

# Exhibit B

Information presented to DWR

# NOTES:

Meeting on 2/1/2021

DWR participants:

- Kristopher Tjernell (Deputy Director of DWR)
- Bonnie Irving (Project manager)
- Charlotte Biggs (Program manager)

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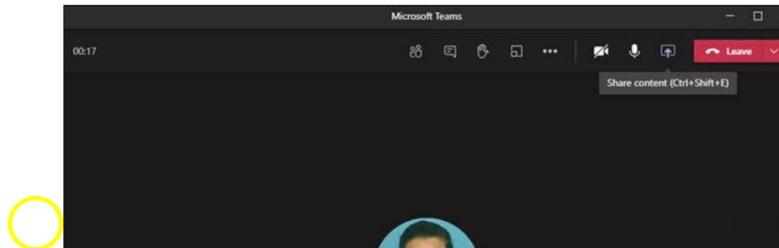
Avila, Andria@DWR <Andria.Avila@water.ca.gov>

to me, [REDACTED]

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## Andria Avila

Executive Assistant to  
Gary Lippner, Deputy Director  
Flood Management and Dam Safety  
and  
Kristopher A. Tjernell, Deputy Director  
Integrated Watershed Management

[REDACTED]@water.ca.gov

*currently teleworking remotely. Email is the best way to reach me. Stay healthy, stay safe!*

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**Sent:** Wednesday, February 3, 2021 2:07 PM  
**To:** Avila, Andria@DWR [REDACTED]  
**Cc:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** Re: Liberty Island Public Access

Andria Avila,

...

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Thank you!

- Taylor Dahlke

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Tjernell, Kristopher@DWR <[REDACTED]@water.ca.gov>  
to Bonnie@DWR, [REDACTED], me, [REDACTED]

Feb 1, 2021, 12:14 PM ☆ ↶ ⋮



## Liberty Island Public Access Impacts

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**When** Thu Feb 4, 2021 2pm – 3pm (PST)

**Where** Microsoft Teams Meeting - tel:+19165732034,,527497896#

**Who** [REDACTED] Irving, Bonnie@DWR, [REDACTED], Tjernell, Kristopher@DWR\*

## Agenda

Thu Feb 4, 2021

*No earlier events*

2pm Liberty Island Public Access Impacts

*No later events*

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Taylor Dahlke, 2/1/2021

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Recreational use is significant

Slough, Slough Slough, 1/11/2021

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Recreational use is significant

Slough, Slough Slough, 1/11/2021

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Recreational use is significant

Considerable recreational trails to provide access for Round Bay Regional Open Space

Slough, Slough Slough, 1/11/2021

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Not a "local" spot but a regional destination

Please include current uses along with proposed changes

Slough, Slough Slough, 1/11/2021

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Considerable recreational traffic to picnic spots like Roundtable Hills Regional Open Space  
Shag Slough Bridge, 12/19/2020

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Place includes several areas along the riverbank  
About 40 to 50 mi radius

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Commuter and recreation traffic to picnic spots like Roundtable Hills Regional Open Space.

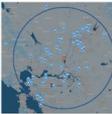
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Not a "local" spot but a regional destination

Place includes several areas along the riverbank.

About 10 to 15 miles



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Comparable recreation traffic to popular spots like Rockville Hills Regional Open Space.

Shag Slough Bridge, 12/19/2020

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Not a "local" spot but a regional destination

Place includes convenient access along major roadways.

About 60 to 80 mi radius.

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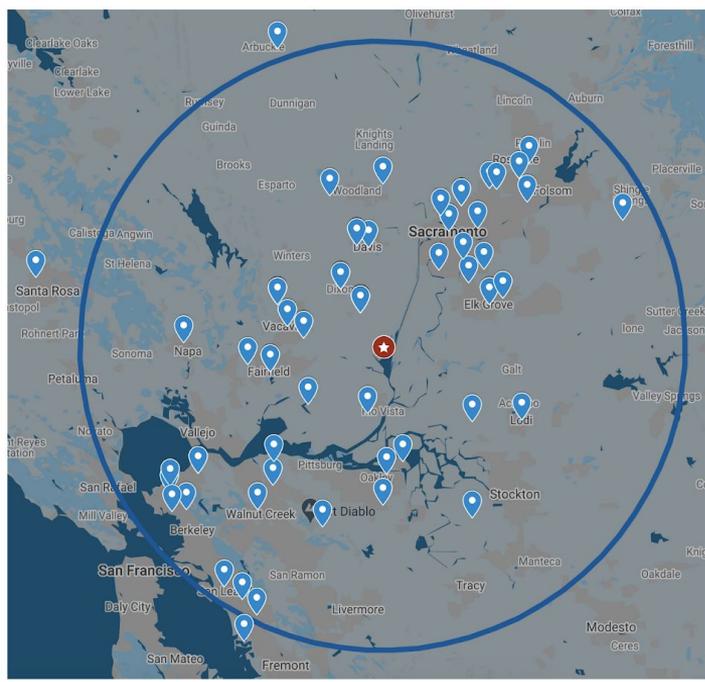
Liberty Island Ecological Reserve is unique

- Closest to new Type C wildlife access with land access near Bay Area
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# Not a "local" spot but a regional destination

Pins indicate surveyed users approx residence location.

Blue circle is 50 mi radius



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Recreational use is significant

Compared to recreational trails in adjacent areas like Fossilville Hills Regional Open Space.

Slough Bridge Slough, 1/11/2021

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Not a "local" spot but a regional destination

Plus multiple launch areas along the river.

Slough Bridge Slough, 1/11/2021

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# Liberty Island Ecological Reserve is unique

- One of few **Type C** wildlife areas with land access near Bay area.
- Open 7 days a week for hunting
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- One of few public access points to the North Delta.

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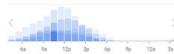
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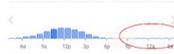
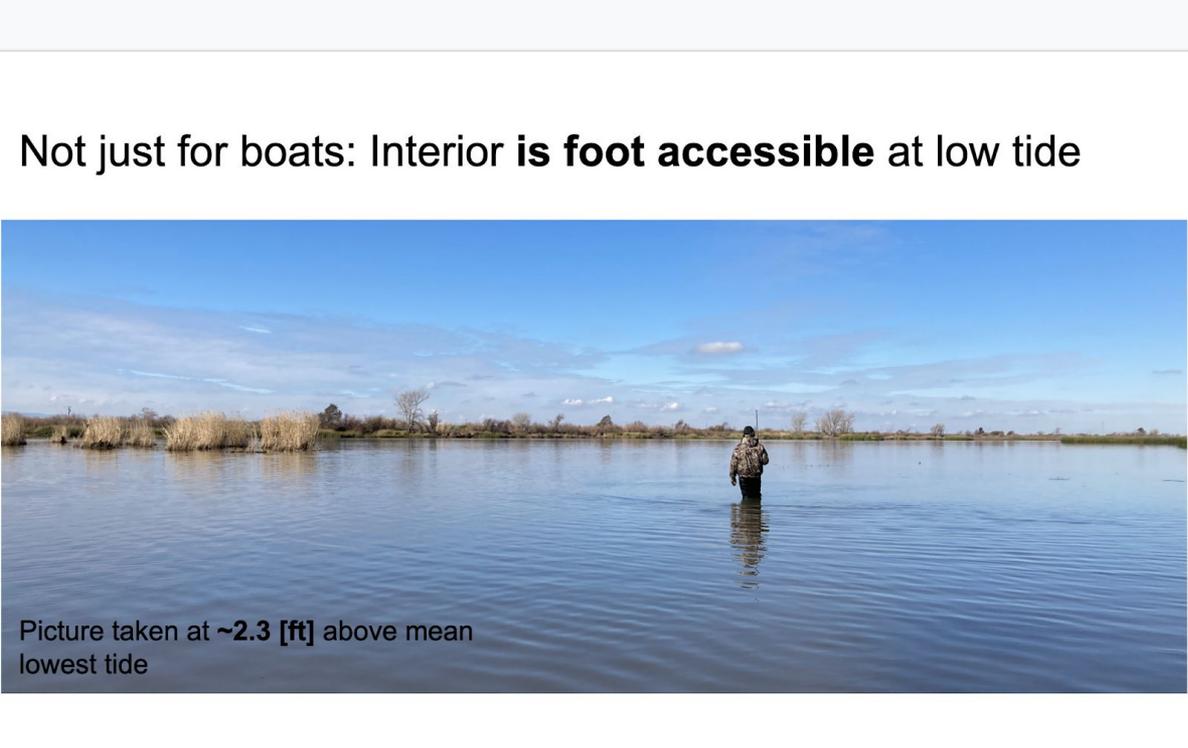


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Not just a fishing spot

88% of users surveyed said the reasons other than just fishing.



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Multi-benefit recreation site

87% of users surveyed participate in 3 or more recreational activities at Liberty Island Ecological Reserve.



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(Shag Slough bridge area only)

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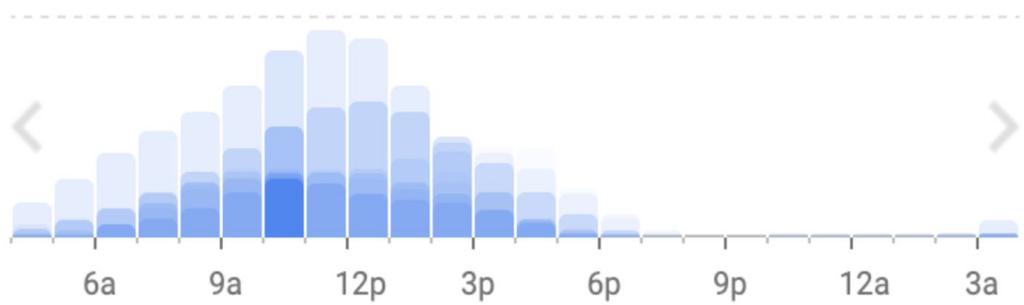
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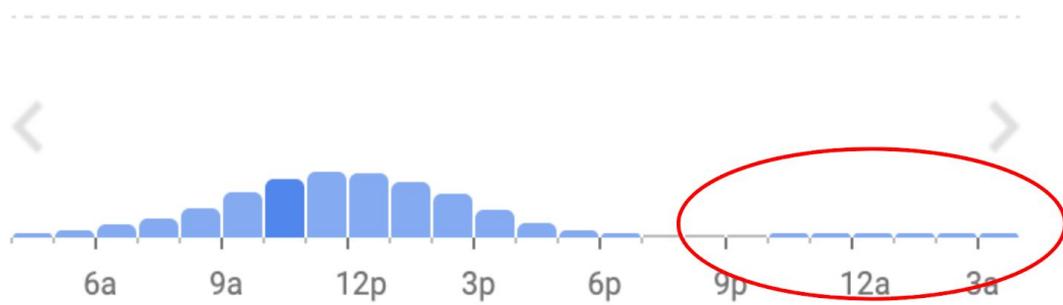
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Not just a fishing spot

66% of users surveyed visit for reasons other than just fishing.

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Multi-benefit recreation site

67% of users surveyed participate in 3 or more recreational activities at Liberty Island Ecological Reserve.

# Not just a fishing spot

66% of users surveyed visit for reasons other than just fishing.

● Just fishing users ● Multi-purpose users

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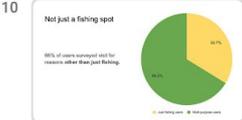
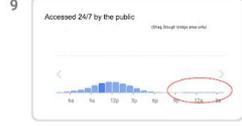
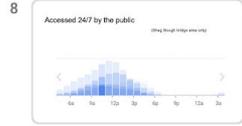


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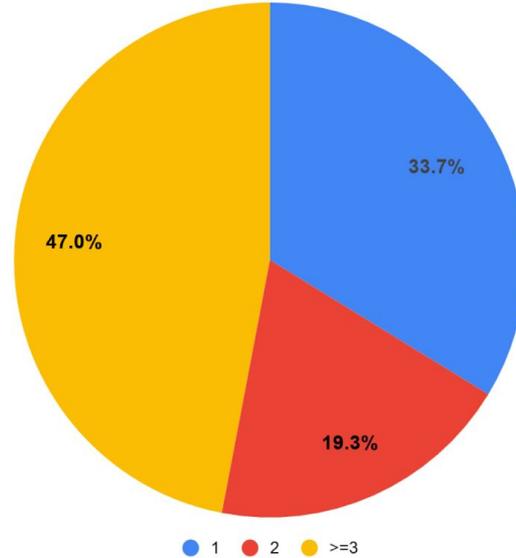
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# Multi-benefit recreation site

47% of users surveyed participate in 3 or more recreation activities at Liberty Island/Shag Slough.



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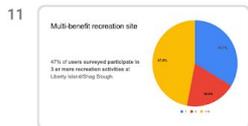
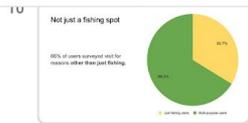
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12 Why do you love Liberty Island / Slough slough?

13 Liberty Island is safe and accessible for families

"Fishing with my 8 year old and 4 year old. They both caught their first fish here and we live so close, it would be devastating if it was taken away from them as we go here so very often."

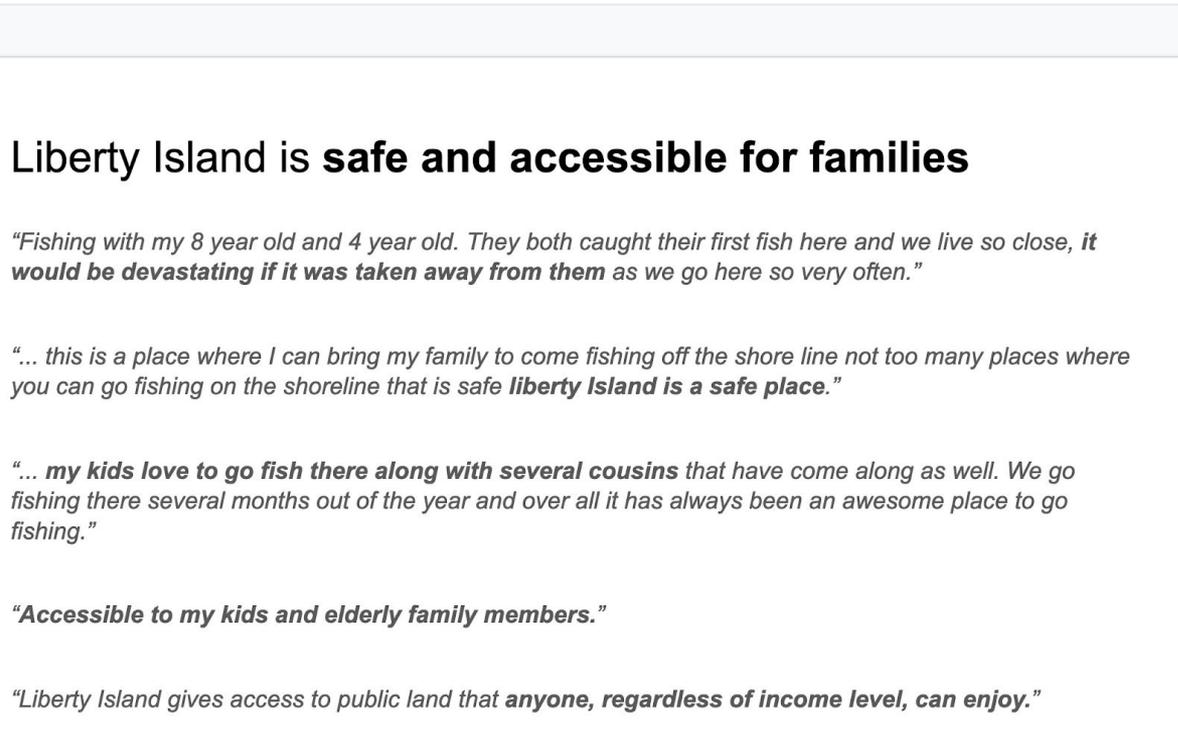
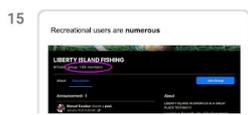
"... this is a place where I can bring my family to come fishing off the shore line not too many places where you can go fishing on the shoreline that is safe **liberty Island is a safe place.**"

"... **my kids love to go fish there along with several cousins that have come along as well. We go fishing there several months out of the year and over all it has always been an awesome place to go fishing.**"

"**Accessible to my kids and elderly family members.**"

"Liberty Island gives access to public land that anyone, regardless of income level, can enjoy."

14 Multi-generational history of recreation



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  - 85% of users summer visit for reasons other than just fishing.
- 11 Multi-benefit recreation site
  - 47% of users surveyed participate in 3 or more recreation activities at Liberty Island Slough.
- 12 Why do you love Liberty Island / Slough slough?
- 13 Liberty Island is safe and accessible for families
  - 78% of users visit Liberty Island / Slough with family members.
  - 85% of users visit Liberty Island / Slough with family members.
  - 90% of users visit Liberty Island / Slough with family members.
  - 95% of users visit Liberty Island / Slough with family members.
- 14 Multi-generational history of recreation
  - Users are coming to this place for fishing with their family.
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- 15 Recreational users are numerous
  - Liberty Island Fishing

# Multi-generational history of recreation

*"My family has been fishing liberty island for years. Over thirty. My dad taught me to take care of the area and I am teaching my children. It's close to home for quick trips out of the house."*

*"I love everything about liberty island, great place to fish and hunt. I grew up on the island and have been fishing and hunting their sense I was old enough to hold a fishing a pole and a gun. Would like to take my kids fishing and hunting out their as well. And I know I lot of people that have fished out their for many years and want to keep it going."*

*"Since I was a young child I grew up fishing / (ka)yaking out here with my family. Generations of nature lovers. Please please please don't take it away from us."*

*"I been coming to this place for fishing with my dad since 2004, and I love coming here now with my kids"*

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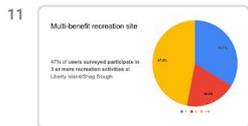
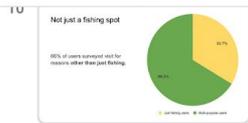
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Having safety of your own yard just isn't the same. You will appreciate the fact that you can be in close proximity to nature and enjoy the view from your own yard.

... it is a public area. You have to be careful of the kids. They can get into many places and you can't see them. It's a good thing that you can see them from the house.

... my kids love to go fish there along with several friends that live close by. We go there every week or so. It's a great place to go and it's always been an awesome place to go fishing.

Remember to stay safe and enjoy every moment!

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14 Multi-generational history of recreation

... the history of recreation in the area is long and rich. It has been a part of the community for many years.

... have something special about your yard. It's not just a yard, it's a place where you can enjoy the view and the sound of nature. It's a great place to go and it's always been an awesome place to go fishing.

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# Recreational users are numerous

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**Manuel Escobar** shared a post.  
January 16 at 9:20 AM · 🌐

Hello fellow **LIBERTY ISLAND FISHING** fam. Please read this link and

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Located on the north side of the Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta. The 5200-acre Liberty

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Multi-generational history of recreation

Multi-generational history of recreation... This page is currently under review...

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Recreational users are numerous



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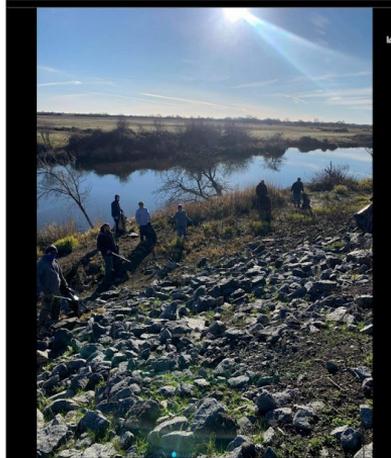
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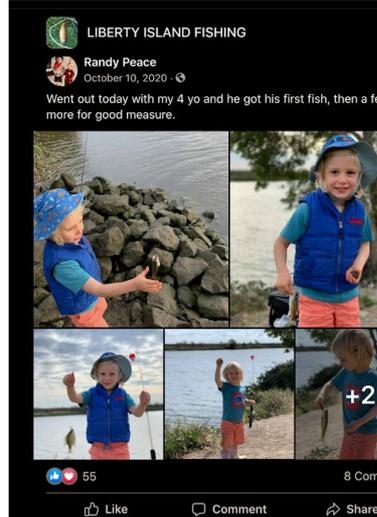
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Delta Reform Act: Maximize access

# Recreational users are involved and active



Jimmy Ray  
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- 17 **CDFW agrees that access is important**
- 18 **Delta Plan 2013: Enhance and protect access**
- 19 **Delta Reform Act: Maximize access**

# CDFW agrees that access is important

opportunities to fish from the shoreline within the Delta regions would be less-than-significant. However, CDFW disagrees and believes the loss of public land-based access to LIER via the Bridge is a significant impact.

or small watercraft and rely on the Bridge as the main access point to hand-launch onto LIER. Those that rely on the bridge and shoreline access are predominately from disadvantaged communities. The loss of foot-access to LIER via the Bridge will eliminate recreational opportunities for many hunters, anglers, and bird watchers who don't have the ability to purchase and maintain a boat capable of accessing the island from the nearest boat launches, making recreation impacts by the Project disproportionately affect lower income individuals and communities. Furthermore, public bank fishing is already very limited in the Cache Slough Complex as most of the leases are on private property or have restricted access. For those

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Remember to say yes and actively body posture?  
Early water goes across to public use for agriculture, agriculture of course needs more water!

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**Multi-generational history of recreation**  
The history of Delta recreation dates back to the late 1800s when the first dam was built at the mouth of the Sacramento River. The dam created a reservoir that was used for irrigation and later for recreation. The area around the dam became a popular spot for picnicking and fishing. Over the years, the area has become a major recreational area for the Delta region.

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**Recreational users are numerous**  


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**Recreational users are involved and active**  


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**CDFW agrees that access is important**  
California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW) agrees that access is important for the Delta. The Delta is a major source of water for California, and access to the Delta is essential for the state's economy and environment. CDFW is committed to ensuring that the Delta is accessible to all people and that the Delta's resources are protected for future generations.

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**Delta Plan 2013: Enhance and protect access**  
DP R11: Public Use and Protect Existing Recreation Opportunities  
Water management and ecosystem restoration agencies should provide recreation opportunities, including visitor-serving business opportunities, at new facilities and habitat areas whenever feasible; and existing recreation facilities should be protected, using California State Parks' Recreation Program as a benchmark for access, design and facility. Water and Delta Protection Commission's Economic Sustainability Plan for the Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta as guides.

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**Delta Reform Act: Maximize access**

# Delta Plan 2013: Enhance and protect access

**DP R11. Provide New and Protect Existing Recreation Opportunities**

*Water management and ecosystem restoration agencies should provide recreation opportunities, including visitor-serving business opportunities, at new facilities and habitat areas whenever feasible; and existing recreation facilities should be protected, using California State Parks' Recreation Proposal for the Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta and Suisun Marsh and Delta Protection Commission's Economic Sustainability Plan for the Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta as guides.*

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- 14 Multi-generational history of recreation
- 15 Recreational users are numerous
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16 Recreational users are involved and active

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Agreements are made with the stakeholders to ensure public access to water and riparian resources. (CDFW Strategic and Technical Plan for Water and Wetlands, 2013-2018)

It is a goal of the Delta Plan to ensure that the Delta is the most accessible and most productive water resource in the world. This goal is achieved through the Delta Plan's emphasis on providing opportunities for many visitors, anglers, and bird watchers and that through the ability to maintain and enhance the Delta's natural resources. (Delta Plan, 2013-2018)

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**SP 811. Provide New and Protect Existing Recreation Opportunities**

Best management of riparian recreation opportunities should provide riparian opportunities, create new water-based recreation, or use historic and natural values and habitat for existing riparian-based recreational opportunities. (Delta Plan, 2013-2018)

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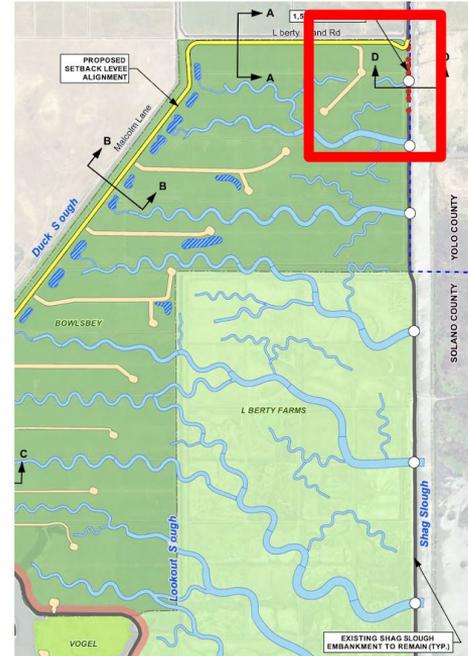
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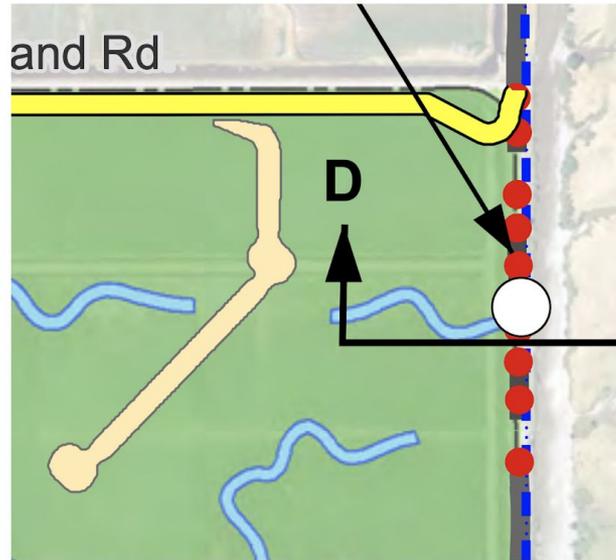


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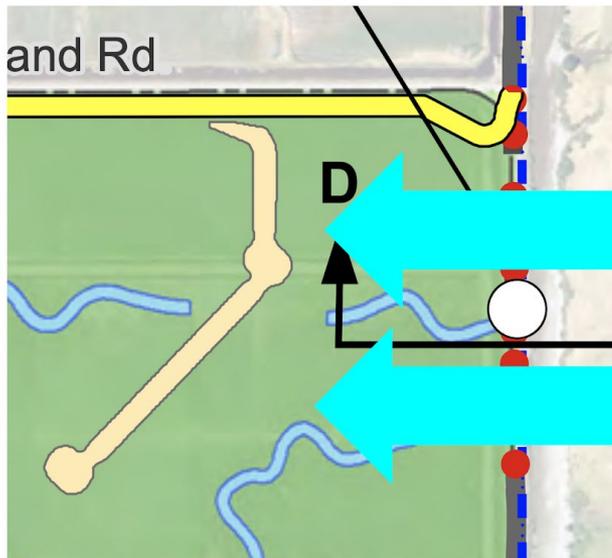


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Reservoir operations, including water storage, transfer, operations...  
Reservoir facilities should be planned, very...  
Reservoir Program for the Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta and Lower...  
Delta and Delta Project Component...  
for the Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta or public

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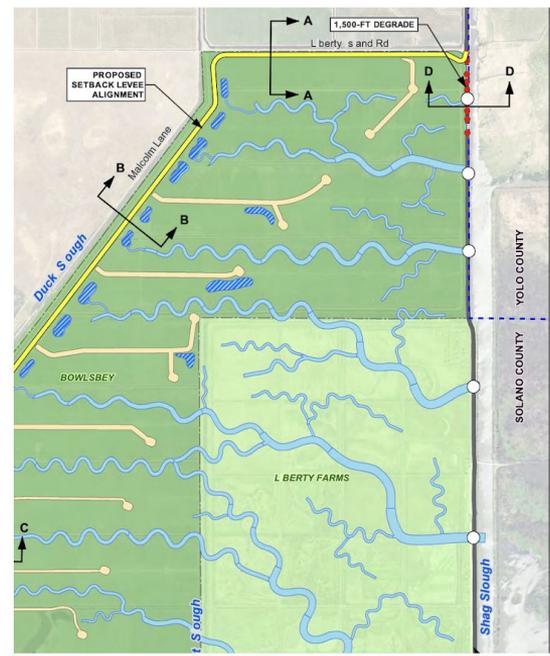
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2. Permanently restore emergency CDFW access

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3. Right-of-way from erosion study and maintenance needs to nearby areas  
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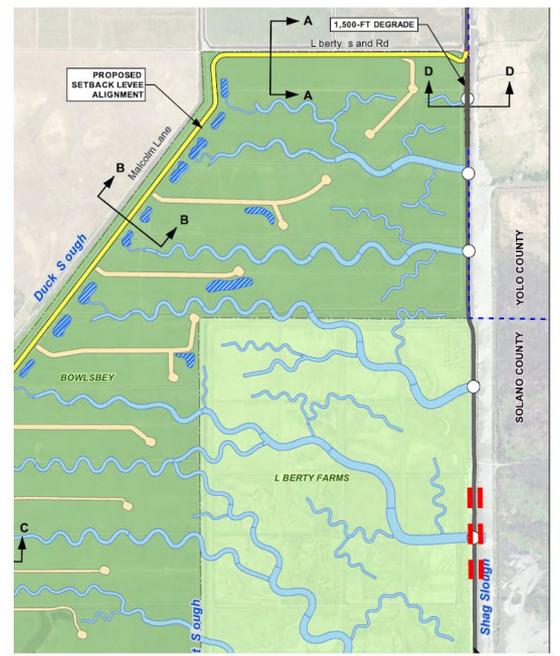


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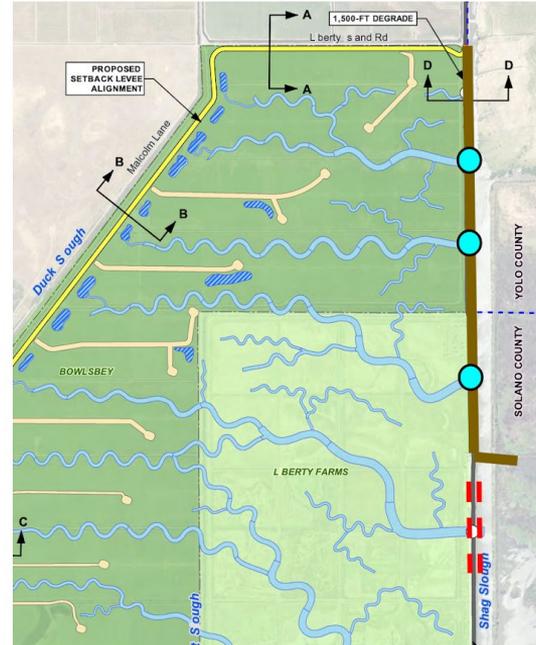
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Position levee degradation south of bridge.

Install box culverts under Liberty Island Road.



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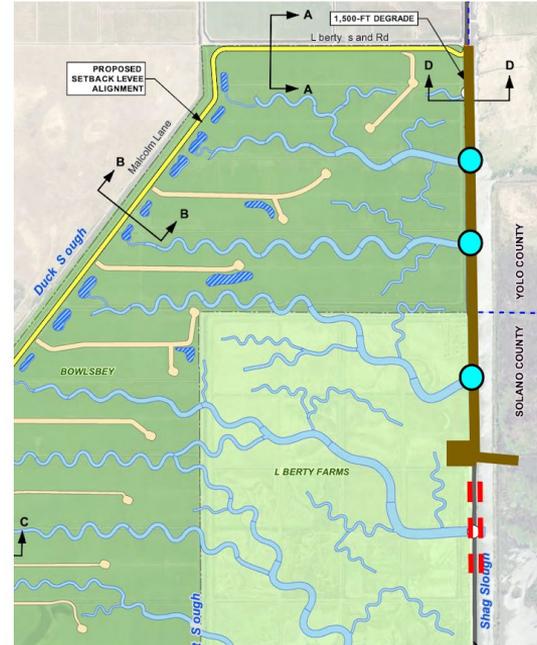
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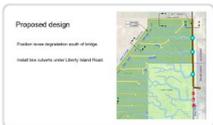
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Excavated levee material can be used for a small parking surface at bridgehead.

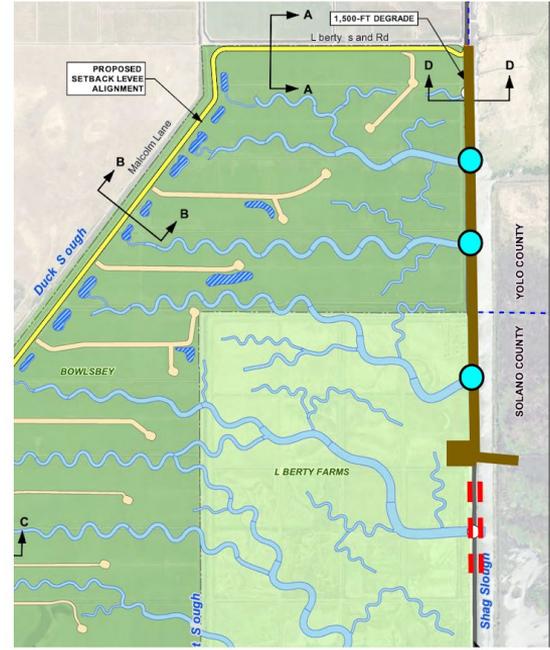


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# Proposed design

1. **Preserves** emergency / CDFW and public access to an underserved area of the Delta.
2. Box culverts mean **less transport/grading of excavated material.**
3. **Less red tape** since right-of-way still in place.
4. **Reduces** long term flood/erosion risks / maintenance costs to nearby earthworks.
5. **Safer** long-term option for infrastructure



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- 1. Review and update project plan to include all project areas to be built.
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**Mitigation option: Open project levees and lands to public access**

- 1. In agreement with Delta Plan standards.
- 2. Enhance access to all otherwise undeveloped areas of the Northern Delta.



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**Mitigation option: Open project levees and lands to public access**

- 1. 100-foot access areas along Delta Project's levees to provide riparian habitat benefits.
- 2. Restore portions of projects located for future water supply storage.
- 3. Restore portions for selected fishing, hunting, and recreation.



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**Mitigation option: Open project levees and lands to public access**

- 1. Inventory of Delta lands to be used as State Park potential areas of interest.
- 2. Location mentioned in Solano County General Plan for park site evaluation.



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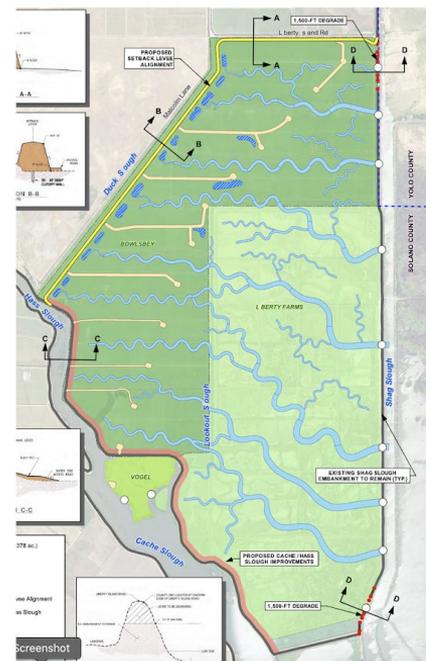
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# Mitigation option: Open project levees and land to public access

1. In agreement with Delta Plan mandates.
2. Enhances access in an otherwise underserved area of the Northern Delta.



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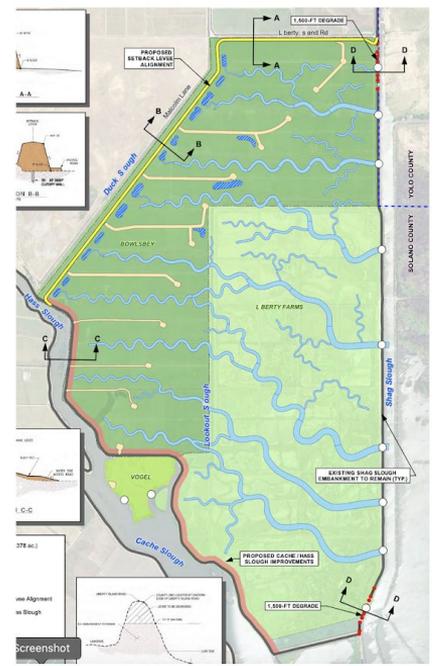
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# Mitigation option: Open project levees and lands to public access

- ~3.0 [mi] of new levee access along Cache Slough is ideal for fishing and hand launching kayaks.
- Northern portion of property suited for hiking, bird watching, upland hunting.
- Southern portion suited for waterfowl hunting, kayaking, shoreline fishing.



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1. Integrate project features with existing infrastructure
2. Enhance project features to meet regulatory requirements
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2. Enhance access to all otherwise undeveloped areas of the Northern Delta.

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**Mitigation option:**  
Open project levees and lands to public access

- 100 ft wide levee access along Delta Project's levee to existing agricultural lands.
- Levee access points located for fishing, bird watching, and hunting.
- Levee access points for selected fishing, hunting, and hunting.

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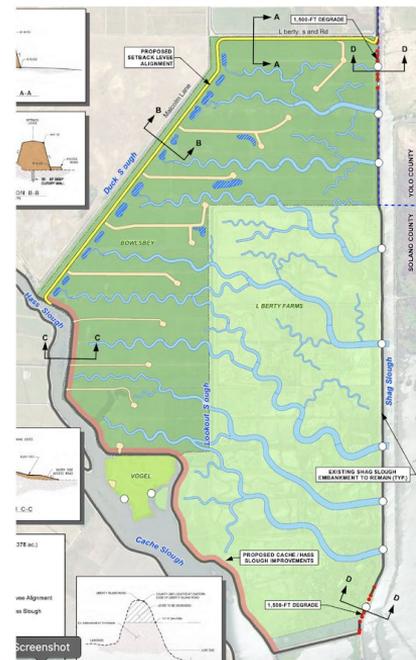
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- Location mentioned in Solano County General Plan for park site evaluation.

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**Proposed design**

- Review comments (COP) and public access to riparian areas for DWR
- Set lands to be transferred/leasing of riparian areas
- Review riparian rights and other issues
- Review long term riparian area management plan to meet objectives
- Make long term riparian area objectives



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- In agreement with Delta Plan milestones
- Enhance access to wetlands in the Northern Delta (Delaware) area of the Northern Delta



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**Mitigation option: Open project levees and lands to public access**

- 2,000+ acres along Delta Project area for fishing and bird watching lands
- Northern portion of project suited for fishing and wildlife management
- Riparian habitat suited for watershed funding, regulatory stream flow



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