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**Subject: Transcripts Delta Protection Commission, Water Board discussions of support for Delta ISB posted**

Dear Chair Brandt and Delta ISB members,

We are continuing to advocate for restoring funding for the Delta Independent Science Board.

The Delta Protection Commission has posted the video of their meeting to authorize sending a letter of support for SB 821. I transcribed the Commissioner's discussion of support for the Delta ISB from the meeting and have posted it on the [California Water Research blog here](#):

<https://cah2oresearch.com/2021/08/16/delta-protection-commission-water-board-express-support-for-restoring-funding-to-the-delta-isb/>

The [Delta Protection Commission meeting video](#) is available here:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?app=desktop&v=i7yVS46x6HU&t=10s>

The discussion of SB 821 begins at 20:04.

I also made a plea at the August 4 meeting of the State Water Resources Control Board. The Chair, Joaquin Esquivel, expressed strong support for the DISB. I transcribed the discussion from that meeting and it is posted it on the same California Water Research blog.

The [SWRCB meeting video](#) is available here:

<https://www.youtube.com/embed/qBYgXhSpnnE?modestbranding=1&rel=0&autoplay=1>

My comments begin at 1:06.

It has been a huge responsibility to advocate for the Delta ISB, but also immensely rewarding.

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