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## Overview of Delta Independent Science Board Chapter Assignments

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The Delta Independent Science Board is in the process of reviewing the [draft Delta Conveyance Project Environmental Impact Report \(EIR\)](#), which was released on July 27, 2022, by the California Department of Water Resources. This document lists the lead reviewers for each chapter of the draft EIR. Assignments are preliminary and subject to change. Delta ISB members are not limited in their review on the selected chapters.

Chapter Title	Chapter Page Counts	Appendix Page Counts	Authors
Executive Summary	119	890	All
Introduction	51	NA	All
Project Objectives and Purpose and Need	3	NA	All
Description of the Proposed Project and Alternatives	165	866	All
Framework for Environmental Analysis	17	81	All
Surface Water	35	6,332	Fernando, Heikkila, Holzer, Lund, McKnight, Naiman, Obeysekera
Water Supply	49	8	Fernando, Heikkila, Holzer, Lund, McKnight, Obeysekera
Flood Protection	58	18	Holzer, Lund, Obeysekera
Groundwater	69	132	Lund, Obeysekera
Water Quality	208	3,384	Brandt, Fernando, Lund, McKnight, Wainger
Geology and Seismicity	76	NA	Holzer
Soils	71	33	Holzer
Fish and Aquatic Resources	248	604	Brandt, McKnight, Naiman

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Terrestrial Biological Resources	509	895	Brandt, Dale
Land Use	45	NA	Dale, Fernando, Lund, Wainger
Agricultural Resources	55	89	Dale, Lund, Wainger
Recreation	35	44	Brandt, Heikkila, Lund, McKnight, Wainger
Socioeconomics	91	37	Heikkila, Lund, Wainger
Aesthetics and Visual Resources	130	50	None
Cultural Resources	81	3,817	None
Transportation	72	106	None
Public Services and Utilities	49	14	Lund
Energy	40	13	Dale, Fernando,
Air Quality and Greenhouse Gases	203	666	Fernando
Noise and Vibration	75	194	Fernando
Hazards, Hazardous Materials, and Wildfire	65	NA	Fernando
Public Health	65	5	Brandt, Heikkila, Wainger
Mineral Resources	26	NA	None
Paleontological Resources	42	NA	None
Environmental Justice	50	160	Heikkila, Wainger
Climate Change	26	22	Brandt, Fernando, Holzer, Lund, Obeysekera
Growth Inducement	10	NA	Heikkila, Wainger
Tribal Cultural Resources	68	30	Heikkila
Other CEQA/NEPA required sections	9	NA	None
Community Benefits Program Analysis	19	NA	Heikkila

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Public Involvement, Consultation, and Coordination	10	NA	None
List of Preparers	11	NA	None
References Cited	146	NA	None
Glossary	35	NA	None
Figure Descriptions	119	NA	None