

PHASE II REPORT ISSUE CONTENT

While the Phase II Report has a great deal of required content such as program and process descriptions, it must also include a wide variety of other issues for context, balance, disclosure, or completeness. Some will require description (e.g. Watershed Management) and others perhaps a quick one sentence reference. The following is a quick list of issues or specific concepts which should be included in the draft report:

1. Explanation of a tiered EIR/S (phase II/III)
2. Area of Origin protections
3. Watershed Management (especially as a multiobjective program)
4. Relation to flood control activities (specific delta issues as well as the ACOE report)
5. Conveyance sub-options (such as, extension of the TCC, connection of San Joaquin County, Tracy, CCWD and others to new channel.
6. Regional concerns regarding transfers and conjunctive use.
7. Maintenance of the Common Pool
8. General seismic issues
9. Recreation opportunities and impacts
10. Amland conversion and related impacts
11. San Joaquin drainage issues
12. Beneficiaries pay and economic incentives
13. CWA 404 process (& status)
14. Introduced species
15. Needs of San Francisco Bay
16. Highlight "conditions of receiving CALFED benefits"
17. Storage issues including:
 - a. potential staging and conditions for staging
 - b. relation of surface storage and conjunctive management
 - c. multipurpose and multiowner storage
 - d. WUE equivalents
 - e. function of storage by general area and type
18. Water Management Strategy:
 - a. principles of managing the hydrograph
 - b. supply is finite, not product of demand
 - c. % of water depleted by year type
 - d. example hydrographs
 - e. show increase of high eco-value water and decrease of lesser value
19. Critical distinguishing characteristics (and WUE equivalents if possible)
20. Coordinated and comprehensive monitoring
21. ESA conservation strategy
22. Climate change
23. What else?