

STAFF SUMMARY FOR JUNE 20-21, 2018

28. HUMBOLDT MARTEN (CONSENT)**Today's Item****Information** **Action**

Receive DFW's status review report on the petition from the Environmental Protection Information Center (EPIC) and the Center for Biological Diversity (CBD) to list Humboldt marten (*Martes caurina humboldtensis*) as an endangered species under the California Endangered Species Act (CESA).

Summary of Previous/Future Actions

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| • Received petition | Jun 8, 2015 |
| • FGC transmits petition to DFW | Jun 18, 2015 |
| • Publish notice of receipt of petition | Jul 24, 2015 |
| • Approved DFW request for 30-day extension | Oct 7-8, 2015; Los Angeles |
| • Received evaluation and recommendation | Dec 9-10, 2015; San Diego |
| • FGC determined listing may be warranted | Feb 10-11, 2016; Sacramento |
| • Act on DFW request for 6-month extension | Feb 8-9, 2017; Rohnert Park |
| • Today receive DFW's status review report | Jun 20-21, 2018; Sacramento |
| • Determine if listing is warranted | Aug 22-23, 2018; Fortuna |

Background

In Jun 2015, FGC received a petition from EPIC and CBD to list Humboldt marten as an endangered species under CESA. FGC designated Humboldt marten as a candidate species at its Feb 11, 2016 meeting. Final consideration is scheduled for Aug 22-23, 2018.

The status review report represents DFW's final written review of Humboldt marten and is based upon the best scientific information available to DFW. DFW will hand-deliver the status review report at the Jun 20-21, 2018 meeting.

Significant Public Comments (N/A)**Recommendation (N/A)****Exhibits (N/A)****Motion/Direction**

Moved by _____ and seconded by _____ that the Commission adopts the consent calendar, items 23-28.