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Meeting Notice

Commission Workshop #9

Thursday, June 15, 2017
Bay Area Metro Center
375 Beale Street
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Tentative Agenda

- 1:30** Welcome and introductions
- 1:45** Presentation and Q&A
- 2:15** Implementation Pathways Introduction and Exercise
- 3:00** Report Back and Discussion
- 3:15** Wrap up and next steps

Workshop Series Objectives

- Inform the Commission and public about the work completed by the Bay Fill Working Group, and the Policies for a Rising Bay Project.
- Create a shared understanding of potential policy issues associated with placing appropriate Bay fill to assist the natural and built environment in adapting to climate change
- Identify approaches that can be taken in the short-term to reduce the risk from current and future flooding while longer term, regional planning is underway.
- Opportunity for Commissioners, Alternates and workshop participants to select issues, policies and approaches for further staff review and potential Bay Plan amendment.

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On October 6, 2016, the Commission adopted policy recommendations to address rising Bay waters. Since then the Commission Sea Level Rise Workshop Series has been a forum to discuss and advance many of those recommendations. The upcoming workshop focuses on four priority areas – social equity and environmental justice; fill for habitat projects; mitigation in the face of sea level rise; and beneficial use of sediment and the proposed steps for implementing changes to the Commission's existing laws, policies and regulations. The Commission staff will summarize the findings of Workshop 8 and the status of Commission's other actions addressing sea level rise, including the Regional Adaptation Plan/Framework, the Adapting to Rising Tides Program, financing and public education and outreach. The Commission, staff and other participants will then discuss the four priority issues and how to implement changes to the Commission's existing laws, policies and regulations to address these priority issues.