

Proposed Schedule to Finalize CV-SALTS Policy Documents and Incorporate into SNMP¹

Activity	Key Steps	Complete By:
Finalize the following policies: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Exceptions • Offsets • Secondary Maximum Contaminant Levels • Drought and Water Conservation 	Request for final comments on Public Workshop version of each document	July 8
	Submit specific written comments with recommendations for alternative language	July 22
	Small Workgroup to make final revisions; identify any remaining significant issues (matrix with alternatives identified)	August 5
	Approval of final policies (including decisions on alternatives ²)	August 11 Executive Committee Policy meeting
Finalize the following policies: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Nitrate Permitting Strategy (NPS) • Salinity Permitting Strategy (SPS) • AGR Policy (AGR) • Management Zone Policy (MZ) 	Request for comment on each document ³	July 14
	Submit specific written comments with recommendations for alternative language	July 29
	Small Workgroup meeting focused only on draft Salinity Permitting Strategy	July 21
	Salinity Permitting Strategy discussion	August 1 Executive Committee Policy Meeting
	Small Workgroup meeting to collectively discuss NPS, SPS and MZ documents, in part to ensure consistency. Identify any remaining significant issues (matrix with alternatives identified)	August 3 (tentative)
	Approval of final policies (including decisions on alternatives ³)	August 11 Executive Committee Policy Meeting
Revised SNMP Implementation Section	Based on outcome of August 11 decisions, revise the implementation section of the SNMP for discussion	September 15 Executive Committee Policy meeting

¹ The tight timeline is necessary to meet the schedule for the preparation of the CEQA, Economics, and Antidegradation Analyses to support the SNMP.

² Where there are clear alternatives identified for a particular issue a decision will be made whether to retain the alternative (s) for consideration in the CEQA/Economics analyses.

³ Comments will be requested on the Public Workshop version of the NPS, AGR and MZ documents. A document will be attached to the request that identifies any comments already received on the NPS and MZ documents during the June Policy meetings. Any such comments will be considered as part of the revision process. The SPS document is currently in preparation and is based on the salinity management overview presented during the Workshop.