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### **REVISED\* MEETING AGENDA**

**May 11, 2021, 9:15 AM**

#### **Webinar and Teleconference**

The California Fish and Game Commission is conducting this meeting by webinar and teleconference to avoid a public gathering and protect public health during the COVID-19 pandemic, consistent with Executive Order N-33-20.

Pursuant to Executive Order N-29-20, commissioners may participate in meetings remotely. The public may provide public comment during the public comment periods, and otherwise observe remotely consistent with the Bagley-Keene Open Meeting Act.

**\*This agenda is revised to add item 5 related to a proposed change to the July 2021 Marine Resources Committee meeting date.**

***The meeting will be live streamed; visit [www.fgc.ca.gov](http://www.fgc.ca.gov) the day of the meeting to watch or listen. To provide public comment during the meeting, please join via Zoom Webinar or by telephone; [click here for instructions on how to join](#).***

**Note: See important meeting deadlines and procedures, including written public comment deadlines, starting on page 4. Unless otherwise indicated, the California Department of Fish and Wildlife is identified as Department.**

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#### **CALL TO ORDER/ROLL CALL TO ESTABLISH QUORUM**

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- 1. Consider approving agenda and order of items**

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#### **PUBLIC COMMENT**

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- 2. General public comment for items not on the agenda**

Receive public comment regarding topics within the Commission's authority that are not included on the agenda.

Note: The Commission may not discuss or take action on any matter raised during this item, except to decide whether to place the matter on the agenda of a future meeting (sections 11125 and 11125.7(a), Government Code).

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## **DISCUSSION AND ACTION ITEMS**

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**3. Central Valley sport fishing**

Consider adopting proposed changes to Central Valley sport fishing regulations and consider taking final action under the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA). (Amend subsections 7.40(b)(4), (43), (66) and (80), Title 14, CCR)

**4. Klamath River Basin sport fishing**

Consider adopting proposed changes to Klamath River Basin sport fishing regulations and consider taking final action under CEQA. (Amend subsection 7.40(b)(50), Title 14, CCR)

**5. Future meeting dates**

Discuss and consider approving proposed change to next Marine Resources Committee meeting date from July 20, 2021 to July 21, 2021.

**6. Adjourn**

## California Fish and Game Commission 2021 Meeting Schedule

**Note: As meeting dates and locations can change, please visit [www.fgc.ca.gov](http://www.fgc.ca.gov) for the most current list of meeting dates and locations.**

Meeting Date	Commission Meeting	Committee Meeting
May 11, 2021		<b>Wildlife Resources</b> Webinar/teleconference
June 16-17, 2021	Webinar/teleconference	
July 20, 2021		<b>Marine Resources</b> Webinar/teleconference
August 17, 2021		<b>Tribal</b> Webinar/teleconference
August 18-19, 2021	Webinar/teleconference	
September 16, 2021		<b>Wildlife Resources</b> Sacramento
October 13-14, 2021	Sacramento	
November 9, 2021		<b>Marine Resources</b> Sacramento
December 14, 2021		<b>Tribal</b> Sacramento
December 15-16, 2021	Sacramento	

### Other Meetings of Interest

#### **Association of Fish and Wildlife Agencies**

- September 12-15, 2021, Providence, RI

#### **Pacific Fishery Management Council**

- June 22-26 & 28-30, 2021, Webinar
- September 8-15, 2021, Spokane, WA
- November 15-22, 2021, Costa Mesa, CA

#### **Pacific Flyway Council**

- August or September 2021, TBD

#### **Western Association of Fish and Wildlife Agencies**

- July 14-20, 2021, virtual

#### **Wildlife Conservation Board**

- May 20, 2021, videoconference or teleconference
- August 26, 2021, videoconference or teleconference
- November 18, 2021, videoconference or teleconference

# Important Commission Meeting Procedures Information

## Welcome to a Meeting of the California Fish and Game Commission

This year marks the beginning of the 151st year of operation of the Commission in partnership with the California Department of Fish and Wildlife. Our goal is the preservation of our heritage and conservation of our natural resources through informed decision making; Commission meetings are vital in achieving that goal. In that spirit, we provide the following information to be as effective and efficient toward that end. Welcome and please let us know if you have any questions.

## Persons with Disabilities

Persons with disabilities needing reasonable accommodation to participate in public meetings or other Commission activities are invited to contact the Department's Equal Employment Opportunity (EEO) Office at (916) 653-9089 or [EEO@wildlife.ca.gov](mailto:EEO@wildlife.ca.gov). Accommodation requests for facility and/or meeting accessibility and requests for American Sign Language (ASL) interpreters should be submitted at least two weeks prior to the event. Requests for real-time captioners should be submitted at least four weeks prior to the event. These timeframes are to help ensure that the requested accommodation is met. If a request for an accommodation has been submitted but is no longer needed, please contact the EEO Office immediately.

## Stay Informed

To receive meeting agendas and regulatory notices about those subjects of interest to you, visit the Commission's website, [www.fgc.ca.gov](http://www.fgc.ca.gov), to sign up on our electronic mailing lists.

## Submitting Written Comments

The public is encouraged to comment on any agenda item. Submit written comments by one of the following methods: E-mail to [fgc@fgc.ca.gov](mailto:fgc@fgc.ca.gov); mail to California Fish and Game Commission, P.O. Box 944209, Sacramento, CA 94244-2090; or deliver to California Fish and Game Commission, 1416 Ninth Street, Suite 1320, Sacramento, CA 95814 (you must call at least 24 hours in advance to arrange delivery). Materials provided to the Commission may be made available to the general public.

## Comment Deadlines

The **Comment Deadline** for this meeting is **5:00 p.m. on April 28, 2021**. Written comments received at the Commission office by this deadline will be made available to Commissioners prior to the meeting.

The **Supplemental Comment Deadline** for this meeting is **noon on May 6, 2021**. Comments received by this deadline will be made available to Commissioners at the meeting.

## Petitions for Regulation Change

Any person requesting that the Commission adopt, amend, or repeal a regulation must complete and submit form FGC 1, *Petition to the California Fish and Game Commission for Regulation Change* (as required by Section 662, Title 14, CCR). The form is available at <https://fgc.ca.gov/Regulations/Petition-for-Regulation-Change>. Petitions for regulation change are traditionally held for receipt at regularly-scheduled Commission meetings in February, April, June, August, October and December. Written comments submitted following the April 14, 2021 Commission meeting will be received at the June 16-17, 2021 meeting.

## Non-Regulatory Requests

All non-regulatory requests will follow a two-meeting cycle to ensure proper review and thorough consideration of each item. Written comments are traditionally held for receipt at regularly-scheduled Commission meetings in February, April, June, August, October and December. Written comments submitted following the April 14, 2021 Commission meeting will be received at the June 16-17, 2021 meeting. All requests heard during general public comment at this meeting will be scheduled for consideration at the next regularly-scheduled business meeting.

## Speaking at the Meeting

To speak on an agenda item, please “raise” your hand either through the Zoom function or by pressing \*9 once on your phone when prompted at the beginning of the agenda item.

1. Speakers will be called one at a time; please pay attention to when your name is called.
2. When addressing the Commission, give your name and the name of any organization you represent, and provide your comments on the item under consideration.
3. If there are several speakers with the same concerns, please appoint a spokesperson and avoid repetitive testimony.
4. The presiding commissioner will allot between one and three minutes per speaker per agenda item, subject to the following exceptions:
  - a. Individuals may receive advance approval for additional time to speak if requests for additional time to speak are received by email or delivery to the Commission office by the **Supplemental Comment Deadline**. The president or designee will approve or deny the request no later than 5:00 p.m. two days prior to the meeting.
  - b. An individual requiring an interpreter is entitled to at least twice the allotted time pursuant to Government Code Section 11125.7(c).
  - c. An individual may receive additional time to speak to an agenda item at the request of any commissioner.

## Visual Presentations/Materials

All electronic presentations must be submitted by the **Supplemental Comment Deadline** and approved by the Commission executive director before the meeting.

1. Electronic presentations must be provided by email to [fgc@fgc.ca.gov](mailto:fgc@fgc.ca.gov).
2. All electronic formats must be Windows PC compatible.