

STAFF SUMMARY FOR APRIL 14, 2021

17. WILDLIFE RESOURCES COMMITTEE (WRC)**Today's Item****Information** ☐**Action** ☒

Discuss referred topics and consider revisions to topics and timing. Consider approving draft agenda topics for next WRC meeting.

Summary of Previous/Future Actions

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| • Previous WRC meeting | Jan 12, 2021; WRC, Webinar/Teleconference |
| • Today consider approving agenda topics | Apr 14, 2021; Webinar/Teleconference |
| • Next WRC meeting | May 11, 2021; WRC, Webinar/Teleconference |

Background

WRC works under FGC direction to set and accomplish its work plan.

Committee Work Plan

Topics that have been referred from FGC to WRC are displayed within a work plan to help with scheduling and tracking (Exhibit 1).

Next Committee Meeting

The next meeting is scheduled for May 11, 2021 as a webinar/teleconference. Seven agenda topics are proposed:

- *Periodic rulemakings*: Receive updates and discuss (1) upland game birds, (2) inland sport fishing, (3) mammal hunting, (4) waterfowl hunting, (5) Central Valley sport fishing, and (6) Klamath River basin sport fishing.
- *American Bullfrog and Non-Native Turtle Stakeholder Engagement Project*: Receive an update on the process and progress in completing the project.

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

FGC staff: Approve the draft WRC agenda topics as proposed.

Exhibits

1. [WRC work plan, updated Apr 5, 2021](#)

Motion

Moved by _____ and seconded by _____ that the Commission approves the topics for the May 11, 2021 WRC meeting, as discussed today.

Wildlife Resources Committee (WRC) 2020-1 Work Plan
Scheduled Topics and Timeline for Items Referred to WRC by the California Fish and Game Commission

Updated April 5, 2021

		Sep 2020 Webinar/ Teleconference	Jan 2021 Webinar/ Teleconference	May 2021 Webinar/ Teleconference
Periodic Regulations				
Upland (Resident) Game Bird Hunting	Annual			X
Inland Sport Fishing	Annual	X	X	X
Mammal Hunting	Annual	X/R		X
Waterfowl Hunting	Annual	X/R		X
Central Valley Sport Fishing	Annual	X/R		X
Klamath River Basin Sport Fishing	Annual	X/R		X
Regulations & Legislative Mandates				
Falconry	Referral for Review			
Restricted Species	Regulatory	X	X	
Special Projects				
American Bullfrog and Non-native Turtle Stakeholder Engagement Project	Referral for Review	X	X	X
Wildlife Diseases	Referral for Review	X		
Human-Wildlife Conflict	Information	X	X	

KEY: X Discussion scheduled X/R Recommendation developed and moved to FGC