



2026 Delta Cyanobacterial Harmful Algal Bloom Workshop

March 19, 2026, 9:00 AM – 3:00 PM (bring your lunch!)

California Natural Resources Building
715 P St, Sacramento, CA 95814, Room 2-302A & 2-302B (In-
person only) #deltachabworkshop

Registration: registration link will be sent in February (Delta CHAB Workshop registration is space-limited and separate from IEP Workshop registration)

Event Details:

Please join the Chairs of the Delta Cyanobacterial Harmful Algal Bloom Strategy (Delta CHAB Strategy) Implementation Team for the second annual Delta CHAB Workshop. The goal of the workshop is to implement Recommendation 1.5 of the Delta CHAB Monitoring Strategy: to hold an annual meeting focusing on Delta CHABs. The workshop will focus on CHAB monitoring, fostering a collaborative approach to implementing the Delta CHAB Strategy, and promoting coordination, collaboration, and communication among agency and community partners.

Questions? Email

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Agenda*

- 9:00 **Workshop Introduction and Monitoring Strategy Implementation**
Keith Bouma-Gregson – U.S. Geological Survey – workshop goals
Ellen Preece – CA Department of Water Resources – strategy overview
Laura Twardochleb – State Water Board – progress on strategy implementation
- 10:00 **Policy, Monitoring, Management, Funding Session**
Programmatic updates from agencies and entities: management priorities, monitoring efforts, and funding security related to HABs.
- 11:10 **Break**
- 11:25 **Microcystis Visual Index projects**
Emily Richardson – CA Department of Water Resources
Holly Bowers – Moss Landing Marine Laboratories
Mine Berg – Coastal Conservation and Research
- 12:05 **Data Sharing and Collaboration Session**
Working with CHAB-related data sets, data visualizations, and HABs-related data availability and integration
- 12:45 **Lunch**
Bring your lunch, food will not be provided
- 1:15 **Strategy Implementation Roadmap**
Road map for implementation; small group discussions to provide feedback on implementation priorities and next steps
- 2:25 **Workshop Summary and Next Steps**
- 3:00 **CHAB Workshop Concludes**

*Agenda subject to revisions