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Re: Draft language for schedule delay

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This looks good to me, Patricia. My only request for the spreadsheet is to include the date on it since it keeps getting revised. That way its easier to track the different versions. I usually use YYYY-MM-DD format so they sort chronologically, but whatever works for you.

Thanks so much!

Gerry

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On Wed, Feb 13, 2019 at 9:52 AM Roberson, Patricia <patricia_roberson@fws.gov> wrote:

Gerry,

Attached is the revised schedule for Farallones that we discussed this morning. In the spreadsheet that Rachel London sent we will indicate the revised ROD signature date of 6/7/2019 with the following explanation:

The U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service requests an extension of the ROD signature date for the South Farallon Islands Invasive House Mouse Eradication Project from April 26, 2019 to June 7, 2019. Because of the recent government shutdown the Review Team briefing for the Final EIS was rescheduled from January 9, 2019 to February 22, 2019, which delays the EPA publication of the NOA to March 15, 2019. The proposed mouse eradication project on the South Farallon Islands is subject to the federal Coastal Zone Management Act of 1972. Accordingly, the Service must submit a Consistency Determination to the California Coastal Commission and allow 75 days for their review prior to signing the ROD. We will submit the Consistency Determination to the California Coastal Commission on March 15, 2019, when the Final EIS is available to the public. We would then be able to complete the ROD clearance process and ROD signature by June 7, 2019.

Also - in Rachel's latest email she references a rescheduled briefing date of 2/22/2019, so I think it has been formally rescheduled.

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