

DELTA COUNTIES' WATER SUMMIT

California Needs A Fresh Start for its Water Future, Not the Delta Tunnel

Please join the Delta Counties Coalition (DCC) (elected officials from Contra Costa, Sacramento, San Joaquin, Solano and Yolo counties) to learn about the State's controversial Delta Tunnel Project, its impact beyond the Delta, why it matters to your jurisdiction and to instead promote statewide water solutions that benefit all communities. The in-person and on-line summit will be held on Friday, June 24, 2022 from 9:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m., in Sacramento or online.

RSVP Here!

This summer, the draft environmental review documents for the State's Tunnel/Delta Conveyance Project will be released for public review. This project would involve over a decade of construction, and would divert up to 6,000 cubic feet per second from the Sacramento River, dramatically reducing freshwater flows through the Delta. This would have negative impacts on the health of the estuary, local communities, Delta recreation and fish and wildlife. As communities, businesses and farms throughout the state seek more reliable water supplies, California needs sustainable and cost-effective solutions, not a massive \$16 billion-dollar plus Tunnel/Delta Conveyance Project that won't add a single drop of new water to the system. This summit will be a forum to respond as a region to the State's Tunnel proposal and work toward more resilient and equitable water portfolio alternatives that don't create a sacrifice zone in the Delta.

The event will focus on:

- The irreplaceable values of the Delta, both locally and as a component of California's overall water system.
- Overview of Tunnel/Delta Conveyance Project and the negative impacts it would have on regional communities and the environment.
- Discussion of Tunnel alternatives that would provide sustainable, affordable and unifying statewide water solutions.
- Call to action for participants to reject the Tunnel/Delta Conveyance Project and to support better alternatives.

Date/Time:

Friday, June 24, 2022 9:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.

In-person Location:

Sacramento County Board of Supervisors Chambers 700 H Street, 1st Floor, Sacramento, CA 95814

On-line Zoom link available upon registration.

Please RSVP by Friday, Wednesday, June 22nd

For more information, contact DCC Coordinator, Natasha Drane, at dranen@saccounty.gov or 916-874-4627.

We encourage your involvement in this important summit and look forward to your participation on June 24th.



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