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Meeting Documents

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- 1. Consider approving agenda and order of items
- 2. General public comment for items not on the agenda
- 3. <u>Annual private lands wildlife habitat enhancement and management area (PLM)</u> plan (consent)
- 4. Morro manzanita take provision (consent)
- 5. <u>Invasive non-native mussels (including golden, pond, and axe-head mussels) and green crab (consent)</u>
- 6. Application for a restricted species permit amendment (consent)
- 7. Western burrowing owl (consent)
- 8. Regulation change petitions (wildlife and inland fisheries) (consent)
- 9. <u>Non-regulatory requests from previous meetings (wildlife and inland fisheries)</u> (consent)
- 10. Commission executive director and Department reports
 - (A) Commission executive director
 - (B) Department director and Law Enforcement Division
- 11. Committee and Department reports
 - (A) Wildlife Resources Committee
 - (B) <u>Department Wildlife and Fisheries Division, and Department Ecosystem</u>
 <u>Conservation Division</u>

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- 12. Pacific pocket mouse
- 13. Gerry's curly-leaved monardella
- 14. Recreational take of striped bass
- 15. California Waterfowlers Hall of Fame
- 16. Wild trout waters
- 17. <u>State Water Resources Control Board: Providing water for fish and wildlife and their habitats</u>
- 18. Recreational take of rockfish, cabezon, greenling, and lingcod regular rulemaking (consent)
- 19. <u>Donating sport-caught fish (consent)</u>
- 20. Application for a restricted species permit amendment (consent)
- 21. Regulation change petitions (marine) (consent)
- 22. Non-regulatory requests from previous meetings (marine) (consent)
- 23. Committee and Department reports
 - (A) Tribal Committee
 - (B) Marine Resources Committee
 - (C) Department Marine Region
- 24. Commercial coonstripe shrimp fishery regular rulemaking
- 25. Commercial bull kelp harvest restrictions
- 26. Recreational red abalone closure extension
- 27. Commission administrative items
 - (A) Legislative report
 - (B) Rulemaking timetable updates
 - (C) <u>Future meetings and new business</u>
- 28. General public comment for items not on the agenda

Executive Session

Public Receipt of Documents

This section of the agenda highlights reports or other significant documents received by the Commission since the previous meeting. Any Commission discussion or action on these documents will be noticed and placed on the agenda of a future meeting. Since June 14, 2025, the Commission has received two documents:

Petitions from John C. Hunter, Ph.D. to list 19 plants under the California Endangered Species Act:

- 1. Abbott's bushmallow (Malacothamnus abbottii) list as endangered
- 2. Alkali-sink goldfields (Lasthenia chrysantha) list as threatened
- 3. Bearded popcornflower (*Plagiobothrys hystriculus*) list as threatened
- 4. California beaked-rush (Rhynchospora californica) list as endangered
- 5. Carquinez goldenbush (Isocoma arguta) list as threatened
- 6. Diamond-petaled California poppy (Eschscholzia rhombipetala) list as endangered
- 7. Ferris' milkvetch (Astragalus tener var. ferrisiae) list as endangered
- 8. Guggolz's harmonia (Harmonia guggolziorum) list as endangered
- 9. Legenere (Legenere limosa) list as threatened
- 10. Lesser saltscale (Atriplex minuscula) list as threatened
- 11. Lime Ridge navarretia (Navarretia gowenii) list as threatened
- 12. Mount Burdell jewelflower (Streptanthus anomalus) list as endangered
- 13. Pajaro manzanita (Arctostaphylos pajaroensis) list as threatened
- 14. Red Bluff dwarf rush (Juncus leiospermus var. leiospermus) list as threatened
- 15. Rincon Ridge ceanothus (Ceanothus confusus) list as threatened
- 16. Shasta orthocarpus (Orthocarpus pachystachyus) list as endangered
- 17. Slough thistle (Cirsium crassicaule) list as endangered
- 18. Small pincushion navarretia (Navarretia myersii ssp. deminuta) list as endangered
- 19. Veiny monardella (*Monardella venosa*) list as endangered

Additional information about the 19 petitions are available at https://fgc.ca.gov/CESA under "Active Petitions."

- 20. Department's status review report for the petition to list Bear Lake buckwheat (*Eriogonum microtheca var. larcus-ursi*) as endangered under the California Endangered Species Act; consideration of whether the petitioned action may be warranted is scheduled for December 2025. Additional information about the petition is available on the Commission's website at https://fgc.ca.gov/CESA under "Active Petitions."
- 21. A petition from the Center for Biological Diversity to list Bendire's thrasher (*Toxostoma bendirei*) and LeConte's thrasher (*Toxostoma lecontei*) as threatened or endangered

- under the California Endangered Species Act. Additional information about the petition is available at https://fgc.ca.gov/CESA under "Active Petitions."
- 22. Department's "White Seabass Fishery Management Plan 2023-2024 Annual Review" report. (Pursuant to Section 5.9, White Seabass Fishery Management Plan)
- 23. A petition from the Center for Biological Diversity to list the northern and southern populations of western spadefoot (*Spea hammondii*) as threatened or endangered under the California Endangered Species Act. Additional information about the petition is available at https://fgc.ca.gov/CESA under "Active Petitions."