

**Restoration  
Coordination Update**



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Subject: Restoration Coordination Update

This memorandum describes restoration coordination activities since the last BDAC meeting in May. The attached decision process graphic also outlines the process. Also attached are the summary notes from the last Ecosystem Roundtable meeting.

Status of RFP

The 1997 Request for Proposals was released June 13, 1997 and proposals are due to CALFED no later than July 28, 1997. A public workshop to respond to questions was held July 3, 1997 and over 300 people were in attendance. The RFP was mailed to approximately 2,500 people/organizations within and outside of California.

Time line

Once proposals are received at the end of July, review panels will meet in August and early September to evaluate and score the proposals. A summary of the proposals received will be available for BDAC at the September meeting. A recommended funding package will be reviewed by the Ecosystem Roundtable at their September meeting and should be available for BDAC soon after that time. The package (or multiple packages at varying funding levels) will be in summary format due the legal restriction on confidentiality of individual proposals until selection process is complete.

Evaluation and Selection Process

A two-tiered evaluation process has been established and is described in the RFP. Technical review panels will score the proposals, and an integration panel will set overall ecosystem priorities and select proposals based on the scores from the technical review panels. Agency and nonagency representatives will be on each panel.

Attachment

CALFED Agencies

**California**

The Resources Agency  
Department of Fish and Game  
Department of Water Resources  
California Environmental Protection Agency  
State Water Resources Control Board

**Federal**

Environmental Protection Agency  
Department of the Interior  
Fish and Wildlife Service  
Bureau of Reclamation  
Department of Commerce  
National Marine Fisheries Service