

**California Marine Life Protection Act Initiative:
Suggested Timeline and Work Plan for Preparing
the draft Master Plan Framework**

The charge to the Task Force by Secretary Chrisman requires the development of a draft Master Plan Framework, which will include specific programmatic goals and recommendations for the future design, implementation and management of networks of marine protected areas, including necessary monitoring, adaptive management, enforcement, and funding.

Preparation of the Framework should be in accord with the following timeline:

What	Who	When
Prepare suggested table of contents for draft Master Plan Framework	Staff	10/15
Approve suggested table of contents	Task Force	10/24
Gather public comments and information for the draft Master Plan Framework	Staff	10/25–11/12
Prepare draft text of first draft Master Plan Framework	Staff	11/1-12/3
Review draft text	Science Team	Dec mtg
Review draft text	Task Force	Dec mtg
Gather and incorporate public comment on first draft text	Staff	12/3-1/1
Revise draft text	Staff	12/15-1/24
Review revised draft text	Task Force	Jan mtg
Review revised draft text	Science Team	Jan mtg
Gather and incorporate public comments on second draft text	Staff	1/24-2/14
Revise draft text	Staff	2/14-2/28
Consider and approve final draft text	Task Force	March mtg
Forward final draft text to the Department	Staff	March 15