## San Francisco Estuary Institute





## RMP Technical Review Committee Meeting December 9<sup>th</sup>, 2008

December 9<sup>th</sup>, 2008 San Francisco Estuary Institute First Floor Conference Room 7770 Pardee Lane, Oakland 10:00 am - 4:00 pm

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

## **AGENDA**

1.	Introductions and Approval of Agenda and Minutes (Attachment)	10:00
		Bridgette
		DeShields
2.	Information: Steering Committee Report (Handout)	10:10
		Meg Sedlak
3.	Information: Annual Meeting and 2009 Pulse (Handout/attachment)	10:20
	A summary of the annual meeting surveys will be given. The program	Jay Davis/ Meg
	and the date for the next Annual Meeting will be discussed. An outline	Sedlak
	and tentative schedule for the 2009 Pulse will be presented.	
4.	Action: Planning Update	10:50
	A request was made for stakeholder statements of information needs to	Jay Davis
	be included in the Master Plan. Responses were requested by December	
	22. Progress in preparing these statements will be described by	
	Committee members. An update on progress in developing strategies for	
	high priority topics will be presented.	
	<b>Desired Outcome:</b> Update on progress and group discussion of needs.	
<b>5.</b>	Action: Dioxin QAPP (Handout)	11:20
	As part of the dioxin work scheduled for 2009, a dioxin QAPP will need	Don Yee
	to be developed to evaluate the dioxin results. The scope of the QAPP	
	needs to be articulated.	
	<b>Desired Outcome:</b> Input on the scope of the QAPP	

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	Lunch Break	11:45
6.	Action: Joint meeting of CTAG and TRC (Attachment)	12:10
	The Southern California Coastal Water Research Project conducts	Meg Sedlak
	similar work to the RMP. SCCWRP has suggested that a one-day	
	meeting of the technical advisory groups be held to coordinate activities	
	on a variety of issues of mutual concern.	
	<b>Desired Outcome:</b> Agreement on whether to participate, identify	
	potential dates and topics.	
7.	2008 Highlights and 2009 Workplan (Attachment)	12:25
	Highlights from 2008 and plans for 2009 will be summarized.	Meg Sedlak
	<b>Desired Outcome:</b> Provide feedback and approval of the 2009 Draft	
	Detailed Workplan.	
7a.	Strategies	12:35
	<ul> <li>Contaminant Fate workgroup / Hg Strategy and Modeling</li> </ul>	Jay Davis
	Strategy	-
	<ul> <li>Sources Pathways and Loading workgroup / Small</li> </ul>	
	Tributary Strategy	
7b.	Data Management (Handout)	12:55
		Cristina Grosso
7c.	Web Site	1:05
	Annual Monitoring Results	John Oram
7d.	Information Dissemination	1:15
	Newsletter plan	Jen Hunt
7e.	• QA	1:25
	o QAPP	Don Yee/
	<ul> <li>Specimen Banking</li> </ul>	Susan
	o Pesticide (whole water to column)	Klosterhaus
	o Copper	
7f.	Data Integration (Attachment)	1:55
	Options include:	Jay Davis
	o Improved Linkage Analysis for PCBs and Dioxins	
	<ul> <li>Development of a Bay Margin Model: Phase I</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>Conceptual Model for Sediment Transport in the Bay</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>Improving Sediment Assessment Tools</li> </ul>	
7g.	Status and Trends	2:25
	<ul> <li>S&amp;T sampling (no wet weather for 2009)</li> </ul>	Meg Sedlak/
	<ul> <li>Water: PAH results, other aspects</li> </ul>	Jay Davis
	<ul> <li>Sediment Chemistry and Toxicity</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>Causes of Sediment Toxicity (recommendation from</li> </ul>	
	toxicity workgroup)	
	<ul> <li>Sport Fish (latest sampling plan and coordination with</li> </ul>	
	SWAMP)	
	o Zone 4	
	o Bird Eggs	
7h.	Coring Project	2:55 Don Yee

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7i	Special Studies	3:20
	o PAH in juvenile flatfish	Meg Sedlak
	<ul> <li>Hg in terns</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>White paper</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>Sources of PFCs</li> </ul>	
7j	Special Studies	3:30
	Remote Sensing	John Oram
	<ul> <li>Guadalupe Model</li> </ul>	
8.	Action: Set Date for Next Meeting	3:45
		Chair
	Adjourn	4:00

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