

CURRENT HABITAT ISSUES

The Habitat Committee (HC) will meet on Thursday, March 8, 2018, to discuss the Integrated Ecosystem Assessment Report, the Fishery Ecosystem Plan Climate and Communities Initiative, Klamath dam removal, groundfish essential fish habitat (EFH) planning, and other matters.

The HC last met in September 2017. In October 2017, the Council sent a letter developed by the HC regarding the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission's (FERC) relicensing of Oroville dam and its impacts on EFH for fall-run Chinook salmon. The letter was sent to both the California Department of Water Resources and FERC (Attachment 1).

Council Action:

Consider comments and recommendations developed by the HC.

Reference Materials:

1. Agenda Item D.1, Attachment 1.
2. *Agenda Item D.1.a, Supplemental HC Report 1.*

Agenda Order:

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| D.1 | Current Habitat Issues | Jennifer Gilden |
| a. | Report of the Habitat Committee | Eric Wilkins |
| b. | Reports and Comments of Management Entities and Advisory Bodies | |
| c. | Public Comment | |
| d. | Council Action: Consider Habitat Committee Report and Recommendations | |