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## **RMP** Technical Review Committee Meeting

October 3rd, 2006 San Francisco Estuary Institute Second Floor Conference Room 7770 Pardee Lane, Oakland 10:00am-3:00pm

Lunch will be provided. We will take a short break and then keep working through lunch.

1.	Introductions and Approval of Agenda and Minutes (Attachment)	10:00
		Chair
2.	Information: Steering Committee Report (Attachment)	10:15
		Meg Sedlak
3.	Information: Summary of Outcomes of September 19 Status and	10:30
	Trends Redesign Meeting (Attachment)	Meg Sedlak
		Jay Davis
4.	Information: Discussion of Episodic Toxicity for 2007	11:00
	A plan for sampling the Bay to characterize toxicity in the estuary will be	Meg Sedlak
	presented.	Sarah Lowe
		Brian Anderson
5.	Discussion: Program Plan for 2007	11:40
	The Program elements for 2007 will be presented and discussed.	Meg Sedlak
	<b>Desired Outcome:</b> Approval of Program elements for 2007	Jay Davis
	BREAK	12:15
6.	Action: \$20K Remaining in 2007 Pilot Studies and Special Studies	12:40
	Approximately \$20,000 of the 2007 Pilot Studies and Special Studies	Meg Sedlak
	remains unallocated. Based on a survey of TRC members, the committee	
	was divided on whether to fund a portion of a food web study or to retain	
	the money for contingency purposes. The funding could also be used to	
	fund the Mercury Deposition Network (MDN) study for 2007.	
7.	Discussion: Long-term Plan for Guadalupe River (Handout)	1:10
	Lester McKee will discuss long-term sampling needs for the Guadalupe	Lester McKee
	river including the need to sample Guadalupe during large storm events to	
	determine mercury loads to the Bay.	
	<b>Recommendation:</b> Consider funding the Guadalupe study in 2011	
8.	Information: Annual Meeting Feedback (Attachment)	1:30
	A summary of the comments on the Annual Meeting will be presented.	Meg Sedlak
	TRC members will be queried for comments/improvements.	

## **DRAFT AGENDA**

9.	Information: Update on Sediment Core Study	2:00
	The CEP/RMP coring project has sampled 11 Bay sites to date and will	Don Yee
	sample 6 sites in the wetlands. Some of the cores have been radio-dated.	
10.	Information: Mercury Air Emission – Trends in the South Bay	2:15
	USEPA mobile lab has analyzed air samples for mercury in the South Bay.	Don Yee
	Some areas show diurnal fluctuation suggestive of vehicular emissions;	
	further study will be necessary to support this hypothesis.	
11.	Information: Program Update (Attachment/Handout)	2:45
	Updated deliverables scorecard and a discussion of activities undertaken by	Meg Sedlak
	the workgroups will be presented.	_
12.	Action: Set agenda and date for next meeting	3:00
		Chair
13.	Adjourn	