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Subject: 2021 TUCO HABs/Weeds report public draft

EXTERNAL:

Dear Mr. Ekdahl,

Attached is the public draft report on the impact of the 2021 TUCO and Emergency Drought Barrier on Aquatic Weeds and Harmful Algal Blooms in the Delta as required by Condition 5 of the Reconsideration of the 2021 TUCP. This report updates the report submitted on December 15th, 2021, and summarizes impacts to sub-regions of the Delta as well as analyzing the potential for disproportionate impacts to vulnerable communities. The report was developed in collaboration with the Interagency Ecological Program, the Delta Science Program, and Water Board staff. Restore the Delta and DWR met to understand Restore the Delta's concerns and how those concerns relate to the scope of this report or to the broader statewide effort to understand and address HABs. A full description of all outreach efforts is included in Appendix E. We understand this report will be made available for comment by Water Board staff and the public, and we will review and consider any comments as appropriate. The first section of the report is an executive summary with major management implications.

Please let me know when you would like a presentation a public Board meeting.

Any questions or comments can be addressed to me, Rosemary.Hartman@water.ca.gov

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