

## STAFF SUMMARY FOR OCTOBER 19-20, 2016

**33B. FUTURE MEETINGS – REGULATIONS PERPETUAL TIMETABLE****Today's Item**Information Action 

Review and acknowledge requested changes to the perpetual timetable for anticipated regulatory actions.

**Summary of Previous/Future Actions (N/A)****Background**

FGC maintains a perpetual timetable for anticipated FGC regulatory actions. At each FGC meeting, staff provides the latest approved timetable along with any requests for changes (Exhibit B1). FGC changes reflected in this exhibit include:

- moving the adoption hearing for Central Valley Salmon from the Apr 26-27, 2017 meeting to the Apr 13, 2017 teleconference, where other PFMC-related salmon rulemakings will be considered;
- scheduling rulemaking for GPS Collars for Dogs, consistent with FGC direction from the Aug 2016 meeting;
- updating the effective date for Upland Game due to delays in completing the FSOR; and
- moving adoption of Enhanced Penalties from the Oct 19-20, 2016 meeting to the Dec 8-9, 2016 meeting, to allow for a full 45 day public review process following the publication of Notice on Sep 30, 2016.

DFW submitted a memo to FGC requesting changes to the FGC timetable for anticipated regulatory actions; requested changes to the rulemaking calendar identified by DFW are included in Exhibit B2.

This item is created to ensure additional rulemaking schedule changes identified during the meeting are also captured.

**Recommendation**

Provide direction on the scheduling of any proposed rulemaking schedule changes identified by staff verbally during the meeting.

**Exhibits**

- B1. [Amended timetable for anticipated regulatory actions, updated Oct 7, 2016](#)  
 B2. [DFW memo request for change to FGC timetable, received Oct 5, 2016](#)

**Motion/Direction**

Moved by \_\_\_\_\_ and seconded by \_\_\_\_\_ that the Commission approves the proposed amendments to the rulemaking calendar.

# PERPETUAL TIMETABLE FOR CALIFORNIA FISH AND GAME COMMISSION ANTICIPATED REGULATORY ACTIONS

(Dates shown reflect the date intended for the subject regulatory action.)

Updated: 10/07/16

ITEMS PROPOSED FOR CHANGE ARE SHOWN IN **BLUE**

For FGC Staff Use				REGULATORY CHANGE CATEGORY	ACTION DATE, TYPE AND LOCATION	2016				2017														
						SEP 21	OCT 19	NOV 17	DEC 7	JAN 18	FEB 7	FEB 8	MAR 15	MAR 23	APR 13	APR 26	MAY 24	JUN 20	JUN 21	JUL 20	AUG 16	SEP 13	OCT 11	
QUARTERLY EFFECTIVE	DFW RU ANALYST	FGC ANALYST	LEAD			WRC WOODLAND	FGC EUREKA	MRC SACRAMENTO	FGC SAN DIEGO	WRC REDDING	TC SANTA ROSA	FGC SANTA ROSA	FGC TELECONFERENCE	MRC SAN CLEMENTE/OCEANSIDE	FGC TELECONFERENCE	FGC LOS ANGELES	WRC SACRAMENTO	TC FORTUNA	FGC FORTUNA	MRC PETALUMA	FGC SACRAMENTO	WRC RIVERSIDE	FGC VENTURA	
							8/11/15		10/13/15			12/13/16	01/17/17		02/14/17	02/28/17				04/25/17		06/20/17		8/16/15
							8/21/15		10/23/15			12/23/16	01/27/17		02/24/17	03/10/17				05/05/17		06/30/17		8/26/15

**Title 14 Section(s)**

SB JS FB	SPORT FISHING (2017 season)	1.05 et al.			D			A	V				E 3/1				R					N			D
MR SF MR	RECREATIONAL GROUND FISH (2017 season)	27.20 et al.			D			A	E 1/1																
<b>CM JS FGC</b>	<b>GPS COLLARS FOR DOGS</b>	<b>265</b>			<b>N</b>			<b>D</b>				<b>A</b>			<b>E 4/1</b>										
SB CW FB	KLAMATH RIVER SPORT FISHING (2017 season)	7.50(b)(91.1)	R					N				D			A				V			E 8/1	R		
MR CW FB	CENTRAL VALLEY SALMON SPORT FISHING (2017 season)	7.50(b)						N				D			A							E 8/1			
SB CW MR	OCEAN SALMON SPORT FISHING (PHASE I) (2017 season)	27.80(c)						N				D	A		E 4/1										
SB CW MR	OCEAN SALMON SPORT FISHING (PHASE II) (2017 season)	27.80(d)						N				D			A			E 5/1							
SB SF MR	PACIFIC HALIBUT SPORT FISHING (2017 season)	28.20						N				D			A			E 5/1							
MR JS WLB	MAMMAL HUNTING (2017-2018 season)	265 et al.	R					N				D			A	V					E 7/1	R			
<b>MR JS WLB</b>	<b>DEER TAG REPORTING REQUIREMENTS</b>	<b>708.5</b>						<b>N</b>				<b>D</b>			<b>A</b>						<b>E 7/1</b>				
MR JS WLB	WATERFOWL (2017-2018 season)	502	R					N				D			A	V					E 7/1	R			
MR CW WLB	UPLAND (RESIDENT) GAME BIRD (2017-2018 season)	300, 311, 745.5	E 9/1					E 11/11		R		N			D				A				E 9/1		
ST MR	RAZOR CLAM EMERGENCY - 180 DAY E 4/26	29.45						EE10/25																	
ST MR	RECREATIONAL CRAB FISH - 90 DAY E 8/1							EE10/30																	
* ST	TRICOLORED BLACKBIRD - 2084 EMERGENCY	749	EE 9/6																						
* SF	COMMISSION MEETING PROCEDURES	665			E 10/1																				
* SB ST	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																
* CW	CONFLICT OF INTEREST CODE	782.1			D/A				E 1/1																
* MR SF MR	COMMERCIAL HAGFISH BARREL TRAPS	180.6(b)							E 1/1																
* MR CW WLB	NONGAME ANIMALS - GENERAL PROVISIONS	472			A				E 1/1																
* MR CW LED	UPLAND GAME BIRD SPECIAL HUNT DRAWING	702, 715 (new)			A				E 1/1						E 4/1										
ST SF FGC	TRIBAL TAKE IN MPAs	632			D			A							E 4/1										
* SB CW LED	ENHANCE PENALTIES FOR GAME ILLEGAL TAKE	748.6 (new)			A			A							E 4/1										
* MR JS WLB	FALCONRY CLEAN-UP	670			D			A							E 4/1										
* FB	COMMERCIAL TAKE OF RATTLESNAKES	TBD													N							D/A			
MR JS WLB	BIG GAME TAG QUOTA REPORTING PROCESS (2018-2019 season)	360, 361, 362, 363, 364																		N		D		A	
* MR	COMMERCIAL FISHERIES ELECTRONIC REPORTING	TBD																		N				D/A	
* MR	KELP AND ALGAE HARVEST MANAGEMENT	165, 165.5, 704						V																	
* MR	COMMERCIAL SEA CUCUMBER [2016]	128												V											
* ST MR	COMMERCIAL SEA URCHIN (PHASE II) [TBD]	120.7																							
* MR	POSSESS GAME / PROCESS INTO FOOD [TBD]	TBD																							
* OGC	AZA/ZAA [TBD]	671.1																							

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

State of California  
Department of Fish and Wildlife

## Memorandum

Date: October 6, 2016

To: Valerie Termini, Executive Director  
Fish and Game Commission

From: Charlton H. Bonham  
Director



Subject: **Request for change to the Fish and Game Commission's Timetable for Anticipated Regulatory Actions**

The Department of Fish and Wildlife requests the following schedule changes to the Fish and Game Commission's (Commission's) 2016-17 regulatory timetable:

- Add a proposed rulemaking to amend the deer tag reporting requirements in Section 708.5. The proposed amendments are necessary to remove the option to report in person and to clarify that tags reported by mail but not received by the Department are considered not reported. The current report card does not include provisions for in person reporting and hunters reporting by mail need to understand that the responsibility of ensuring that report cards are delivered by the reporting deadline falls on them. The notice hearing should be scheduled for the December 2016 meeting, with discussion and adoption scheduled for the February 2017 and April 2017 meetings, respectively. This schedule is needed for the regulations to be in effect when hunters begin applying for tags in 2017.
- Add a proposed rulemaking for Electronic Reporting of Commercial Fishery Landings. The transition to electronic landing reports is needed for consistency with the federal *E-Tix* system. The notice hearing should be scheduled for the June 2017 meeting, with discussion/adoption scheduled for the October 2017 meeting. Marine Region staff will conduct pre-notice outreach this fall and winter in preparation for the proposed rulemaking.
- Add a proposed rulemaking for Commercial Take of Rattlesnakes in response to Petition No. 2015-004. The Commission accepted the Department's recommendation to proceed with the rulemaking at its August 25, 2016 meeting. The notice hearing should be scheduled for the April 2017 meeting with discussion/adoption scheduled for the August 2017 meeting.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact Regulations Unit Manager, Craig Martz at (916) 653-4674 or by email at [Craig.Martz@wildlife.ca.gov](mailto:Craig.Martz@wildlife.ca.gov).

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