



Delta Agency Science Workgroup (DASW) Meeting Agenda

Wednesday, January 15, 2020, 1:00 pm – 3:00 pm
980 9th Street, Sacramento
3rd Floor Conference Room

The agenda items may be considered in a different order. All items appearing on this agenda, whether or not expressly listed for action, may be deliberated upon and may be subject to action.

1. Welcome and Introductions

Workgroup members will introduce themselves and review the agenda.

2. Discussion: Social Science Task Force Draft Report Recommendations

The Social Science Task Force is a panel of six academic experts in social sciences initially convened in 2018 through the Delta Stewardship Council's Delta Science Program and charged with developing a strategic plan to strengthen and integrate social sciences into the science, management, and policy landscape of the Delta. Recommendations in the Task Force draft report (released in mid-December 2019) focus on three areas to improve the integration of social science: research, building capacity, and institutional structures and processes. The DASW will discuss the initial recommendations in the draft report and provide feedback for the Task Force to consider in their final report (expected March of 2020).

3. Discussion: Science Action Agenda Update

Members from the Delta Stewardship Council's Delta Science Program will provide a brief overview of the upcoming Science Action Agenda update. The update will include a horizon scanning component and an investigation of key management needs to determine whether these can help guide identification of additional science actions. DASW will provide feedback regarding the development of a shared set of management needs.

4. Workgroup Business

Save the date:

DPIIC - March 2, 2020

Science Needs Assessment Workshop - April 27-29, 2020

DPIIC – July 13, 2020

DPIIC – November 2, 2020

5. Public Comment

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