and not an exact representation

State Budget

- Governor Newsom introduced his 2023-2024 budget on January 10
- Projected \$22.5 billion shortfall
 - Proposes to address mainly by shifting costs, delaying funds, and targeted “trigger” cuts
- Key item: \$202 million in flood investments
 - \$41 million specific for Delta levee improvements



GOVERNOR'S BUDGET 2023-24

FLOOD

\$1.3 BILLION: Flood investments since 2019

\$202 MILLION: New investments

- \$136 MILLION: Urban flood risk reduction
- \$41 MILLION: Delta levees
- \$25 MILLION: Central Valley flood protection



Bill Update

[AB 225](#) **(Grayson D) Real property: environmental hazards booklet.**

Status: 1/12/2023-From printer. May be heard in committee February 11.

Location: 1/11/2023-A. PRINT

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Summary: Current law requires the Department of Real Estate to develop a booklet to educate and inform consumers on, among other things, common environmental hazards that are located on, and affect, real property. Current law requires the types of common environmental hazards to include, but not be limited to, asbestos, radon gas, lead-based paint, formaldehyde, fuel and chemical storage tanks, and water and soil contamination. This bill would express the intent of the Legislature that when the booklet is next updated, as existing resources permit or as private resources are made available, it be updated to include 3 new sections on wildfires, climate change, and sea level rise, as specified. The bill would require the State Department of Public Health to seek the advice and assistance of departments within the Natural Resources Agency in the writing of the booklet, as specified.

[SB 66](#) **(Hurtado D) Water: predictive models and data collection.**

Status: 1/18/2023-Referred to Com. on RLS.

Location: 1/5/2023-S. RLS.

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Summary: Current law requires the Department of Water Resources, as part of updating The California Water Plan every five years, to conduct a study to determine the amount of water needed to meet the state's future needs and to recommend programs, policies, and facilities to meet those needs. This bill would state the intent of the Legislature to ensure that reliable predictive models and data collection systems are used to properly forecast and allocate surface water.