

COMMITTEE STAFF SUMMARY FOR MAY 18, 2016

8. FUTURE TOPICS**Today's Item****Information** ☒**Direction** ☒

Review upcoming agenda items scheduled for the next and future WRC meetings, hear requests from DFW and interested stakeholders for future agenda items, and identify new items for consideration.

Summary of Previous/Future Actions

- FGC approves draft Sep WRC topics Aug 24-25, 2016; Folsom
- Next WRC meeting Sep 21, 2016; WRC Sacramento

Background

Committee topics are referred by FGC and scheduled as appropriate. FGC-referred topics and draft schedule are shown in Exhibit 1. WRC agendas currently include several complex and time-intensive topics. The committee has placed emphasis on issues of imminent regulatory importance, and thus consideration of new topics will require planning relative to existing committee workload.

Agenda topics identified for the Sep 2016 WRC meeting include:

1. Annual Game Regulations
 - Upland game birds
 - Mammal hunting
 - Waterfowl hunting
 - Klamath River sport fishing
2. Wild pig management
3. Predator Policy Workgroup

Other potential topics for Sep 2016 or Jan 2017 WRC meetings include:

1. Possession of game for processing into food rulemaking
2. Lead ban implementation

Significant Public Comments (N/A)**Recommendation**

Review draft WRC work plan schedule (Exhibit 1) and current rulemaking calendar (Exhibit 2), consider updates to scheduling of recommended projects, and consider whether any potential new topics could be added to or replace existing topics; decide whether to request FGC refer any new topics for Committee evaluation.

Exhibits

1. [WRC 2016 Work Plan, updated Apr 2016](#)
2. [Perpetual Timetable for FGC Anticipated Regulatory Actions, updated May 05, 2016](#)

Committee Direction/Recommendation (N/A)

Wildlife Resources Committee (WRC) 2016-2017 Draft Work Plan: Schedule topics and timeline for items referred to WRC (Updated for April 13-14, 2016 FGC meeting)

Topic	Type of Topic	2016			2017		
		JAN Cancelled	MAY (Sacto)	SEP (Sacto)	JAN (Sacto)	MAY (Sacto)	SEP (Sacto)
Annual Game Regulations							
Upland Game Birds	Annual	X / R		X	X / R		
Sport Fish	Annual	X	X / R		X	X / R	
Mammals	Annual		X	X / R		X	X / R
Waterfowl	Annual		X	X / R		X	X / R
Central Valley Salmon	Annual					X	X / R
Klamath River Sport Fish	Annual		X	X / R		X	X / R
Regulations & Legislative Mandates							
Possession of game for processing into food (Sec. 3080(e), Fish and Game Code)	Referral for review	X			X	X / R	
Emerging Management Issues							
Lead Ban Implementation	DFW project				X	X	X
Wild Pig Management	Potential WRC special project		X	X	X / R		
Special Projects							
Predator Policy Workgroup	WRC workgroup		X	X	X	X / R	

KEY X Discussion scheduled R Recommendation developed and moved to FGC

PERPETUAL TIMETABLE FOR CALIFORNIA FISH AND GAME COMMISSION ANTICIPATED REGULATORY ACTIONS

Updated: 05/05/16

For FGC Staff use.				REGULATORY CHANGE CATEGORY	ACTION DATE, TYPE AND LOCATION	2016										2017			
						MAY 18	JUN 21	JUN 22	JUN 23	JUL 21	AUG 24	AUG 25	SEP 21	OCT 19	OCT 20	NOV 17	DEC 7	DEC 8	JAN ?
QTRLY EFFECTIVE	DFW RU ANALYST	FGC ANALYST	LEAD		File Notice w/OAL by Notice Published	WRC WEST SACRAMENTO	TRIBAL COMMITTEE BAKERSFIELD	FGC BAKERSFIELD	MRC PETALUMA	FGC FOLSOM	WRC WOODLAND	FGC TBD	MRC IRVINE	FGC SAN DIEGO	WRC TBD	FGC TBD	TELECONFERENCE	MRC TBD	
								4/26/16 5/6/16		6/28/16 7/8/16		8/11/15 8/21/15		10/13/15 10/23/15		TBD TBD	TBD	TBD	
				Title 14 Section(s)															
	SB	JS	FB	SPORT FISH	1.05 et al.	R				N				A				E 3/1	
	SB	SF	MR	PACIFIC HALIBUT SPORT FISHING	28.20	E 5/1								N				D	
	SB	SF	MR	OCEAN SALMON SPORT FISHING (PHASE I)	27.80(c)									N				D	A
	SB	SF	MR	OCEAN SALMON SPORT FISHING (PHASE II)	27.80(d)	E 5/1								N				D	
	SB	SF	FB	KLAMATH RIVER SPORT FISHING	7.50(b)(91.1)	V			E 8/1					N				D	
*		ST	OGC	TRICOLORED BLACKBIRD - 2084 EMERGENCY	749				180 Days Expires 8/9/16										
	SB	ST	FB	UPPER SACRAMENTO RIVER EMERGENCY	7.50(b)(156.5)				180 Days Expires 8/9/16										
	MR	JS	FB	CENTRAL VALLEY SALMON SPORT FISHING	7.50(b)				E 8/1					N				D	
	MR	JS	WLB	MAMMAL HUNTING 2016-2017	265 et al.	V			E 7/1					N				D	
	SB	JS	FB	FISHERIES AT RISK EM 1ST 90 DAY EXTENSION	8.01														
	SB	JS	FB	FISHERIES AT RISK EM 2ND 90 DAY EXTENSION	8.01				90 Day Ext. Expires 6/29										
	SB	JS	FB	FISHERIES AT RISK REGULAR RULEMAKING	8.01				Effective NLT 6/28/2016										
	MR	JS	WLB	WATERFOWL	502				E 7/1					N				D	
*	MR	CW	MR	ELECTRONIC REPORT OF MARINE LOGBOOKS	190				E 7/1										
*	MR	ST	MR	COMMERCIAL SEA URCHIN (PHASE I)	120.7				E 7/1										
*		SF	FGC	COMMISSION MEETING PROCEDURES	665						E 10/1								
*	SB	ST	MR	SPINY LOBSTER, SPORT AND COMMERCIAL	29.80 et al.						E 10/1								
*	SB	CW	WLB	NONLEAD AMMUNITION COUPON PROGRAM	250.2						E 10/1								
	SB	JS	LED	TIDAL WATERS SF/SAN PABLO BAY	1.53 27.00 28.65(a)													E 1/1	
*	SB	CW	WLB	DFW LANDS PASS	550 et al.													E 1/1	
	MR	CW	WLB	UPLAND (RESIDENT) GAME BIRD	300, 311, 745.5						E 9/1, V							R	
*	SB	SF	MR	COMMERCIAL HAGFISH BARREL TRAPS	180.6(b)													E 1/1	
*		CW	OGC	CONFLICT OF INTEREST CODE	782													E 1/1	
*	MR	JS	WLB	FALCONRY CLEAN-UP	670													E 1/1	
*	MR	CW	WLB	NONGAME ANIMALS - GENERAL PROVISIONS	472													E 1/1	
*	MR	CW	LED	UPLAND GAME BIRD SPECIAL HUNT DRAWING	TBD (new)													E 1/1	
	MR	SF	MR	RECREATIONAL GROUND FISH	27.20 et al.													E 1/1	
*	SB	CW	LED	ENHANCE PENALTIES FOR GAME ILLEGAL TAKE	715 (new)	V												E 1/1	
	MR	JS	WLB	BIG GAME TAG QUOTA REPORTING PROCESS	360, 361, 362, 363, 364														E 4/1
*			MR	KELP AND ALGAE HARVEST MANAGEMENT	165, 165.5, 704														
*	MR	SF	MR	PACIFIC HALIBUT SPORT CONFORM PROCESS [2016]	28.20														
*			MR	COMMERCIAL SEA CUCUMBER [2016]	128														
*		ST	MR	COMMERCIAL SEA URCHIN (PHASE II) [TBD]	120.7														
*				POSSESS GAME / PROCESS INTO FOOD [TBD]	TBD														
*			OGC	AZA/ZAA [TBD]	671.1														

EM = Emergency, E = Anticipated Effective Date (RED = expedited review), N = Notice Hearing, D = Discussion Hearing, A = Adoption Hearing, V = Vetting, R = Committee Recommendation, WRC = Wildlife Resources Committee, MRC = Marine Resources Committee