

Topic: Reservoir Committee Agenda Item 6-1 2019 November 21

Subject: CDFW 60-day Consultation

Requested Action:

No action requested. Discussion and possible direction to staff regarding consultation discussion with the California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW).

Detailed Description/Background:

The Sites Project staff continue to work through items identified in CDFW's comment letter to the Draft Environmental Impact Report / Environmental Impact Statement. Two additional Technical Team meetings have been held since the October Reservoir Committee and Authority Board meetings. These two meetings focused on how best to represent potential operational parameters in the Calsim modeling. One Executive Team meeting was also held in mid-November.

The Sites Project Team continues working to prepare a revised operations scenario along with a science, adaptive management and mitigation framework that would form the basis of upcoming permit applications.

Prior Reservoir Committee Action:

None.

Fiscal Impact/Funding Source:

None.

Staff Contact:

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Attachments:

None.