



Draft 2011 Annual Meeting Agenda

October 12-13, 2011

The Washington Inn
Oakland, California

Wednesday, October 12

7:30 am	Registration , Coffee, Tea	Alexandra Banquet Room
8:00 am	Opening Greeting	California area tribal representative TBD
8:15 am	Welcome <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Keynote Welcome Remarks• Short Introductions of Participants• Agenda Review	Judy Kelly, Director, San Francisco Estuary Partnership Karen McDowell, SFEP, WRP Chair
8:35 am	State meeting summary	Susan Ellis, California Dept. of Fish & Game
	Federal meeting summary	Ron Smith, USFWS
9:00 am	Marine Issues – Introduction	Karen McDowell, SFEP
9:05 am	California Ballast Water Program	Lynn Takata, CA State Lands Commission
9:25 am	Ballast Water Treatment	Nicole Dobroski, CA State Lands Commission
9:45 am	Vessel Fouling Updates	Chris Scianni, CA State Lands Commission
10:00 am	Break	
10:20 am	EPA Clean Boating Act	Brian Rappoli, US EPA
11:00 am	Spartina and Hybridization	Peggy Olfason, San Francisco Estuary Invasive Spartina Project
11:20 am	Invasive Species and Climate Change Interactions – Humboldt squid example	TBD
11:40 am	Marine Issues Wrap-Up: WRP Role – Group Discussion	Paul Heimowitz, USFWS (facilitator)
12:00 pm	Lunch (on your own)	
1:15 pm	Dreissenids in the West – Introduction	Stephen Phillips, PSMFC
1:20 pm	QZAP – Introduction, Funding	Susan Mangin (Invited)
1:35 pm	Water Chemistry Experiments in Mobile Lab	Renata Claudi, RNT Consulting

2:00 pm	San Justo Reservoir	Tanya Veldhuizen, DWR
2:25 pm	Lake Mead Quagga Research	Todd Tietjen, Ph.D., Southern Nevada Water Authority
2:50 pm	Break	
3:05 pm	Water Manipulation Experiment	Ricardo De Leon, Metropolitan Water District
3:30 pm	Zequanox	Pam Marrone or Sarahann Rackl, Marrone Bio Innovations
3:55 pm	Decontamination Protocols and Standards	Stephen Phillips, PSMFC
4:20 pm	Boat movements study	Marion Wittmann (Invited)
4:45 pm	QZAP Wrap-up: WRP Role – Group Discussion	Tom McMahon, Arizona Game and Fish Dept (facilitator)
5:00 pm	Adjourn and Evening Instructions	Karen McDowell, SFEP

Thursday, October 13

7:30 am	Coffee, Tea	Alexandra Banquet Room
8:00 am	Member Reports	
9:00 am	Business meeting - “Threats to the West” brochure revision - Coastal Workgroup Report - PCR Workgroup Report - Decontamination Workgroup - Additional Workgroups - Executive Committee Nominees	Paul Heimowitz, USFWS Kevin Anderson, PSP Stephen Phillips, PSMFC Tammy Davis, Alaska Dept. of Fish and Game Karen McDowell, SFEP
10:00 am	Break	
10:20 am	Business meeting continued - October 2010 Meeting Minutes Approval - Financial Report - Announcement of new Executive Committee Members - 2012 Annual Meeting location and tentative dates - Attorneys General Workshop Discussion - Recommendations to ANSTF	Karen McDowell, SFEP Joanne Grady, USFWS Joanne Grady, USFWS Joanne Grady, USFWS Paul Heimowitz, USFWS Karen McDowell, SFEP
11:45 am	Lunch (on your own)	
1:00 pm	Strategic Planning for the Panel - WRP Coordinator - Financial planning for WRP	Group discussion, Facilitated by TBD
3:00 pm	Break	
3:20 pm	Response to the Invasion of the Asian Kelp (<i>Undaria pinnatifida</i>) in a Major Port: 2 Years of Management Efforts in San Francisco Bay	Chela Zabin, Smithsonian Environmental Research Center

3:40 pm **Member Reports**

4:20 pm **Public Comment and Non-Member Reports** Karen McDowell, SFEP

5:00pm **Field trip instructions and adjourn** Karen McDowell, SFEP/Susan Ellis, CDFG

Friday, October 14 Field Trip: Please meet in the Hotel lobby 10 minutes prior to departure time.

Field Trip Option #1 – Trip to San Francisco Waterfront on Commercial Shipping, Recreational Boating, and Undaria.

8:45 AM – 11:45 AM

- Start time: 8:45 AM
 - Walk (12 blocks, approximately 12 minutes), take free bus, or cab to ferry (9:15 am)
 - Ferry ride to SF 40 minutes – travel along container shipping channel
 - Bob Chedsey, State Lands Commission, discusses shipping operations and ballast water inspections
 - Chris Scianni, State Lands Commission, BW treatment options research
- Arrive San Francisco Waterfront ~ 9:45 AM:
 - Travel along waterfront to South Beach Harbor Marina (located right next to the AT&T Baseball Park). Walk (1.2 miles) or ride a bus between the ferry and marina
- Arrive at South Beach Harbor Marina at 10:15 AM
 - View Undaria and other marine invasive species along docks. SERC staff to host.
 - Karen McDowell, SFEP, discusses America's Cup and increase in visiting boaters (This harbor will be close to the shore based action for AC34)
- Field trip complete ~11:45 AM
 - Option 1. Head back to the ferry building (the next ferry leaves SF at 12:15 PM and arrives in Oakland at 12:45 PM).
 - Option 2. There's a BART stop right by the ferry building if you'd rather take train.
 - Option 3. Have lunch on your own in SF, and/or enjoy the rest of your day in San Francisco touring around (suggestions will be provided by host). Other ferries leave SF between 2:00 PM and 8:25 PM.

Field Trip Option #2 – Zebra Mussels – San Justo Reservoir (Leave hotel at 7 AM – Return to Oakland at 1 PM)

- Drive to San Justo Reservoir (2 hours)
- View Reservoir and Zebra Mussel Eradication Activities (2 hours)
- Return to Oakland (2 hours)