



delta news

Current issues affecting the Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta.

Thursday
September 20, 2018

Water Education Foundation 2018 Water Summit: a reminder

The Water Education Foundation's 2018 Water Summit will be Thursday, September 20, at the Westin Sacramento (4800 Riverside Boulevard, Sacramento, CA). For more information, click [here](#).

Recreational Pacific halibut fishery ends September 21

The California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW) has [announced](#) that the recreational Pacific halibut fishery will close Friday, September 21, at 11:59 p.m., for the remainder of 2018. Based on the latest catch projections, CDFW expects the 2018 California recreational quota of 30,940 pounds will have been taken by this date.

California waterfowl hunting season opening soon

California's 2018–2019 waterfowl [hunting season](#) is fast approaching, with one special early opportunity for young hunters in California's [Northeastern Zone](#). The weekend of September 22–23 is designated as Youth Waterfowl Hunting Days in this zone only. Additional youth waterfowl hunting opportunities will follow in the other zones around the state on February 2–3.

Rivers in the Sky — A Watershed University webinar

Join Scripps Institution of Oceanography meteorologist Marty Ralph, Director of the Center for Western Weather and Water Extremes, as he describes the phenomena of atmospheric rivers, their impact on our weather, and the essential role modeling and prediction play in managing California's precious water resources. This [webinar](#) begins Tuesday, September 25, at 12:00 p.m. and ends at 1:00 p.m. Register for this webinar [here](#).

Delta Conservancy Board meeting

The next Delta Conservancy Board meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, September 26, from 9:00 a.m. until 1:00 p.m. at the Conservancy's office in West Sacramento. The meeting will include an update on the Proposition 1 solicitation and Delta Conservancy Board member elections. The full agenda can be found [here](#), and board materials can be found [here](#).

DWR commits to greater greenhouse gas emission reductions

With the Global Climate Action Summit underway in San Francisco, the Department of Water Resources (DWR) today announced its [commitment to cut greenhouse gas \(GHG\) emissions](#) by 60 percent or more below 1990 levels. In less than 30 years, DWR has already reduced annual GHG emissions by more than one million metric tons, the equivalent of taking 200,000 cars off the road.



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