Workshop on the State of the Science on Fish Predation on Salmonids in the Bay-Delta

July 22 and 23, 2013 UC Davis Conference Center

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Monday, July 22, 2013

9AM	Welcome	Gregg Erickson, CA Dept. of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW), IEP Manager
9:15	Introductory Remarks	Carl Wilcox, California Department of Fish and Wildlife;
		Peter Goodwin, Delta Science Program Lead Scientist; and
		Maria Rea, National Marine Fisheries Service
9:30	Panel Introduction	Panel
10:00	Bay Delta System Orientation	1. Hydrodynamics – John DeGeorge, RMA
	(25 minutes each)	2. Operations – Ron Milligan, USBR
		3. Ecological Context – Larry Brown, USGS
		4. State of Salmonids in the Delta – Carl Wilcox, CDFW
12:00	LUNCH - on your own	
1:00	Salmonid Survival and Fish	Fish Predation Studies
	Predation Studies	1. CCF, Head of Old River, & Georgiana Slough - Jacob McQuirk,
	(25 minutes each)	DWR Bay Delta Office
		2. Largemouth Bass - Louise Conrad, DWR Division of Environmental
		Services
		3. Striped Bass Migration - Cynthia LeDoux-Bloom
		Salmonid Survival Studies
		1. Juvenile Salmon Survival - Sean Hayes/Cyril Michel, NMFS
		2. San Joaquin Studies - Rebecca Buchanan, Univ. of Washington
3:30	BREAK	
3:45	Models	1. OBAN - Noble Hendrix, QEDA Consulting, LLC
	(15 minutes each)	2. NMFS Life Cycle Model - Steve Lindley, NMFS
		3. Delta Passage Model - Brad Cavallo, Cramer Fish Sciences
		4. SALSIM – John Shelton, CDFW, Region 4
		5. Bioenergetics – Erik Loboschefsky, DWR, Suisun Marsh Planning
		Questions from panel to follow all the presentations.
5:15	Questions, Comments	Public (from Blue Cards)
5:50	Concluding Remarks, Next steps	Gregg Erickson, CDFW, IEP Manager
6:00	Adjourn	

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morning	Panel meets in private	
12:00 PM	LUNCH	
1:00	Welcome, Review Agenda	Gregg Erickson, CDFW, IEP Manager
1:05	Panel presents initial	Panel
	responses	
3:00	BREAK	
3:15	Questions, Comments	Public (from Blue Cards)
4:00	Adjourn	

Workshop website http://www.dfg.ca.gov/erp/predation.asp

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