

## STAFF SUMMARY FOR JANUARY 18, 2017

**9. FUTURE TOPICS****Today's Item**Information Direction 

Review upcoming agenda items scheduled for the next and future WRC meetings, hear requests from DFW and interested stakeholders for future agenda items, and identify new items for consideration.

**Summary of Previous/Future Actions (N/A)**

- Previous WRC meeting Sep 21, 2016; WRC Woodland
- **Today's discussion Jan 18, 2017; WRC Redding**
- FGC approves draft May WRC topics Apr 26-27, 2017; Van Nuys
- Next WRC meeting May 24, 2016; WRC Sacramento

**Background**

Committee topics are referred by FGC and scheduled as appropriate. FGC-referred topics and draft schedule are shown in Exhibit 1. WRC agendas currently include several complex and time-intensive topics. The committee has placed emphasis on issues of imminent regulatory importance, and thus consideration of new topics will require planning relative to existing committee workload.

Agenda topics identified for the May 2017 WRC meeting include:

1. Annual Game Regulations
  - Sport fish
  - Mammal hunting
  - Waterfowl hunting
  - Central Valley salmon
  - Klamath River sport fish
2. Falconry regulations
3. Lead ban implementation
4. Wild pig management
5. Predator Policy Workgroup

In addition, immediately following the May WRC meeting, staff will facilitate a Delta Predation Forum that will inform future discussion at the WRC.

**Significant Public Comments (N/A)****Recommendation**

**FGC staff:** Review draft WRC work plan schedule (Exhibit 1) and current rulemaking calendar (Exhibit 2), consider updates to scheduling of recommended projects, and consider whether any potential new topics could be added to or replace existing topics; decide whether to request FGC refer any new topics for Committee evaluation.

**Exhibits**

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1. [WRC 2017 work plan, updated December 2016](#)
2. [Perpetual Timetable for FGC Anticipated Regulatory Actions, updated Jan 9, 2017](#)

**Committee Direction/Recommendation (N/A)**

**Wildlife Resources Committee (WRC) 2017 Draft Work Plan:** Schedule topics and timeline for items referred to WRC (Updated for Dec 2016 FGC meeting)

Topic	Type of Topic	2017		
		JAN (Redding)	MAY (Sacramento)	SEP (Riverside)
<b>Annual Game Regulations</b>				
Upland Game Birds	Annual	X / R		X
Sport Fish	Annual	X	X / R	
Mammals	Annual		X	X / R
Waterfowl	Annual		X	X / R
Central Valley Salmon	Annual		X	X / R
Klamath River Sport Fish	Annual		X	X / R
<b>Regulations &amp; Legislative Mandates</b>				
Possession of game for processing into food (Sec. 3080(e), Fish and Game Code)	Referral for review			X
Falconry	Referral for review	X	X	X
<b>Emerging Management Issues</b>				
Lead Ban Implementation	DFW project	X	X	X
Wild Pig Management	Referral for review	X	X / R	
<b>Special Projects</b>				
Predator Policy Workgroup	WRC workgroup	X	X / R	
Delta Predation Forum			X / R	

KEY      X      Discussion scheduled      R      Recommendation developed and moved to FGC

# PERPETUAL TIMETABLE FOR CALIFORNIA FISH AND GAME COMMISSION ANTICIPATED REGULATORY ACTIONS

(Dates shown reflect the date intended for the subject regulatory action.)

Updated: 1/9/17

For FGC Staff Use				REGULATORY CHANGE CATEGORY	ACTION DATE, TYPE AND LOCATION	2017																						
						JAN 18	FEB 7	FEB 8	FEB 9	MAR 15	MAR 23	APR 13	APR 26	APR 27	MAY 24	JUN 20	JUN 21	JUN 22	JUL 20	AUG 16	AUG 17	SEP 13	OCT 10	OCT 11	OCT 12	NOV 9	DEC 6	DEC 7
						WRC REDDING	TC ROHNERT PARK	FGC ROHNERT PARK	FGC TELECONFERENCE	MRC SAN SAN CLEMETE/OCEANSIDE	FGC TELECONFERENCE	FGC VAN NUYS	WRC SACRAMENTO	TC CRESCENT CITY/FORTUNA	FGC CRESCENT CITY/FORTUNA	MRC PETALUMA	FGC SACRAMENTO	WRC RIVERSIDE	TC MORRO BAY/SAN LUIS OBISPO	FGC MORRO BAY/SAN LUIS OBISPO	MRC MARINA	FGC SAN DIEGO						
					File Notice w/OAL by			12/13/16	01/17/17			02/14/17	02/28/17			04/25/17		06/20/17			8/15/17			10/10/17				
					Notice Published			12/23/16	01/27/17			02/24/17	03/10/17			05/05/17		06/30/17			8/25/17			10/20/17				
					Title 14 Section(s)																							
	ST	MR	RAZOR CLAM EMERGENCY	29.45	EE 1/26																							
	SB	JS	FB	SPORT FISHING (Annual)	1.05 et al.	V			E 3/1	V				R				N				D		A				
*	SB	CW	WLB	DFW LANDS PASS	550 et al.				E 3/1																			
*	MR	CW	LED	UPLAND GAME BIRD SPECIAL HUNT DRAWING	702, 715 (new)				E 3/15																			
*	SB	CW	LED	ENHANCE PENALTIES FOR GAME ILLEGAL TAKE	748.6 (new)							E 4/1																
*	CM	ST	HC	LIVERMORE TARPLANT	670.2			A								E 7/1												
*	SF	FGC		TRIBAL TAKE IN MPAs	632							E 4/1																
*	MR	JS	WLB	FALCONRY CLEAN-UP	670							E 4/1																
	SB	SF	MR	RECREATIONAL GROUND FISH (2017-2018)	27.20 et al.	E 1/13 X																						
	CM	JS	FGC	USE OF DOGS FOR PURSUIT/TAKE OF MAMMALS	265			A				E 4/1																
	SB	CW	FB	KLAMATH RIVER SPORT FISHING (Annual)	7.50(b)(91.1)			D				A		V				E 8/1	R					N				
	SB	CW	FB	CENTRAL VALLEY SALMON SPORT FISHING (Annual)	7.50(b)			D				A		V				E 8/1	R					N				
	SB	CW	MR	OCEAN SALMON SPORT FISHING (PHASE I) (Annual)	27.80(c)				D	A		E 4/1 X												N				
	SB	CW	MR	OCEAN SALMON SPORT FISHING (PHASE II) (Annual)	27.80(d)				D			A		E 5/1 X										N				
	SB	SF	MR	PACIFIC HALIBUT SPORT FISHING (2017 season)	28.20				D			A		E 5/1 X														
	MR	JS	WLB	MAMMAL HUNTING (Annual)	360 et al.			D					A	V		E 7/1			R					N				
	MR	JS	WLB	DEER TAG REPORTING REQUIREMENTS	708.5			D					A			E 7/1												
	MR	JS	WLB	WATERFOWL (Annual)	502			D					A	V		E 7/1			R					N				
	MR	CW	WLB	UPLAND (RESIDENT) GAME BIRD (Annual)	300, 311, 745.5	R		N					D			A		E 9/1 X + V										
	SB	ST	MR	SPORT CRAB & LOBSTER GEAR, COMMERCIAL LOBSTER AREAS	29.80, 122				N					D		A						E 10/1						
	ST	WB		TRICOLORED BLACKBIRD EMERGENCY	749.8			EM										EE 8/17										
	ST	WB		TRICOLORED BLACKBIRD - COMPLIANCE	749.8																							
	SB	ST	MR	ABALONE EMERGENCY - 180 DAY	29.15							EM 4/1							EE 9/28									
	SB	ST	MR	ABALONE - COMPLIANCE	29.15																							
*	SB	ST	FB	COMMERCIAL TAKE OF RATTLESNAKES	TBD								N					D/A										
*	MR	JS	WLB	BIG GAME TAG QUOTA REPORTING PROCESS	360, 361, 362, 363, 364											N		D				A						
*			MR	COMMERCIAL FISHERIES ELECTRONIC REPORTING	TBD												N					D/A						
*			MR	COMMERCIAL HERRING (Annual)	163, 164													N				D/A		E 12/26 X				
*			MR	KELP AND ALGAE HARVEST MANAGEMENT	165, 165.5, 704												V						V					
*			MR	COMMERCIAL SEA CUCUMBER	128																							
*	MR	ST	MR	COMMERCIAL SEA URCHIN (PHASE II) [TBD]	120.7																							
*				POSSESS GAME / PROCESS INTO FOOD [TBD]	TBD																							
*			OGC	AZA/ZAA [TBD]	671.1																							
			MR	NEARSHORE AND DEEPER NEARSHORE FISHING PERMITS [TBD]	150.01, 150.02																							
				NIGHT HUNTING IN GRAY WOLF RANGE [TBD]	474																							
				SHELLFISH BEST MANAGEMENT PRACTICES [TBD]	TBD																							
				AUTOMATIC CONFORMANCE PROCESS [TBD]	27.53																							
				TRAPPING FEES [TBD]	TBD																							

EM = Emergency, EE = Emergency Expires, E = Anticipated Effective Date (RED "X" = expedited OAL review), N = Notice Hearing, D = Discussion Hearing, A = Adoption Hearing, V = Vetting, R = Committee Recommendation, WRC = Wildlife Resources Committee, MRC = Marine Resources Committee, TC = Tribal Committee